



Newsheet Extra - from the Vicar and Church wardens

Christmas Eve Open Air Carol Service on the Village Green cancelled

The 'highly contagious and new strain' of the virus that is now causing many more cases in the Waverley area and a steep increase in hospital admissions makes St John's 4.00pm service on Christmas Eve on the Village Green outside the church no longer safe for all attending.

With this new increased risk and particularly from close proximity, it would also be irresponsible of St John's to hold this in a situation where we have no control over the number of people who may attend.

We are so disappointed not to be able to continue with this especially at this time of increased challenges and change for us all.

As an alternative, at 3.00pm on Christmas Eve, why not listen to the traditional Service of Nine Lessons and Carols from King's College Chapel, Cambridge on BBC Radio 4 and do please join us at the published online Christmas services and sing the carols included at home.

We send our good wishes for a safe and peaceful Christmas and in the hope of a better year ahead.

5.00 pm 22nd December 2020