



All for Christ + Christ For All
Committed to discipleship, effective in mission, faithful in stewardship.

4th January 2026
2nd Sun. of Christmas

St Michael & All Angels - St John the Evangelist

Today's services	
9.15am	Holy Communion
11.00am	All Age Worship
11.00am	No Service at Byley
Sermon Theme:	
Hymns & Readings for 9.15am service	
AM	<i>pre-service</i>
AM	
AM	
AM	
AM	
AM	<i>Communion</i>
Readings	Ephesians 3 : 1 to 12 Matthew 2 : 1 to 12

Bookmark w/c 05/01/2026

MONDAY

TUESDAY

9.30am Healing Service
4.00pm Staff Meeting
NO. 28 RE-OPENS

WEDNESDAY

11.30am Byley funeral John Herbert Tipping
7.30pm Home Group at No. 28
7.30pm Home Group at Newton Hall Mews

THURSDAY

9.30am Holy Communion
10.30am Study Group

FRIDAY

10.00am Room hire
12.00pm Funeral Herbert Myers

SATURDAY

SUNDAY 11th January 2026

9.15am Holy Communion
11.00am Morning Praise
11.00am Holy Communion at Byley

SERVICES

11th January 2026
1st Sunday of Epiphany

9.15am Holy Communion

11.00am Morning Praise

11.00am Holy Communion at
Byley

Isaiah 42 : 1 to 9
Matthew 3 : 13 to 17

Please remember in your prayers those who are ill especially:

Please pray for the families of those who have recently died, remembering especially the family of :

John Herbert TIPPING
Anthony PRESTON
Herbert (Bert) MYERS



Heavenly Father, as this new year begins, I invite Your holy presence into every part of my life. Let Your peace rule my heart and Your wisdom guide every decision. In moments of uncertainty, remind me that You go before me. May this new year prayer 2026 be a reflection of complete trust in You, knowing that Your plans are good and Your love never fails.

Amen.



PRAYER CHAIN : for ongoing prayer support during the week, please use our **prayer chain group** who offer immediate and ongoing prayer support.

Contact (8am to 9.30pm)
07766 711405 - Tricia

Rector:

Associate Priest : Rev. Liz Woode 01606 75030
tonylizwoode@hotmail.com

Associate Priest : Rev. Thia Hughes 07970 734507
thiahughes@hotmail.com

Associate Priest: Rev. Alison Boulton 07879 681827
alisonb_b@yahoo.co.uk

Associate Priest : Rev. Julie Hassall 01606 738005
revjuliehassall@gmail.com

Administrator: Beth Deakin 01606 738005
admin@middlewichparishchurch.org.uk
Office open Mon—Fri 10am—2pm

www.middlewichparishchurch.org.uk

Registered Charity No 1127335

28 Hightown, Middlewich CW10 9AN

CHEQUES PLEASE PAYABLE TO:

Middlewich PCC.



**We all wish you the joy
of the Christ child, and
peace in your hearts and
families this Christmas time.
from all the staff.**

Remembering a life with Light

Many of us have loved-ones who are no longer with us, who we like to remember, especially over the Christmas period. Once again, you have the opportunity to have a candle lit and named in their memory at the 5 main Christmas Services in Church - Carol Service, Christmas Eve 11:00am Communion, Crib Service, Midnight Communion and Christmas Day Service.

We will light candles and display the names of those you wish to remember at these five services. Simply fill in a form, available at the back of the Church, pop it in the envelope provided and leave in the Remembering a life box by **Sunday 21st December**, we will do the rest. There is no charge but donations will be gratefully received. For any further questions see Graham or Ian.

CHRISTMAS CARD CHARITY BOARD

We invite you to display your Christmas card, with your message to other Church members.

Donations are supporting our 4 Church charities.

Velcro strips are provided.

Many thanks, Miriam Sant.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

The total amount collected in the Children's Society Boxes this year is **£1705.00**.

Thanks to all who took part and if anyone would like to have a box for next year please contact David or Miriam Sant, Tel. 01606832583, or there is a Church Box near the south door to receive your donations.

FOODBANK SHORTAGES

Many thanks for your continued support of the Foodbank.

Our current shortages are:

CUP-A-SOUP—COFFEE—MILK

MANY THANKS.



*Christmas Services at
St Michael & All Angels Middlewich*

CHRISTINGLE SERVICE
Sunday 7th December – 4pm

CAROLS BY CANDLELIGHT
Sunday 21st December – 6.30pm

CHRISTMAS EVE COMMUNION
Wednesday 24th December - 11am

CRIB SERVICE
Christmas Eve - 4pm

MIDNIGHT COMMUNION
Christmas Eve - 11pm

CHRISTMAS DAY COMMUNION
Family service - 10am

*for more information please contact
the church office 01606 738005*

A WARM WELCOME AWAITS YOU



Number 28—UPDATE

Open Tuesday & Thursday

10.00 am to 1.00pm

Soup & sandwiches on Tuesday
Hot drinks & snacks on other days.

Call in and see us!!!



WE ALSO HAVE ROOMS AVAILABLE FOR HIRE.

PLEASE CONTACT BETH FOR DETAILS ON

(01606)738005 admin@middlewichparishchurch.org.uk.