

## **Advance Christmas Notices**

There are one or two events/services taking place leading up to and including Christmas which we want to make everyone aware of in advance.

### **The first one is a visit by a newly formed choir from Athelstan School**

They will be singing and performing songs which they have recently learned, some with a Christmas theme. They will be singing in Chapel on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December starting at 6pm until about 7pm.

There will be a raffle during the short interval

The admission to the concert will be free but a donation on entry would be most welcome. The school is organising this concert as part of their outreach into the community and all the proceeds from the donations and raffle will be donated to charities of their choice.

Please come along and support this new project for the school.

## **Carol Singing in The Town**

Everyone is invited to join us on Saturday morning 23<sup>rd</sup> December from 10am singing carols on Low Street (outside the card shop) If wet in Chapel.

We are singing to raise funds for Martin House Hospice at Boston Spa

## **Candlelight Carol Service**

Hopefully, this year our Candlelight Carol Service will take place on Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December (Christmas Eve) at 6pm.

This popular service has not taken place for 3 years due to Covid and an unfortunate incident last year when the Church was damaged. For those attending for the first time we should say that you **don't** have to bring your own candle. The church will be fully candlelit overhead to create a wonderful atmosphere.

The service will be led by Rev'd Christine Gillespie and a collection will be taken for the Children's Cancer Charity 'CANDLELIGHTERS'

In the morning of Christmas Eve our usual service will take place at 10.45am led by Malcolm Bott from Eggborough.

## **Christmas Day**

Our Christmas Day service will be at the slightly earlier time of 10am and will be led by Rev'd Christine Gillespie.

Please put these dates in your diaries (or phones)