 **St Mary’s Church, Tasburgh November 30th 2014**

**Tas Valley Team Ministry**

 **Advent Sunday**

**Welcome to Worship.**

**The Collect for Advent Sunday**

Almighty God, give us grace to cast away the works of darkness

and to put on the armour of light, now in the time of this mortal life,

in which your Son Jesus Christ came to us in great humility;

that on the last day, when he shall come again in his glorious majesty

to judge the living and the dead, we may rise to the life immortal;

through him who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**For our prayers**

This week we are praying for the residents of Everson Road and Everson Close. They have requested prayers for:-

world peace, an end to conflict and people learning to get on with each other, for a father, who has recently been diagnosed with Parkinson’s Disease, for health and well being for family and friends, for relief for a friend suffering facial pain, for a permanent position for a friend in temporary employment, and for those involved in working and raising funds for animal charities to relieve suffering.

Continue to pray for the situation in the Middle East and the suffering that Ebola is causing in Africa, and for all those known to us who are sick or sad and lonely.

Let us give thanks for every answer to prayer

**Reading and intercessions rota**

There is a rota [on the font] please could people put their names down for reading and leading intercessions.

*This Week*

Mon 1st 10.00am Craft Group in the Church Room

Wed 3rd 9.00am Morning Prayers at Tasburgh **Everyone is welcome**

10.30-11.45 Local House of Prayer at 26 Chestnut Road

 2.00pm Coffee Pot –in the Church Room. Tea, Coffee,

 cake and conversation. Come and make new friends

 2.15pm Prayer Visiting on Orchard Way

 7.30pm Carols and Canapés Cells Christmas Celebration

Thurs 4th Choir rehearsal Sarah Norman

 Fri 5th 10.00am-12.00 Emmanuel Group LHoP Shirley 470369

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**Christmas Fayre at the Church**

*Next Week*

Sunday Dec 7th 8.00am BCP Holy Communion at Tharston

 **10.30am St Mary’s Freedom Cafe,** at Preston Primary School

**Looking ahead**

Sunday Dec 14th  9.30am Holy Communion and the Baptism of Ewan McCrae

Friday Dec 19th 7.00pm Carol Service at Tharston

Sunday Dec 21st 8.00am BCP Holy Communion at Tharston

 6.30pm Christmas Carol Service with the choir

Wednesday Dec 24th Christmas Eve

 3.00pm Crib Service

 11.30pm Midnight Eucharist

Thursday Dec 25th Christmas Day

 9.30am BCP Holy Communion at Tharston

 10.30am Holy Communion

Sunday Dec 28th Christmas Cafe for all at Swainsthorpe Church at 9.30am

**Val Cook** has a catalogue of Fairly Traded crafts from ‘Created’ 470298

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