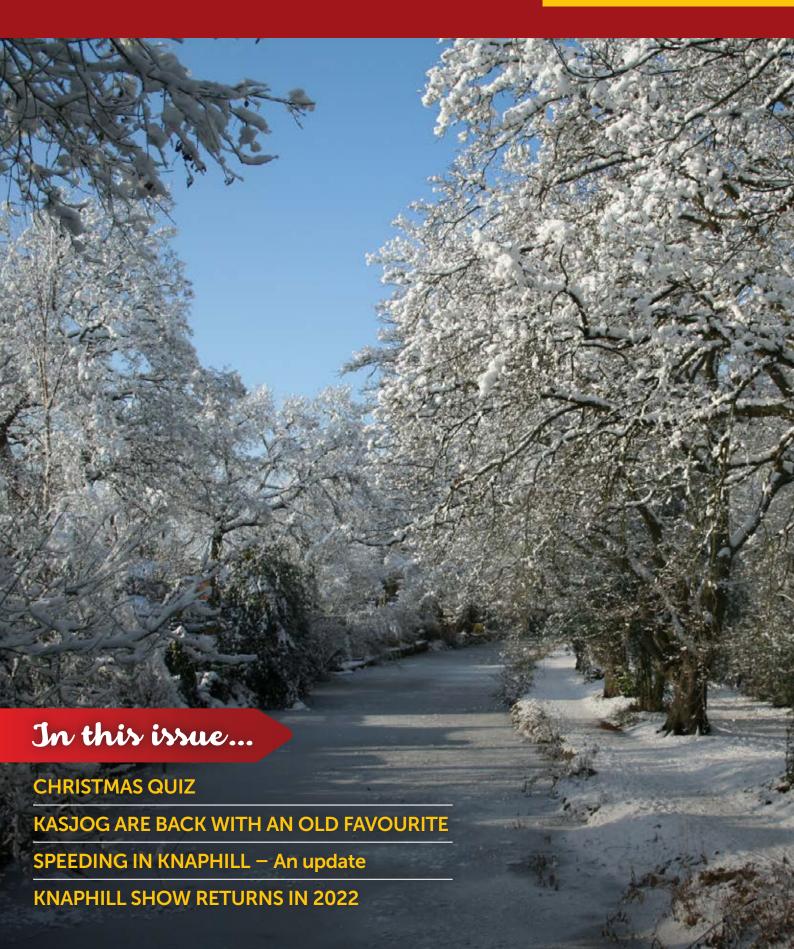
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Chairman's Report Christmas 2021



The Knaphill Facebook pages have been full of examples of speeding on local roads and the lack of parking enforcement. In this edition we have looked at options of reducing speed, taking 'good' examples from surrounding villages. There is no 'quick' solution but hopefully the article sets the scene, including next steps by Surrey County Council who look after our highways.

The KRA have been active around Knaphill recently. You may have noticed a deterioration in flower beds in the village. As I write, these have been tided up after a recent meeting with our councillors. Also, several picnic tables and seating in Sussex Park around the playground were installed during the summer.

We are also pleased that the KRA can go ahead with planning the Knaphill Show at Mizens again after a break of 2 years, which will be on Saturday 16th July 2022.

May I wish all our residents a happy Christmas lohn Butler

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SPEEDING IN KNAPHILL AN UPDATE

By John Butler, Chairman Knaphill Residents Association (KRA)

Feedback from many residents has speeding as a significant issue on many of our local roads. This includes Chobham Road, Lower Guildford Road, Anchor Hill, Redding Way, Robin Hood Road as well as the High Street, all 30mph restrictions. In summary the fear is that an accident is waiting to happen in Knaphill, especially during busy school times in the morning and afternoon. So, what can be done?

Councillor Saj Hussein mentioned at our recent KRA meeting that Surrey County Council have been asked to install 'cables' on a number of the 'main' Knaphill roads to monitor average speeds. This exercise is the first step in engaging Surrey County Council who are responsible for our highways.

Whilst awaiting the results I have set out some options below including some 'good' examples from villages around Knaphill.

I occasionally do traffic surveys for Surrey County Council and had an opportunity to observe traffic movements on the crossroads where the Garibaldi is. One Thursday in September over 12 hours (7am to 7pm) we had 5000 traffic movements entering and coming out of the High Street. The total



Raised bumps in the road slowing down vehicles approaching Pirbright Village



Traffic calming - slowing down vehicles entering Pirbright Village

number is not surprising. However, there were several instances of cars speeding along Chobham Road towards the traffic lights and some ignoring the lights and going through on red. I am sure you have seen many examples yourself.

So, what are the options?

- 1) Speed cameras, whist highly effective are prohibitively expensive and realistically this will not happen in Knaphill roads
- 2) Putting up 20mph speed limits requires a substantial amount of effort and agreement with Surrey County Council, taking around a year or more from initiation to agreement with the planning authorities. They act as a reminder to drivers to slow down but whether they are enforced is a different question. After traveling in Scotland recently they appear to be everywhere in villages and towns with main roads. Pictures of policeman and scarecrows close to the 20 mph signs, I found to be highly effective. The Horsell experience of new 20 mph signs also appear to have had the desired effect in slowing traffic down.
- 3) Traffic calming measure such as humps in the road that we have in Victoria Road or more likely slightly raised platforms in the

road without causing damage to vehicles. This could include bollards to narrow the road giving preference to vehicles in one direction, forcing vehicles to slow down.

Evidence suggests that a combination of 2 and 3 can be effective in slowing down traffic. The best example is Pirbright. There is a photo of slightly raised 'bumps' in the roads on the Cemetery Pales Road approaching Pirbright which certainly slows traffic down. Also, a photo where the road narrows giving preference to one way traffic next to 20mph signs as you approach Pirbright

The purpose of this article is to draw attention to the issues we have in Knaphill but also there are no easy options as it involves substantial time and effort and monies allocated to make changes.

The results of the speed monitoring exercise in Knaphill will be shared in the coming months. Once they are and with support from residents, we intend to organise a residents' meeting to review the issues and options, so we can take ideas forward to our councillors and Surrey County Council. In the meantime, I welcome any comments. I can be contacted at chairman@knaphill.org



Should we introduce in selected main roads in Knaphill?

KASJOG are back with an old favourite!



Knaphill & St Johns Operatic Group were extremely fortunate to have been able to mount our 2020 production of Gilbert & Sullivan's Patience at the Rhoda McGaw Theatre in Woking, just before the first lockdown in March. And now we are excited (and relieved!) to be back on stage again after a year's break rehearsing for the showstopper of all G&S operettas, *The Pirates of Penzance*.



You would have had to have been living on the planet Zog not to have lurking somewhere in your subconscious the trace of a familiar melody or phrase from probably the best-known and most popular of

all the Savoy Operas. *I Am the Very Model of a Modern Major-General* is one of the most referenced songs from the G&S repertoire and *A Policeman's Lot is Not a Happy One* is as pertinent a sentiment today as it has ever been!

Fiction and plays about pirates and buccaneers were ubiquitous in the 19th Century and so it was an obvious choice for the operatic duo's satirical and musical skills. Some commentators have said that the libretto is one of Gilbert's wittiest and the music reminiscent of great composers like Mozart and Gounod.

With that in mind we are delighted to be including additional music from Sullivan's original score: the sublime Hail Poetry (two versions), a nodding reference to *Pinafore* and an extended piece in praise of Queen Victoria.

Show dates for 2022 are: Wednesday 2 March to Saturday 5 March. Check our website **www.kasjog.co.uk** for further details and a booking link to The Ambassadors website – **atgtickets.com/venues/rhoda-mcgaw-theatre-woking** or call **0333 009 6690**.

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A selection of old Knaphill photos from various sources, including residents. If anyone has any old photos they are willing to share, please email chairman@knaphill.org. We would like to organise a presentation in Knaphill of old photos next year. Any comments on the photos can also be shared with the chairman.

1. Interesting streetlamp where Broadway joins High Street. 2. Anchor Hill free of traffic. 3. Holiday postcard greetings from Knaphill. 4. Looking down High Street towards Chobham Road. 5. A view towards Garibaldi taken from where Limecroft Road is today. 6. The first cars travelling down the High Street. 7. Garibaldi has not changed at all – notice the shop opposite. 8. Aerial view of Knaphill in 1965 – middle is Lower Guildford road with Northwood Avenue towards the top. Note the road at the bottom from Lower Guildford Road leading to Brookwood Hospital no longer exists (before Redding Way). 9. Tesco where the Library currently is, before the Post Office moved from further down the High Street.





Hello! I'm Jessica, Knaphill resident and managing director of The Warren, a new venue for small children and parents on Knaphill High Street.

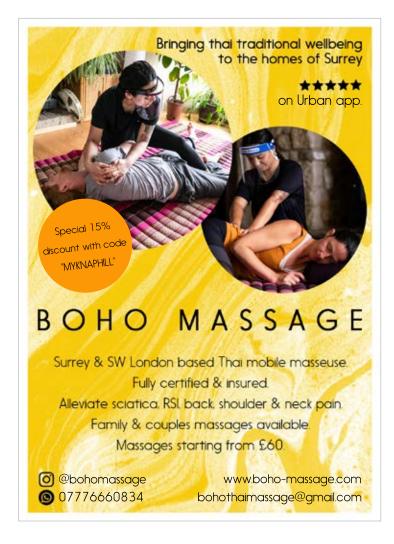
I have been running "Hartbeeps" classes, for babies from 6 weeks up to five year-olds on magical educational adventures through musical and sensory activities Guildford, across Woking, Aldershot and Surrey Heath over the past four years. I am a qualified baby yoga and baby massage instructor, and I'm also level four in Makaton which I sign throughout

my sessions. I work with Nickelodeon on their "Paw Patrol Live" tours, a job that has taken me all around the UK and overseas. I will shortly be going to the Netherlands for a few weeks to act as Associate Director and Choreographer for "Paw Patrol Live" there.

The idea behind The Warren is to provide a fixed venue for babies and parents to attend a variety of classes and have a magical experience in a safe and fun location. When I started running Hartbeeps classes in Knaphill, we held them in The Garibaldi, and through the support of our customers and the local community, the business has rapidly grown to the extent that I am now ready to launch The Warren as a permanent venue for Hartbeeps classes and hopefully much more.

The Warren is like nothing else we have in the village, and I hope it will become a great community facility for young children and parents locally. If you are interested in coming along, please do like and follow The Warren UK on Facebook and Instagram, or get in touch with me at hello@thewarrenuk.com









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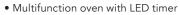
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1. In which year was Jesus probably born?

A) 5 BC **C)** 0

B) 1 BC **D)** AD 1

2. What was the first thing the angel Gabriel said to Mary when he entered her house in Nazareth?

A) 'Greetings, you who are highly favoured'

- B) 'Fear not'
- C) 'Is Joseph at home?'
- D) 'My name is Gabriel'

3. Which of the following animals were present when Jesus was born?

- A) A donkey and a cow
- B) A sheep and a cow
- C) A camel and a cow
- D) None as far as we know

4. What did the angels sing to the shepherds?

- A) 'For unto us a child is born'
- B) 'Glory to God in the highest'
- C) 'O come all ye faithful' D) 'In the bleak midwinter'

5. Because we are not sure whether Jesus was born on December 25 or 26. Christmas is celebrated on both days.

A) right B) wrong

6. How did Joseph and Mary travel from Nazareth to Bethlehem for the census?

- A) By car
- B) By camel
- C) On a donkey
- D) On foot
- E) We don't know

We are all going to celebrate Christmas,

but how well do you know the stories which gave rise to Christmas, the stories about the birth of Jesus Christ? Answers appear on page 13 of this issue.

7. What did the innkeeper say to Mary and Joseph on arrival in Bethlehem?

- A) We don't know.
- B) "Come back after the Christmas rush, then I will have room."
- C) "You can use my stable"
- D) "The inn is full."

8. How long had Mary and Joseph been married when Jesus was born?

- A) Three years
- B) They had been cohabiting for three years
- C) They were not yet married
- D) They travelled to Bethlehem to get married
- E) They never married

9. How did the shepherds know where to go to find Jesus?

- A) They asked about a child named Jesus
- B) They followed a star
- C) The angel had explained where it was
- D) They went on good luck.

10. What kind of people were the wise men from the East who came to visit

- A) Men with university degrees
- B) Oriental kings
- C) Astrologers
- D) Pharisees

11. When Jesus had been born, how many wise men came to visit him?

- A) Two
- B) Three
- C) Four
- D) We don't know

12. When the wise men told in Jerusalem that a king had been born.

- A) King Herod pretended not to have heard that
- B) King Herod turned purple with anger, for he knew immediately that it had to be the promised Christ.
- C) The whole city was in
- **D)** King Herod found out from his Bible where the Christ would be born

- 13. The baby Jesus cried...
- A) like all other babies
- B) only if it was really necessary
- C) on the long trip to Egypt
- D) never

14. Why did Joseph settle in Nazareth after fleeing to Egypt?

- A) Because he had always lived there
- B) Because he was afraid of King Herod's son
- C) Because he could get a job as a carpenter in Nazareth
- **D)** Because he wanted Jesus to grow up in a auiet environment

15. Where in the Bible can you find the answers to the above questions?

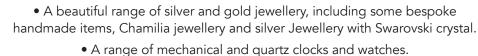
- A) In Matthew's gospel
- B) In Mark's Gospel
- C) In Luke's Gospel
- D) In John's Gospel
- E) In all four Gospel
- F) In none of the above
- G) Only in Matthew and Luke H) Only in John and Mark



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Knaphill Methodist Church

We have continued taking cautious steps to re-introduce some aspects of Church life and outreach to the community which had been suspended owing to the pandemic. We held three outdoor sales during the Summer on the paved area just in front of the church, serving coffees and teas as well. Many former regulars at our pre-Covid monthly Coffee Mornings came along and quite a few sat awhile on the chairs we had brought out, for a chat. On Saturday 25th September, we held our first INDOOR Coffee Morning since February 2020. Tables were spaced round our Welcome Area for sitting at with a drink, and windows and doors open for ventilation. We also asked people to sanitise their hands as they came in and wear masks unless seated at a table. We sold a few cakes this time, all pre-packaged to avoid handling. Each step towards what used to be standard practice feels very daring, but with no end to the circulation of the virus in sight, we feel we have to try to find ways to behave as near to normal as possible. All went well on this occasion, so we plan to hold sales on the 4th Saturday of each month – apart from 25th December!

We have also begun to plan for a resumption of the afternoon tea with carols for the elderly or anyone who lives alone on Sunday December 5th and we hope to have an evening Carol Service on Sunday 19th December.

We were very pleased that we were also able to re-open the clothing bank, Clothes 4 U, on Saturday 21st August. The number of visitors

on that occasion was not high, but those who came all managed to find suitable items from among the many lovely things we had been given. The second session of Clothes 4 U took place on September 18th and was very busy, so it was rewarding to see so many folk find clothing which would be useful to them. Again, all being well, this activity will continue in its regular slot of 2 to 4pm on the 3rd Saturday of the month. Among the clothing we have in our stock, we have a great many beautiful baby clothes, some sorted and bagged by age. If anyone reading this knows of a family in need who could use a bundle of baby clothes, please contact the KMC administrator, who will pass the request on.

Within our Church services, we are continuing to be cautious about sitting apart, and many folk retain their masks, but we have had teas and coffees after the service a few times now and hope this can continue each week. Services are still being kept slightly shorter than would formerly have been the case and Rev Dave Faulkner is still producing a weekly video for anyone who feels safer participating by viewing in their own home. We have invited former hirers to return and the majority have done so. Each group is required to take steps to reduce the risk of spreading Covid-19, of course, but it is good that they can meet again. We trust that all the resumed activities will be able to continue unchecked.

Lynda Shore

Oberammergau Passion Play



Have you ever considered going to the Passion Play? Due to the pandemic, the Passion Play was postponed in 2020 for 2 years so we can now invite you to join a Knaphill Village holiday to Austria and Oberammergau from the 13-29 July 2022.

5 nights in Strobl on Lake Wolfgang, 2 nights in Oberammergau. Cost £1,940 – single room supplement £265. A limited number of rooms are still available. Initial deposit of £600 to be made with booking, balance due 8 weeks before travel. Cost includes flights, half board accommodation, walking and coach trips out, gratuities, TOP GRADE tickets for the Passion Play.

Strobl village has been chosen as there are good walking opportunities both for people who enjoy a mountain hike or level strolls for the less energetic.

The Passion Play in Oberammergau came about towards the end of the 30 Years War in Central Europe when there was an outbreak of the plague in Bavaria. The elders of the village of Oberammergau in an effort to protect their village decided to seal it off from outside contact but an itinerant worker returned bringing the plague with him and it swept through the village whereupon the people solemnly vowed that if God would show his compassion and lift the



scourge, every 10 years they would enact the passion of our Lord. The plague left the village in 1633 and as a perpetual thanksgiving, and reaffirmation of faith, the villagers of Oberammergau have performed the Passion Play every 10 years ever since.

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Reflections of the *Voiceless* British

by Hassan Akberali

Hassan Akberali was born in 1951 when Tanganyika, later renamed Tanzania, was a British colony. The first ten years were under colonial rule as a British subject, the next two decades as a Tanzanian. Now a proud British citizen, and for over forty years, Britain he calls a blessed land is his home.

"Reflections of the Voiceless British" is about identity, race, belonging, education, social cohesion and opportunities. Hassan draws on a host of enthralling personal experiences, observations and political events. It is an unflinching account of how the human spirit can overcome life's injustices, cultural barriers and prejudice in twenty-first century multicultural Britain to leave a better legacy based on optimism for our children and grandchildren.

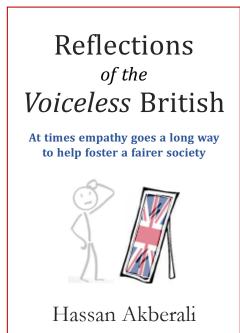
The memoir is a down-to-earth narrative by a community-led individual, not a career politician. Hassan is an eternal optimist with a passionate belief in the ultimate good of Britain and the Commonwealth. He sheds light on what it feels like to be on the receiving end and the difficulties faced by the voiceless to get heard.

By writing this book, Hassan explores why we should care and illustrates what we can achieve further if we try. He makes no claims of being an author or even a well-known celebrity invited to publish a book. Nor a politician, a philosopher, a historian or a scholar. He is also a stranger to any gilded lower or upper echelons of the 'establishment'. But what he has in common with the voiceless is that he has spent the best part of three decades ignored by the same' establishment' meant to listen to them. Hence, the inspiration for both his books has come from two sources: one, real-life experiences; the other, to narrate it as an ordinary person.

He recalls his earliest vivid memories of the British as a boy and why Britain was the first and only destination to pursue further education. Hassan left the world of scientific research in 1985, went into business in Woking, making Knaphill his home. He often writes in the local press and published thirty research papers in reputable scientific journals, including Nature.

The book will be available from the end of November on Amazon in paperback, eBook and free on Kindle unlimited. For

further information or if you prefer to order your copy from him, please send email to hopeandsharedvalues@gmail.com and tag a friend to the link on his Facebook page @DrHassanAkberali.







Surrey Author Jacquelynn Luben

In a previous edition of MyKnaphill, we briefly mentioned local author Jacquelynn Luben and her most recent book *Lost Innocents*, a crime drama inspired by a true story: a man is found dead next to an unconscious woman on the doorstep of a house in suburban Surrey, and the subsequent disappearance of a young boy from the same area.

Jacquelynn had always wanted to write but endured the rigours of office work before being able to realise her dream. After gaining a BA at Surrey University, she has now been writing for more than 30 years and has published six books

Our own local author Mal Foster managed to catch up with Jacquelynn, and shares his interview with her below:

"Can you describe your route to publication from concept to complete novel?

My original desire to write was dropped when I married, but losing my baby daughter through cot death inspired a book about the experience. I was then asked if I would write a self-help book, and Cot Deaths - Coping with Sudden Infant Death Syndrome was published.

After attending creative writing courses, I got together with two friends at a writers'

circle in Guildford to publish our books, and my next four books were published by this company, Goldenford Publishers.

Inspiration for a long book was always a problem. Short stories led to my first fiction book, *A Bottle of Plonk*. Then, interest in our family's genealogy gave me the idea for *Tainted Tree*, which looks back on four generations and the skeletons which are revealed when an adopted girl investigates her family history.

My crime novel, *Lost Innocents*, was more difficult, and I could only write it by thinking out the next scene and hoping an idea would materialise to take me further on! I had a rough idea of what was going to happen, but halfway through I had a complete mindchange, and the book developed in an unexpected way. I eventually finished it, to good reviews gratifyingly.

Do you have ideas for any future books?

I am working on a sequel to *Lost Innocents*, as I felt there were unresolved issues in it. For the moment, I am in the same frame of mind as when I was writing *Lost Innocents*. I struggle to write a few hundred words and then scratch my head as to what happens next. But I feel I owe it to my characters to give them "a second airing."

Jacquelynn's books are available at Amazon, Goldenford Publishers, Waterstones and other bookstores.



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Answer to the Christmas quiz on page 9.

1) A **2)** A **3)** D **4)** B **5)** B 6) E **7)** A 8) (**9)** C **10)** C **11)** D **12)** C **13)** A **15)** B **15)** G





Wat Phra Dhammakaya

Buddhist Temple



The Buddhist temple and meditation centre has been a colourful part of the Knaphill community since 2004. Perhaps it has taken the once-in-a-century experience of sitting with oneself through



a pandemic for many people to remind people of the importance of caring for one's own subjective wellbeing, or of gathering with others again in an uplifting environment of peace very different from our lockdown homes. Whatever the reason, the Dhammakaya International Society of the UK at the former Brookwood Hospital Chapel has bounced back since September with free-of-charge in-person classes of 10-30 students each Tuesday and Thursday evening between 7.00-8.30pm. Also the Buddhist-led ethos of the community has made it at popular educational oasis for school and scout groups out and about again to further their studies of diversity. Surrey Interfaith forum has recently recognized the uniquely valuable role of the meditation center in Knaphill as a beacon of hope for self-helpers in our county.



Knaphill Bowling Club



Have you ever thought about playing bowls? If so, why not give bowls a go? We had a very successful Summer 2021 season and are always keen to welcome new bowlers.

Knaphill Bowls Club was founded in 1926 and prides itself on its heritage. We are a friendly club with a first class green, a licensed bar and good parking facilities.

Whether you want to meet new people and bowl socially or are interested in bowling competitively, Knaphill Bowls Club is the club for you.









"I had never played bowls before but the help I received from the coaches was great as it helped me learn quickly. I wish I had done this years ago!" Member for 5 years

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As I write to you on a windy October night, images have flooded the media of the idea that our shops will be empty of turkeys and other Christmas goods. Shops are at risk of being left with empty shelves as the labour crisis, which may continue until next year,takes hold of the economy. The media hasn't helped by telling us Christmas is cancelled. Shock horror, but we have to ask ourselves the question in the cold light of day; does it really matter? No, it doesn't, but it's easier said than done.

Last year, with the lack of family and friends at our Christmas gatherings, I learnt a lesson that Christ still comes at Christmas and I very much need Him in my life. For the first time in my life there were just four of us around the table, myself, my parents and my middle brother. Growing up I had forty-eight cousins just on my mother's side, so Christmas was always a big deal and, for many years, it was hosted in a scout hall with family members bringing different dishes to the Christmas feast. Perfection is what we are sold when it comes to Christmas adverts, how shops like John Lewis or Aldi can sell us not only fairy lights, cranberry sauce and the favoured toy of the year. So what is a perfect Christmas?

Maybe Christmas has turned into a competition with everyone competing for the best decorated house and 'elf on the shelf' and other things festive. Our competition is the pressure of watching other people do things well on Instagram and Facebook. The photos might capture a moment but we don't know what's behind the scenes. Real life is never quite as idyllic as social media makes it appear, I also find this hard with my priest friends and their churches. I'm going to try really hard not to allow what I see there to become a standard for comparison. Overcoming my shortcomings will likely take a lifetime, so I will keep working on them. But, in the meantime, I'm going to remember the good things that I do, regardless of whether or not they make it onto social media.

In the cold light of day, we still come to Christmas with all the same issues, tensions and stresses. The perfect Christmas which we all long for does not depend on having posh crackers and maxing out the credit cards, but it's a journey and we're not all there yet. I am not here to slap you on the wrist, but to remind myself and you that our perfect Christmas is laying in the manger of Bethlehem and His name is Jesus. He was born for us to be reminded that He has come to be with us, as St John says in his Gospel, 'The word was made flesh and dwelt amongst us.' This, for me, is better then any brandy added to the Christmas cake, it's about His presence in my life, we don't have a God that is distant, we have a God that seeks us out, He forgives and loves us, He guides us, not from some remote kingdom, but by His nearness and unity.

It's hard to find space in our lives, and especially in the busy run up to Christmas but it's not impossible. My preparation for my community is to be more creative with this to help myself and others to restore that manger within our hearts. In the Gospel of Luke it says 'When the child Jesus was born, his mother Mary laid him in a manger' (Lk 2:7). The word "manger" comes from the Latin word munducare which means 'to eat'. A manger or crib is a food box that holds hay for larger farm animals like cattle, horses, and donkeys. Mangers were located wherever livestock were kept, places like stables, corrals or caves. Farmers were sure to keep their mangers well supplied with fodder at all times so the animals would never go hungry. With Christ at the centre we can never go hungry. His difference is everything. To keep Him at the centre of lives we need an open heart.

This Christmas, His mother Mary gives her son to you and me in the cradle of our hearts, but like with any baby we have to work hard in looking after and nurturing them. Being a Christian is not easy, This baby looks after us, He loves us with an unconditional love, but we have to work hard to keep Him at centre of our lives.

The shepherds can help us this Christmas. They are the most surprising visitors to see Christ. These men and their families were known for being honest and rough around the edges, they didn't live in nice houses and were certainly not middle class. They were often overlooked by people. They came as they were, in gruff humility, and they left the manger with their hearts burning with Love. Jesus hours old had already begun His saving work and fed them with grace and mercy. They were never the same as they were now at one with the Lord and ready to do His will and tell others about the baby who brought love to world. Let's try and learn from them.

I love Christmas and always will. It's not easy, with a mix of emotions, as we try to celebrate the best way we know - not because Nigella told us what makes for a good Christmas but because Christmas is needed in our lives. It is the bundle of joy to remind us, because we forget so easily that our God is with us.

Heaven came down at Christmas Join us to celebrate this December

	KNAPHILL	BAPTIST	CHURCH
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Sunday	28th November	11.00am	First Sunday in Advent
Sunday	5th December	11.00am	Second Sunday in Advent
Saturday	11th December	TBA	Santa visits the Baptist Church Book via Eventbrite.co.uk
Sunday	2th December	11.00am	Pop-Up Nativity
Sunday	19th December	11.00am	Christingle Service
		5.00pm	Carols by Candlelight, featuring the World Premiere
			performance by our Children's choir
Saturday	25th December	10.30am	Christmas Day Celebration
Sunday	26th December		No service

KNAPHILL METHODIST CHURCH

Sunday	19th December	6.30pm	Carols by Candlelight
Saturday	25th December	10.00am	Christmas Day Family Service

HOLY TRINITY KNAPHILL AND ST SAVIOUR'S BROOKWOOD

Saturday	27th November	4.00 – 6.00pm	Christingle at Holy Trinity
Sunday	28th November	10.00am	Advent Service at Holy Trinity
Sunday	5th December	10.00am	Advent Puppet Service at St. Saviour's
Sunday	12th December	6.30pm	Carols by Candlelight at St Saviour's
Sunday	19th December	10.00am	Pop Up Nativity at Holy Trinity
		10.00am	Christmas Café Church at St Saviour's
		6.30pm for 7.00pm	Campfire Carols at Holy Trinity
Tuesday	21st December	7.30pm	The Longest Night Service at Holy Trinity
Friday	24th December	3.30pm and 4.45pm	Puppet Crib Service at St Saviour's
		11.15pm	Midnight Holy Communion by Candlelight at St Saviour's
Saturday	25th December	10.00am	Christmas Day Celebration at Holy Trinity
Sunday	26th December	10.00am	Boxing Day Holy Communion at St Saviour's

ST HUGH'S ROMAN CATHOLIC CHURCH

Friday	24th December	9.00am	Holy Mass
		5.00pm	Family Mass - Vigil of the Nativity
		7.00pm	Family Mass - Vigil of the Nativity
		11.45pm	Carols
Saturday	/ 25th December	12.00am	The Nativity of the Lord Midnight Mass
		8.00am	Holy Mass of the Dawn in the Extraordinary Form
		9.30am	Solemn Mass of the Day
		11.30am	Mass during the Day
Sunday	26th December	8.30am	Holy Mass in the Extraordinary Form
The Solem	nity of the Holy Family	10.30am	Holy Mass