



Following the success St Michael's and All Angels Church, Stokenham's first ever Christmas festival in 2024, I am writing to invite you to take part in the 2025 "Christmas Tree Festival".

This years theme will be **"The Joy of Christmas"**

This will take place from **27th November through to 30th November.**

- You will need a Christmas tree, which can be real, artificial or created by you (homemade).
- The space you will have will be 3ft by 3ft and will be off the ground resting on top of the pews, there will be boards to place your tree on.
- The tree should be no more than 4ft high.
- Battery operated Christmas tree lights may be used. Please supply spare batteries in a named box next to your tree.
- Tree decorations to go with your chosen Christmas theme.

The over riding theme for the "Festival" will be 'The joy of Christmas' this could be Christmas food, Christmas cards/presents. After last years brilliant ideas I am sure the event will be as colourful and festive.

The Christmas tree festival will run from

- Thursday 27th November 3pm - 6pm
- Friday 28th November 11am – 6pm
- Saturday 29th November 11am – 6pm
- Sunday 30th November 11am "Tree Decorating" 1pm – 6pm last afternoon of festival.

As we did last year Wednesday 26th in the afternoon and Thursday 27th will be preparation time

We will be running the "Church Café" for refreshments – cakes, mince pies, teas and coffees. Any contributions welcome.

Entry to the event will be free to take part and free entry to the public with a donation tub for the ongoing repairs to St Michael's.

There are a few extra events happening over the 3 main days. Being finalised as I invite you to this special community event.



We have space for 25 trees so look at your diary and get booked in.

This event will not happen without your support, lets make this as special as our first Christmas Tree festival in 2024.

Please let Hannah in the office know if you are coming to join us.

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