



Advent & Christmas 2023

Services and Events in Solihull Parish
*including Advent and Christmas Special Services and
Performances*

Morning Prayer

Morning Prayer is ordinarily said each weekday, and all are very welcome.

Mondays, Thursdays, and Fridays at St. Alphege at 9 a.m.

Tuesdays at St. Helen's at 9 a.m.

Wednesdays at St. Michael's at 9.30 a.m.

Sunday 3rd December – First Sunday of Advent

St. Alphege	8.00 a.m.	Said Eucharist
Oliver Bird Hall	9.15 a.m.	Junction
St. Helen	10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion
St Michael	10.30 a.m.	Eucharist
St. Alphege	10.30 a.m.	Sung Eucharist
St. Alphege	5.00 p.m.	Advent Carol Service

Wednesday 6th December

St. Michael	10.00 a.m.	Said Eucharist
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Thursday 7th December

St. Alphege	10.30 a.m.	Said Eucharist
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Sunday 10th December - Second Sunday of Advent

St. Alphege	8.00 a.m.	Said Eucharist
St. Alphege	9.15 a.m.	All Age Christingle Eucharist
St. Helen	10.00 a.m.	Holy Communion
St. Michael	10.30 a.m.	Eucharist
St. Alphege	11.00 a.m.	Choral Eucharist
St. Helen	4.00 p.m.	Community Carol Service (outdoor service with refreshments)
St. Alphege	5.00 p.m.	Evensong

Wednesday 13th December

St. Michael	10.00 a.m.	Said Eucharist
Greville Arms	6.30 p.m.	Beer & Carols at Greville Arms Please let Suzette know to expect you on 0121 709 0884 or s.maguire@solihullparish.org.uk
St Alphege	7.00 p.m.	Cancer Research UK Christmas Concert 'Carols for Life' Ticketed event: Please contact John Emmett on jxemmett@gmail.com Tel: 07812 566495

Thursday 14th December

St. Alphege 10.30 a.m. Said Eucharist

Friday 15th December

St. Helen 4.00 p.m. Christmas Messy Church

Sunday 17th December – Third Sunday of Advent

St. Alphege 8.00 a.m. Said Eucharist

Oliver Bird Hall 9.15 a.m. Junction Nativity

St. Helen 10.00 a.m. Morning Prayer / Carol Service

St. Alphege 10.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist

St. Michael 10.30 a.m. Eucharist

St. Michael 4.00 p.m. Carol Service (in Sharmans Cross School)

St. Alphege 5.00 p.m. Festival of Nine Lessons and Carols

Wednesday 20th December

St. Michael 10.00 a.m. Said Eucharist

St. Alphege 6.00 p.m. Rising Stars Carol Festival

Thursday 21st December

St. Alphege 10.30 a.m. Said Eucharist

Friday 22nd December

H.O.P.E. Walk & Breakfast at 7.30am beginning at the Kitchen coffee shop on Damson Lane, then breakfast at 9.15am. Anyone is welcome to come to either or both parts of this event, but please let know Suzette to expect you. Contact her on 0121 7090884 or s.maguire@solihullparish.org.uk

Sunday 24th December – Fourth Sunday of Advent

St. Alphege	8.00 a.m. Eucharist
St. Helen	10.00 a.m. Holy Communion
St. Alphege	10.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist
St. Michael's Chapel	10.30 a.m. Eucharist

Christmas Eve

St Alphege	3.00 p.m. Crib Service 1
St. Alphege	4.15 p.m. Crib Service 2
St. Alphege	11.30 p.m. Midnight Mass

As Christmas Eve gives way to Christmas Day, we share the good news of the birth of Christ.

St. Michael's Chapel	11.30 p.m. Midnight Mass
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A peaceful service to lead us into the joy of Christmas Day, in a chapel which was once a stable!



Sunday 25th December – Christmas Day

St. Alphege	8.00 a.m. Eucharist
St. Alphege	10.30 a.m. Sung Eucharist
St. Michael	10.30 a.m. Eucharist (with St. Helen's joining)

Thursday 28th December

St. Alphege	10.30 a.m. Said Eucharist
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Sunday 31st December – New Year's Eve

St. Alphege	8.00 a.m. Eucharist
St. Alphege	10.30 a.m. Parish Eucharist