

**Next Sunday 19th November
at St Columba's**

10.30am **Worship Together**
Revd. Iain Lothian



**Next Sunday 19th November
At Stephen Hill**

9.30am Service of Holy Communion
Rev Michael Wildgust

11.00am Morning Worship
Mr Chris Sissons



**St. Columba's
Church,
Crosspool**
*Open to God.
Welcoming all.*



THE GRAPEVINE
**THE BEACON AT
STEPHEN HILL**

Please give any news or notices for the notice sheet to Michelle by lunch on Wednesday's. Email: st.columbas@hotmail.co.uk or phone 267 0006

Grapes for the next Vine by Wednesday, 15th Nov
Please e-mail shgrapevine@gmail.com or ring
Brenda: 2306918, Kath: 2667089 or John: 2304960,
or put a note in the **blue** tray in the Stewards' vestry.

This week at Stephen Hill

Mon-Fri 10.00-noon Coffee in the Forum; Church open
Mon 2.00pm Annual Pastoral Visitors' Meeting (*in the Choir Vestry*)
5.30pm Beavers; 6.30pm Cubs; 8.00pm Scouts
Tues 9.30am Pastoral Prayers
10.00am Bumps, Babies and Bairns
5.30-6.30pm Beavers
Wed 12.00 noon Midweek Service
12.30pm Luncheon Club
5.30pm Rainbows; 6.30pm Brownies; 7.45pm Guides
Thurs 7.30pm Scouts
Sat 9.30am-noon Coffee Morning
(*Hilary & Roger Kite*)

Integrated Rota

	12th November	19th November
Door Stewards	Joint Service of Remembrance and Holy Communion at St Columba at 10.30am. <i>(Please note earlier time).</i>	Freya Harris & Trevor Wilson
Counting		Bob Hodges
Creche		Jean Smith
Coffee		Choir
Church Flowers		Jean Duckenfield
Forum Flowers	Bob Melvin	Sue Cheetham
Organists		Barbara Pye (9.30am) John Parker (11.00am)

12th November 2017

3rd Sunday before Advent

10.30am **Joint Service of Remembrance**

Revd. Iain Lothian & Steve Ellis

Hymns: AHON 271, 499, 454, 808 & 563

Readings: 1 Thessalonians 4:13-18

Matthew 25:1-13

*Let us pray for all who suffer as a result of conflict,
and ask that God may give us peace:
for the service men and women
who have died in the violence of war,
each one remembered by and known to God;
may God give peace. Amen*



Stephen Hill Pastoral

Our thoughts and prayers are with all those in our Church families and the community around us who have special needs at this time.

Praying for Crosspool

This week we shall pray for the residents of Stephen Hill and Stephen Drive.

Coffee Morning at Stanwood MC: Saturday, 18th November - 10.00am - 12noon

Stannington Handbell Ringers will be making a guest appearance.

Stephen Hill Annual Pastoral Visitors Meeting: Monday 13th November at 2.00pm The meeting will be held in the Choir Vestry. If anyone would like to join our team of pastoral visitors, or would like information about the role, please contact me on 2306265. Thank you. *Eileen Coombs.*

Stephen Hill Integrated Rota: 10 out of 10 to the person who spotted the error in the new rota. Please would you cross out the line for 1st January - it is a Monday, not a Sunday! Must have had one of those senior moments - sorry!! *Kath Smith*

Saturday, 18th November - 7.30pm at St Mark's Church, Broomhill

The Sheffield Chorale presents a "St Cecilia's Day Celebration". They will be joined by The Froggatt Young Singers, Section winners at The David Clover Festival and several of whom are members of the National Youth Choir. Tickets £10.00 and £8.00 concessions, includes refreshments.

Saturday, 2nd December at 7.30pm at St Mark's Church, Broomhill

Hallam Choral Society will be performing "The Messiah" accompanied by Hallam Symfonia.

Christian Aid Carol Singing in Fargate on Saturday, 2nd December - 3.30-4.30pm

Together with folk from St Columba, St. Matthew and the other Beacon churches we can help raise a large sum for Christian Aid in an enjoyable way. The collection raised £1,303.61 last year. Singers and instrumentalists all welcome - please come and join us. Further details nearer the time but reserve the date NOW !

St Columba Church Bazaar postponed

The Bazaar will now take place at the end of January instead of the 18th November as planned previously. The organisers apologise for any inconvenience, the change of date is due to unforeseen family circumstances.

Saturday, 25th November, 2.30pm at the Beacon Stephen Hill

You are invited to a Service of Blessing at 2.30pm on Saturday, 25th November at Stephen Hill followed by tea and cake. This is a "Sheffield Celebration" of the marriage of our Minister Will to Helen, which took place in Wales. Offers of cake/buns/scones would be very welcome but please no nuts as we have a member with a serious nut allergy. Approximate numbers attending would be helpful. Email: maryat45@talktalk.net or ring: 2304960. Thanks, *Mary Parker*

Monday, 4th December -10.30 to 11.30am: Pre Christmas Carol Sing

Come and enjoy singing carols at an informal get-together during our usual Monday Coffee morning. If you have any requests for carols that are not well known please let me know before hand. We will be singing a variety of Local, Traditional and Modern carols, generally requested from those present. *Bob Townrow.*

Wednesday, 13th December at 7.45pm - The Salvation Army Band

The Salvation Army's annual Christmas visit to Stephen Hill has become a tradition we all cherish and enjoy. Come and hear a first class band, sing carols and be inspired with the message of Christmas. Admission is free with a collection for the work of the Army which is ongoing throughout the year.

Children's Society boxes: Can you let Gill have them for emptying during November please.

Sheffield's Homeless Christmas Shoebox Appeal:

St Columba is supporting this initiative to help some of Sheffield's most vulnerable residents. If you would like to get involved then pick up a leaflet from the back of St Columba's Church or speak to Dora Deane.



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The Beacon at Stephen Hill: 547 Manchester Road S10 5PL, 0114 266 7073

Minister: Rev Will Fletcher (2305676 or will.fletcher@methodist.org.uk)

Worker with Young People: Mark Broadhead



