

## Readings & Collects

(Set Readings from the Church of England for the principal service of the day)



### Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> December Advent 4

2 Samuel 7: 1-11, 16  
Psalm 89: 1-4, 19-26  
Romans 16: 25-end  
Luke 1: 26-38

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Eternal God,  
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so we wait for his coming in glory;  
bring us through the birth pangs of this present age  
to see, with her, our great salvation  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Zephaniah 3: 14-18  
Psalm 33: 1-4, 11-12, 20-end  
Luke 1: 39-45

#### Tuesday

1 Samuel 1: 24-end  
Psalm 113  
Luke 1: 46-56

#### Wednesday

Malachi 3: 1-4, 4: 5-end  
Psalm 25: 3-9  
Luke 1: 57-66

#### Thursday – Christmas Eve

2 Samuel 7: 1-5, 8-11, 16  
Psalm 89: 2, 19-27  
Acts 13: 16-26  
Luke 1: 67-79

#### Friday – Christmas Day

Isaiah 52: 7-10  
Psalm 98  
Hebrews 1: 1-4  
John 1: 1-14

#### Saturday – Boxing Day

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