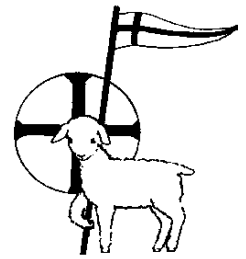


St John the Baptist Church, Tisbury

reflecting Jesus Christ



Sunday 10th January

The Baptism of Christ

The First Sunday of Epiphany; Plough Sunday

Today's Services

Please note, there is no service of Holy Communion at Fonthill Bishop at 8.00am today

9.30am Parish Communion

President and Preacher: The Revd Juliette Hulme

During the service, the following hymns will be played:

352 Crown him with many crowns; 52 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness;

12 On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry; A New Year Carol Benjamin Britten

49 Brightest and best of the sons of the morning

Organ voluntary: Choral Song SS Wesley

The plough will be blessed outside the North Door at the end of the service

We'd love to see you in church, but for those who are shielding or who feel safer at home during lockdown, there is a service of Parish Communion on Zoom at 9.30am, led by clergy of the Nadder Valley team from their homes.

Covid-19 advice from the Church of England

- Please ensure that your mask covers your nose and mouth
- Please re-sanitise your hands before receiving Communion
- After the service, please greet each other outside and refrain from socialising in the church
- Congregational singing is still not allowed

Wednesday 13th January at 10.00am Holy Communion in St Andrew's Chapel

We plan also to stream the service live via Zoom, on the usual code

Next Sunday, 17th January

The Second Sunday of Epiphany

9.30am Parish Communion

President: The Revd Juliette Hulme

1 Samuel 3.1-10; John 1.43-51

There will be no service of Evensong at 6.00pm

Please note this change to the previously published rota

Services online

Holy Communion (Common Worship) is streamed live via Zoom on Sundays at 9.30am and on Wednesdays at 10.00am, and on Fridays at 8.00am (BCP) <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84966332040> Password: 039012

The daily Office is streamed via Zoom Monday to Friday – full details on the website.

In Memoriam

Please pray for the family and friends of the late Julian Vining as they prepare for his funeral on Wednesday

For your prayers

Please pray that the Coronavirus vaccination programme will be successful in stemming the spread of the virus, for all who are suffering in any way as a result of the virus, and for those who are anxious or lonely.

Please continue to pray for the Church in Sudan and in South Sudan, and for Bishop Elijah and the pastors and people of the Diocese of Cueibet.



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The Baptism of Christ

The Collect

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

The Old Testament Reading: Genesis 1.1-5

The Gospel: Mark 1.4-11

John the baptizer appeared in the wilderness, proclaiming a baptism of repentance for the forgiveness of sins. And people from the whole Judean countryside and all the people of Jerusalem were going out to him, and were baptized by him in the river Jordan, confessing their sins. Now John was clothed with camel's hair, with a leather belt around his waist, and he ate locusts and wild honey. He proclaimed, 'The one who is more powerful than I is coming after me; I am not worthy to stoop down and untie the thong of his sandals. I have baptized you with water; but he will baptize you with the Holy Spirit.'

In those days Jesus came from Nazareth of Galilee and was baptized by John in the Jordan. And just as he was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'

Advent boxes

Thank you to those of you who took Advent Boxes in aid of Safe Passage UK www.safepassage.org.uk Please would you return them by the end of January by placing them on the shelf near the North entrance?

Coffee Time!

Fancy a cuppa and a chat? Feeling isolated? We meet on Zoom every Friday morning for an hour or so starting at 10.00 am. Hosted by the Revd Joanna Naish. Just click on the link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81306923058?pwd=U2VBWDhodkppZDKrdEhuUEc0aFpYdz09> Passcode: 567559
or phone 0203 481 5237 Meeting ID: 813 0692 3058 Passcode: 567559

Christmas Decorations

We haven't forgotten to take the Christmas trees down! Traditionally Christmas decorations were kept up until the Eve of Candlemas at the beginning of February, being superseded in the 17th century by the custom of taking them down on Twelfth Night. We hope you will enjoy the cheerful lights of the Christmas trees for a few more weeks!

Carol Concert on YouTube

If you missed the Carol Concert (or would like to hear it again) you can watch it on YouTube. Go to <https://youtu.be/GB7YA5jibHA>

If you need support

As always, the Revd Juliette Hulme (Parish Priest) is available to give pastoral and spiritual support (see over)

Other useful numbers with trained listeners (calls to these numbers are free):

The Samaritans 116 123

Childline 0800 1111

Domestic Abuse Helpline 0808 2000 247

Silverline (age 55+) 0800 4 70 80 90

Wiltshire Domestic Abuse Helpline 01225 775276 [weekends and out of hours 01793 610610]

Tisbury Neighbourhood Response is providing an emergency service for people shielding who have no local support network, or who may be falling through the net due to mental health issues, and need urgent assistance with essential shopping, keeping warm or coping with loneliness and anxiety. The TNR helpline is 01747 684010.

Giving to the church

Thank you very much to those who continue to give regularly to the church. If you haven't committed to regular giving, why not consider joining the Parish Giving Scheme or setting up a standing order? Details from Paul Naish, email sjgiftaid@gmail.com tel 01747 870731 mob 07587 072900. Our income dropped significantly during the first lockdown, while expenses continued; any donations would be very welcome. Cheques payable to Tisbury PCC.

