



## Welcome to Fleet United Reformed Church

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*The United Reformed Church is a union of the  
Congregational Church in England, Wales and Scotland,  
the Presbyterian Church of England and the Churches of Christ.*

### Sunday, 17 December, 2017 – Third Sunday in Advent

10.00 am Worship including Holy Communion is led by Revd. Ruth Dillon

*As agreed by Church Meeting there will be a period of quiet reflection  
prior to the commencement of Worship each Sunday*

4.30 pm Carols and Christingle led by Revd. Ruth Dillon

Duty Elders:	(am)	Elizabeth McClune; Moray Henderson
Door Stewards:	(am)	Chris & Pauline Porter
Organist:	(am)	Colin Johnston
Reader:	(am)	Nicola Hamilton
Readings:	(am)	Isaiah 61 : 1 – 4 (O.T. 702) Luke 1 : 46 – 55 (N.T. 54)
Footsteps		Grace Bagshaw, Margaret Armes, Helen Bailey
Coffee:		Maureen Coney
Communion Preparation:	(am)	Mary Kadeckal
Communion Steward:	(am)	Elizabeth McClune; Moray Henderson
Ministry of Flowers:		Sandra Smith

*A Crèche is available for the younger children if required.*

*Visiting children are also welcome to any of the Young People's activities.*

### *~~~~~* **The Week Ahead**

Thursday 21, 10.00 am – Coffee Morning (*Christmas Celebration*)  
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### **The Pulpit for December**

24	10.00	Members of Footsteps
25	10.00	Mrs. Meg Nicholson ( <i>Christmas offering for Phyllis Tuckwell</i> )
31	10.00	Revd. John Whitton

### **The Pulpit for January, 2018**

07	10.00	Revd. Ruth Dillon
07		<b>No Evening Service</b>
14	10.00	Revd. John Whitton
21	10.00	Revd. Haydon Wilcox ( <i>Including Holy Communion</i> )
28	10.00	Mrs Paula Littlewood

### **Birthdays in December:**

11 Nicola Hamilton

*The list indicating birthdays can be found in the vestibule. If you would like to add (or delete) your name from the list please feel free to do so.*

**Flower Rota, 2018** – Is displayed in the vestibule. If you would like to be part of this important ministry by donating the flowers, please add your name to any vacant Sunday(s). If you would like to know more please speak to Elizabeth McClune (628206) or Sandra Smith (623061).

**Copy for the February – March 2018 Newsletter** ('In Touch') should be with Christine Gibbons (christine.gibbons@beech-ride.co.uk) by Sunday, 14th January.

**Churches Together:** As it was so popular last year, Heron on the Lake have again requested we sing carols for them on: *Saturday, 23rd December 10.00 am* If you wish to attend please either contact Rev Carol Dunk (444872) or let Darrell know. Money raised will be used for Churches Together Christmas activities which include the Christmas Lunch for the lonely.

**CAP Release Group Course** -- If you're stuck with a habit that is costing you financially and emotionally, consider joining the tried-and-tested eight-session course by charity Christians Against Poverty, running at Church on the Heath from **9 January**. With the goal of helping achieve a dependency-free life, the small-group sessions are free, confidential, and run by trained members of CotH, starting at 7.30pm on Tuesdays. Contact Rosemary on 07935 678419 or email [rosemarybeal-preston@capuk.org](mailto:rosemarybeal-preston@capuk.org) for more details.

The Church on the Heath, Fleet, is looking to appoint a new **Church Administrator**. The post is a permanent part-time position for 28 hours per week. Applicants seeking a job share will be considered. Please find full details at [www.churchontheheath.org.uk/churchadmin/](http://www.churchontheheath.org.uk/churchadmin/) or contact the Church Office (01252 400236). The closing date for applications is Noon on **Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January**.

