

# FAMILY-FRIENDLY FESTIVE FUN at St George's Jesmond this Christmas

# Saturday 2nd December St George's Christmas Market 12noon - 3pm

Visit Mrs. Christmas in her grotto. Crafting & face painting.
Bran tub, raffle & tombola. Delicious hot food served all day.
Stalls galore & Christmas singalong with our talented Junior Choir.

# Thursday 7th December The Big Jesmond Light-up 5.45pm / 6.30pm

Gather at Acorn Road for the first big light-up at 5.45pm and then for the second, at 6.30pm at the Church. Music from the Signing Choir of The Percy Hedley Foundation and Newcastle Concert Brass Band. Free hot drinks and mince pies!

### Saturday 16th December The Living Nativity 2.30 - 4pm

Join Mary and Joseph and Honey the donkey, for a seasonal stroll around Jesmond, via Acorn Road - looking out for Shepherds, Wise Men and Angels along the way! Hot drinks and refreshments to finish.

Wrap up warm, and come in festive costume if you want!

#### Saturday 23rd December Christingle 2.30 - 4pm

Sticky fun for everyone! Join us in St George's Church Hall to make your own Christingles - oranges, candles, sweets and instructions will be provided! Then come across to the beauty and stillness of the Church for a magical Christingle Service, with well-loved Carols, as we light our Christingle candles together."

#### Sunday 24 December Christmas Eve Carol Service 6pm

Come closer to see the Blessing of the Crib and sing familiar carols. It's very popular, so come in plenty of time! (Dressing up encouraged!)

### Monday 25th December - Christmas Day Christmas Morning Service 9.30 - 10.45am

Start your Christmas Day in the time-honoured way, by coming to church!

A joyful celebration of the birth of Jesus.

There are lots of other wonderful services and events taking place at St George's over Advent and Christmas, where you can prepare for the festive period in an atmosphere of mystery and joy, surrounded by the beautiful music of our gifted choir.

For more details see our website: www.stgeorgesjesmond.org.uk



#### We are fundraising

to transform St. George's Hall and Green as well as adding meeting space behind the church,

creating a shared **Community Hub** which will serve all the people of Jesmond.

We aim to raise £200,000 locally and we really need your help.

Please donate what you can by scanning the QR code with your phone, or going to our website:

stgeorgesjesmond.org.uk/community-hub



THANK YOU!