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Dear Parents/Guardians

CAROL SERVICE – MONDAY 17 DECEMBER 2018

Our annual Carol Service will be held as usual in the Cathedral on Monday 17 December beginning at 7.30 pm and ending about 8.30 pm. To allow the Service to start on time it would be helpful if you could be **seated by 7.20 pm**.

We are very fortunate to be able to hold our service of lessons and carols in such a splendid setting and we hope that, once again this year, the Cathedral will be filled to capacity. I do hope you will be able to accompany your son to what is the principal occasion in the School's Advent Calendar. I would like as many pupils, BWS alumni, Parents and Governors as possible to be present at the Service. Apart from boys taking part in the Service, the rest of the school are not seated in any particular place on this occasion, although please bear in mind there is a reserved seating area at the front of the nave, which should not be used by parents or boys.

After the Service, a collection will be taken, the proceeds from which will be donated to a charity chosen by the boys' Charity Committee.

Please note: We are unfortunately unable to offer you any parking on the school site and, except for the disabled, parking is no longer permitted in the Cathedral Close; so please allow time to find somewhere to park.

CHRISTMAS CONCERT – THURSDAY 13 DECEMBER 2018

Parents and friends are warmly invited to attend the Christmas Concert which will be held this year in St Martin's Church on Thursday 13 December. The concert will feature performances by the School Choir, Junior Orchestra, Clarinet Group, String Group, Jazz Band, A Level Singers and soloists. Please note that the concert will start at 7pm this year and there is no parking available at the church. Admission is free with a retiring collection.

We look forward to seeing you at both occasions.

Yours sincerely

S D Smallwood
Head Master