

2023	Time	Blairdaff / Chapel	Cluny / Monymusk	Echt / Midmar	Kemnay	Kintore
24th Dec	10am	Blairdaff / Tose	Cluny / Neil	Echt / Alistair McRobb	Sheila	Euan
24th Christingle	5.30/6.30/7pm		Monymusk / Euan 7.00pm		Christingle Sarah Earley 6.30pm	Christingle Neil 5.30pm
24th Watchnight	11pm			Echt / Tose, Sheila 11.00pm	Euan 11.00pm	Neil 11.15pm
25th Dec	10/10.30/11am		Monymusk / Euan 10.30am		St Annes 10.00am	LLS 11.00am
31st Dec	10am				-	Joint Service



Bennachie
Parish Church
At Kintore



The Church
of Scotland

Kintore Zoom Link:

Meeting ID: 838 9692 5396 Passcode: 712200

Kemnay YouTube & Facebook:

<https://viewservice.kemnayparish.church>

Blairdaff/Chapel of Garioch YouTube:

<https://www.youtube.com/@blairdaffchapelofgariochch7337/live>

Regular Events

- Echt Hope Café:** Tuesdays, 9-11am in Echt Church. Sewing group meets Tuesday 1-3pm. (closed 26th December and 2nd January).
- Good Morning Group:** Kemnay Church Centre. Returns 16th January. Contact Noel Lord noellord@bennachieparish.church
- mainly music:** Monymusk Village hall at 1.30pm Contact Susan Reid at reidsatmonymusk@talk21.com
- Jigsaw Club** Wednesdays 2-4pm & Fridays 1-3pm at Kemnay Church Centre. Contact Irene Reid at irenereid@bennachieparish.church
- Thursday Drop - In at Kintore:** Kintore Church Hall from 10am – 2pm. Coffee and bakes, soup served from 11.30am. Foodbank donations welcome.
- Singing Group:** Echt Church every second Thursday 2.00pm.
- Office 365 & Teams Support Sessions:** Thursday mornings, 10-11 Kemnay, and 11-12 Kintore.
- Little Lambs of Kemnay:** Term-time, Friday mornings, Kemnay Church Centre.

Mary, the mother of Jesus



Sunday 24th December 2023

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Order of Service

CALL – God Calls us to worship

Please stand for the entry of the Bible

Call to Worship

Lighting the Advent Candle

CH4 284 vs 1 – 5 Hope is a candle once lit by the prophets

Prayers of Approach, Confession & Assurance of Grace

CH4 296 While humble shepherds watched their flocks

Our shared life

THE WORD – God speaks to us

From the Bible: St Luke 1:26-38

CH4 304 O Little Town of Bethlehem

Sermon: Mary, the mother of Jesus

COMMUNION – We respond to God's Word

We offer our gifts – Offering brought forward (CH4 286

Tell out my soul)

Thanksgiving for the Offering

Prayers of the people & The Lord's Prayer

COMMISSION – God sends us into the world

CH4 301 Hark the herald angels sing

Benediction and Choral Amen (Amen, amen, alleluia amen)

Please stand as the Bible leads us into the world.

What's On

Christingle Service Kintore

Takes place this evening at 5.30pm. Come celebrate Christmas with the whole family, hear the Christmas story and make your own Christingle. Everyone welcome!

Watchnight Service Kintore

We'll start with a community sing-along at 11.15pm this evening, followed by a short service to see in Christmas morning at midnight. Everyone welcome.

Christmas Day Services

On Christmas morning you have the choice of joining an ecumenical service at St Anne's Episcopal Church in Kemnay at 10.00am or a short service at Kintore at 11.00am.

Hats, Scarves & Gloves

Patricia Findlay - is collecting hats, scarves and gloves for the refugees in and around Inverurie. Please take along to the joint service at Kintore on the 31st Dec or drop off to Stella Gauld in Kemnay. stellagauld@bennachiepaish.church

December Foodbank Wish List

Jam/marmalade, Tinned Fish, Tins of meat, Tinned vegetables, Boxes of cereal (not huge ones), Packets of biscuits, Deodorants (male or female). Currently we have good supplies of pasta, soup and beans, thanks to your generosity. Merry Christmas to you all from the Food Bank volunteers. Thank you for supporting us, especially throughout another challenging year.

Christian Aid

Many thanks to all who supported the collection for Christian Aid at Carols by Candlelight. Your generosity is much appreciated and the excellent sum of £495.10 has been banked.