



# **The BIG Gift 2015**

## ***St Nicholas***

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## ***Crib Exhibition***



Schools and churches across Suffolk are being invited to take part in this Diocesan-wide exhibition in the Autumn 2015.

The exhibition will run from Advent Sunday  
**29 November – 14 December**  
at St. Edmundsbury Cathedral and in parish churches across  
the Diocese.

The St. Nicholas exhibits will be exhibited at the Cathedral and the cribs, consisting of life-size figures, will be dispersed amongst various churches. The cribs will then be returned to schools for their own Christmas celebrations and hopefully offered to local churches for Christmas services.

We invite you to participate in this project and initiate your own activities and celebrations around the exhibition. It provides an opportunity to reflect on the importance of 'giving' rather than 'receiving'; to tell the real Christmas story; to invite members of your local community to join in your programme of activities or come to a carol service.

We will be offering Briefing meetings on Tuesday 29 September, Wednesday 30 September and Thursday 1 October at various venues as well as providing resources to support this project.

Contact us NOW if you would like to be part of this exciting venture.

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