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# **Cornerstone City Church**

# **Peninsula Plus Community**

Hoo Are Ya

21st December 2025



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PRAYER



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# Joy To The World

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Joy to the world the Lord has come

Let earth receive her King

Let ev'ry heart prepare Him room

And heaven and nature sing

And heaven and nature sing

And heaven heaven and nature sing



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Joy to the world the Saviour reigns  
Let men their songs employ  
While fields and floods rocks hills and  
plains  
Repeat the sounding joy  
Repeat the sounding joy  
Repeat repeat the sounding joy



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He rules the world with truth and grace  
And makes the nations prove  
The glories of His righteousness  
And wonders of His love  
And wonders of His love  
And wonders and wonders of His love



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# Angels (Glory To God)

Phil Wickham



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Glo - o-o-o-o o-o-o-o o-o-o-o - ria

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Angels we have heard on high  
Sweetly singing o'er the plains  
And the mountains in reply  
Echoing their joyous strains



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Glo - o-o-o-o o-o-o-o o-o-o-o - ria

In excelsis Deo



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Shepherds why this jubilee?  
Why your joyous strains prolong?  
What the gladsome tidings be  
Which inspire your heav'n - ly song?



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Glo - o-o-o-o o-o-o-o o-o-o-o - ria  
In excelsis Deo  
(REPEAT)



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Glory to God! Glory to God!  
Glory to God in the highest forever!

For all He has done, His unfailing love  
Glory to God in the highest forever!



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Come to Bethlehem and see  
Him Whose birth the angels sing  
Come, adore on bended knee  
Christ the Lord, the new – born King



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Glo - o-o-o-o o-o-o-o o-o-o-o - ria  
In excelsis Deo  
(REPEAT)



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Glory to God! Glory to God!  
Glory to God in the highest forever!

For all He has done, His unfailing love

Glory to God in the highest forever!

(REPEAT)



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Gloria! Gloria!  
Glory to God in the highest  
(REPEAT)



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PRAYER



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# O Little Town Of Bethlehem

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Ben Trigg | Phillips Brooks

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O little town of Bethlehem  
How still we see thee lie  
Above thy deep and dreamless sleep  
The silent stars go by  
Yet in thy dark streets shineth  
The everlasting Light  
The hopes and fears of all the years  
Are met in thee tonight



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For Christ is born of Mary  
And gathered all above  
While mortals sleep

The angels keep their watch of wondering love  
O morning stars together  
Proclaim the holy birth  
And praises sing to God the King  
And peace to men on earth



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How silently how silently  
The wondrous gift is given  
So God imparts to human hearts  
The blessings of His heaven  
No ear may hear His coming  
But in this world of sin  
Where meek souls will receive Him still  
The dear Christ enters in



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O holy Child of Bethlehem  
Descend to us we pray  
Cast out our sin and enter in  
Be born in us today  
We hear the Christmas angels  
The great glad tidings tell  
O come to us abide with us  
Our Lord Emmanuel



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PRAYER



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# Hope Has A Name

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Breaking through the silence  
With glory in the highest  
The hope of all creation  
Resting in his mother's arms



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A song on the horizon  
Ringing through the heavens  
The long-awaited Savior  
Come to set the captives free  
Come to set the captives free  
Come set us free



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Hope has a name  
Emmanuel  
The Light of the World  
Who broke through the darkness  
All hail the King  
Emmanuel  
The Light of the World  
The Glory of Heaven



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We didn't see it coming  
The story of redemption  
What started in a manger  
Ended in an empty grave  
Oh I know that



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Come if you're broken

Come if you're searching

If you need healing

He's where you find it

Lay down your burdens

And breathe in forgiveness

If you need freedom

He's where you find it



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Hope has a name  
Emmanuel  
The Light of the World  
Who broke through the darkness  
All hail the King  
Emmanuel  
The Light of the World  
The Glory of Heaven



# CHURCH NOTICES





# December 2025

MONDAY	WEDNESDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
1st	3rd 8pm - 9pm <b>PRAYER at Rod &amp; Penny's Zoom &amp; In Person</b>	6th	7th 10:30am <b>Phil Preaching Advent 1</b> <i>Prep Xmas Boxes for 20<sup>th</sup> Dec Outreach</i> <b>Kids Work</b>
8th	10th 8pm - 9pm <b>PRAYER at Rod &amp; Penny's Zoom &amp; In Person</b>	13th	14th 10:30am <b>ALL-IN AT MID KENT COLLEGE</b> 
15th	17th 8pm - 9pm <b>PRAYER at Rod &amp; Penny's Zoom &amp; In Person</b>	20th 10am - Noon <b>Val &amp; Team Harvest Outreach in Hoo.</b> 	21st 10:30am <b>HOO'S GOT TALENT CHRISTMAS SERVICE</b> 
22nd - 7:30pm <b>Peninsula Prayer &amp; Praise: Carols at Buckland Farm, Cliffe</b> 	24th <i>Christmas Eve</i>	27th	28th <b>NO SERVICE IN HOO</b> 
29th	31ST <i>New Year's Eve</i>		

## Cornerstone Central Events

Sat 6<sup>th</sup> - Jaspers Community Café at The Dickens Festival, Rochester

Sun 7th - CTIM Payer, Chatham 6pm - 8pm - TBC

Sun 21st - ENCOUNTER Jasper Centre 8pm - 9:30pm - TBC

Weds 31<sup>st</sup> - NYE Crossover Service hosted by Richard K-Acheampong



**Hoo Peninsula & Strood**  
**Community Prayer Meeting**  
**Wednesday 8 - 9pm**  
**At Rod & Penny's:**  
**28 Woodside Green**  
**Cliffe Woods, ME 3 8JY**





# Prayer Requests

We're here to share in each others' experiences and lift each other in prayer. Whatever you're facing – whether it's a cause for joy, a challenge weighing you down, or a particular intention you're holding close to your heart – we want to join you in prayer.

***Please place your prayer requests in the box at the back of the hall  
and we will pray for you at our weekly prayer meeting.***





Join us for...



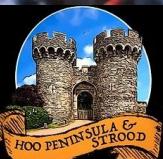
22<sup>nd</sup> December  
2025  
6 - 8pm

# *Carols round the fire pit*

Dress warmly

Drinks &  
refreshments available

THE BARN AT BUCKLAND  
Buckland Farm, Cliffe,  
Rochester, Kent, ME3 7RT



SUNDAY 21<sup>ST</sup> DECEMBER 10:30AM  
(CHRISTMAS SERVICE)



# CHRISTMAS TALENT SHOW!



SHINE LIKE A STAR



CORNERSTONE  
CITY CHURCH

The Hundred of Hoo Academy,  
Main Road, Hoo



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Wilfred sharing his testimony

Wilfred singing a xmas song with Kids (TBC)

Parv will sing a song.

Sheri is doing a song

Merry Christmas Everyone by Shakin' Stevens - Jamin on Acoustic guitar

Joy to the World by Chris Tomlin - Jasiel on drums with Eric on keyboards

Dele, Tony and Aliyah performing a Xmas song.

Dele and Adam performing a song they both co-wrote.

Stacey who wants to do a quizz.

## WORK-IN-PROGRESS



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## 2 Corinthians 14

May the grace of the Lord Jesus Christ, and  
the love of God, and the fellowship of the  
Holy Spirit be with us all.

And....

Surely goodness and mercy shall follow us  
all the days of our lives, and we shall dwell  
in the house of the Lord forever.

