



Sunday 24th December – Fourth Sunday in Advent

Please stand as the Bible is brought into Church.

Welcome and Notices by our Church Secretary.

Opening Words.

Hymn: 142 *"Now tell us gentle Mary"*

Lighting of the four Advent Candles.

Introduction to the theme.

Hymn: *"All things bright and beautiful"*



Words opposite.

Please remain standing for the Dedication of our Offertory.

The Baptism of Esme Eve Brown.

Hymn: 147 *"Silent Night"*

Bible Reading: Luke Chapter 1 Verses 26 to 38.

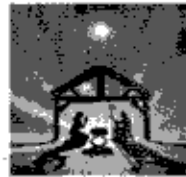
Sermon.

Hymn: 169 *"Unto us a boy is born"*

Prayers of Intercession.

Hymn: 159 *"Hark the Herald Angels Sing"*

Blessing and Threefold sung Amen.



Tea and Coffee will be served after Worship.

A very warm welcome to all worshipping with us this morning and particularly to the Family of Esme Eve Brown. Our thanks to Revd. Julian Sanders for leading our Worship this morning, thanks also to our Organist Ken Irvine for the music and to our Flower Committee for the decoration of the Church.

NOTICES

Tonight, Sunday 24th December at 11.30 pm Our Watchnight Service.

Tea & Coffee served from 11.00pm.

Tomorrow Monday 25th December at 10.00 am All Age Morning Worship for Christmas Day.

Wednesday 27th December WOW Service.

At 12.30 pm – Doors open at Noon with Tea & Coffee available.

AND At 6.30 to 7.30pm Churches Together Prayer Meeting.

Sunday 31st December at 10.30 am Morning Worship for New Year's Eve.

This is a Joint Service with Morpeth Methodist Church at St. George's led by Sue Rutherford.

Please don't forget to collect your Christmas Cards from the box in the Vestibule and where possible deliver cards to Members and Friends who are unable to attend worship with us.

*All things bright and beautiful,
All creatures great and small,
All things wise and wonderful,
The Lord God made them all.*

1 Each little flower that opens,
each little bird that sings,
he made their glowing colours,
he made their tiny wings:

2 The purple headed mountain,
the river running by,
the Sunset, and the morning,
that brightens up the sky:

3 The cold wind in the winter,
the pleasant summer sun,
the ripe fruits in the garden,
he made them every one:

4 He gave us eyes to see them ,
and lips that we might tell,
how great is God Almighty,
who has made all things well.

Cecil Frances Alexander 1835-1895