

Christmas: Before & After

Ahh, the before and after photos – how our homes and indeed bodies change before Christmas and after the great season of celebration. But what about our hearts, our minds, our lives – what about our spiritual state?

This Christmas we're going to see what the Bible teaches us about Christmas before Jesus arrival in a stable (i.e. in the Old Testament) and then after his birth amongst us (in the New Testament) and hopefully the picture we will be left with is a fully rounded one – in all the right ways!

Before that we are going to explore the whole area of discipleship as we think about "Living for Christ".



Our Verse for the Year 2019

"So then, just as you received Christ Jesus as Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him, strengthened in the faith as you were taught, and overflowing with thankfulness."

Colossians 2:6-7

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learning, loving & living for Christ

St. Andrew's & St. Michael's

Covering Alwalton, Orton Wistow,
Orton Northgate, Orton Southgate &
Chesterton

Living for Christ



Discipleship



Autumn 2019

St. Andrew's Church Alwalton

Sunday Mornings at 10.30am

St. Michael's Chesterton

Sunday Mornings at 9.00am

or Sunday Evening at 5pm

Sep

01

Hebrews 13:1-8, 15-16 & Luke 14:1, 7-14

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton FS

08 A new start – with a new heart

1 Peter 1:15-16 & John 1:12-13

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton HC

15 In his image

2 Corinthians 3:12-18 & John 1:1-13

10.30am Alwalton MS.

Fruitful

Galatians 5:22-25 & Matthew 7:15-18

6.00pm Chesterton Harvest EP

22 Everything must go

Romans 6:6-7 & Luke 14:25-35

9.00am Chesterton MP. 10.30am Alwalton HC

29 Grow up

1 Corinthians 3:1-3 & Luke 24:13-32

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton PS.

October

06 In his image

2 Corinthians 3:12-18 & John 1:1-13

9.00am Chesterton HC

Fruitful

Galatians 5:22-25 & Matthew 7:15-18

10.30am Alwalton Harvest Festival FS

13 A climate of change

Deuteronomy 10:12-22 & Matthew 8:23-27

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton HC

20 Stuff and nonsense

1 Corinthians 6:18-20 & Matthew 6:19-20

10.30am Alwalton MS. 5.00pm Chesterton EP

27 Disciplined disciples

2 Timothy 3:14-16 & Luke 9:18-20

9.00am Chesterton MP. 10.30am Alwalton HC

November

03 Growing together

Romans 12:4-8 & John 20:19-23

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton FS

Shoebox services

11 Remembrance

Prepared to suffer

1 Peter 4:12-14 & John 15:18-21

9.00am Chesterton HC. **10.30am Alwalton**

Service of Remembrance

17 Tell the world

Genesis 12:1-5 & Matthew 4:18-22

10.30am Alwalton MS. 5.00pm Chesterton EP

Christmas: Before & After

24 The sign of Immanuel

Isaiah 7:1-17 & Luke 1:26-38

9.00am Chesterton MP. 10.30am Alwalton HC.

December

01 **Advent Sunday:**

A new King is coming

Isaiah 9:1-7 & Matthew 4:12-17

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton HC

6.00pm Churches Together in the Ortons

Advent Carol Service

The dream of God's Kingdom

Isaiah 11:1-9

08 The ruler from Bethlehem

Micah 5:2-5 & Luke 2:1-7

9.00am Chesterton HC. **4.00pm Alwalton**

Christingle

16 15 Freedom begins in Bethlehem

Romans 8:1-4

10.30am Alwalton Nativity.

6.00pm Chesterton 9 Lessons and Carols

21 TBC

6.00pm Alwalton Carols by Candlelight

22 God's timing is always right

Galatians 3:26-4:7 & Mark 1:1-8

9.00am Chesterton MP. 10.30am Alwalton MS

24 Christmas Eve

5.00pm Alwalton Family Christmas

Celebration

Why did Jesus come? To be a ransom for many.

Mark 10:35-45

11.30pm Alwalton Midnight Service of Holy Communion

Jesus the servant King

Colossians 1:1-15 & Luke 2:1-20

25 Christmas Day

Jesus the Saviour

Titus 2:11 & Luke 2:8-20

9.00am Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton Family Christmas Communion

29 Jesus the Word of God

Hebrews 1:1-3 & John 1:1-14

Chesterton MS. 10.30am Alwalton PS

2019 January

05 In the beginning

Genesis 1:1-3 & John 1:1-5

Chesterton HC. 10.30am Alwalton FS

Key for Services

HC Holy Communion MS Morning Service

FS Family Service MP Morning Prayer

FC Family Communion PS Praise Service

Underlined readings on the first and fifth of the month are the readings used at Alwalton