

SUNDAY 28TH NOVEMBER 2021

# ST COLUMBA'S FAMILIES NEWSLETTER

## HI FAMILIES OF ST COLUMBA'S,

Last Sunday we celebrated Christ the King Sunday, the last Sunday of the Church's liturgical year, concluding the twelve-month cycle of Advent, Christmas, Epiphany, Lent, Easter, Ascension, Pentecost and Trinity. This Sunday we "go again" – Advent Sunday, the first of four Sundays that lead towards Christmas, symbolised by the lighting of the first Advent candle. In Church terms you might consider this New Year's Day....

Last week the Families Newsletter mentioned Lucy Llewellyn's request for families to help with the planned St Columba's on-line Advent Calendar. Each day of December, starting on Wednesday 1st December, via the website, we hope to offer a piece of music, or a reading or a prayer. Ideally, each day will be prepared by someone in the congregation. Here's where you come in.

We would LOVE IT, if four (or more) families, would volunteer to record a reading in your own home and then let it be part of the Advent calendar. We did something similar for Lent this year, which worked really nicely. Please get involved – Lucy is awaiting your call. Advent is almost upon us, so don't delay!





Save the Date: As you know we will next gather on the afternoon of Sunday 12th, December from 3pm, for Christingle making, family tea and then Carols by Candlelight at 5pm. That should be a lovely occasion. All ages welcome. Please RSVP to [gary@thewallis.com](mailto:gary@thewallis.com) by 5th December for catering purposes.

In the meantime, enjoy the activities chosen by Fiona (thank you) and have a happy weekend.

[https://sermons4kids.com/jesus\\_is\\_coming\\_again\\_group\\_activities.htm](https://sermons4kids.com/jesus_is_coming_again_group_activities.htm)

Have a lovely weekend

Angus & the Sunday School Team