

## **SUNDAY 12<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

8.00 Holy Communion (Mother Cate/Dave Heather)  
9.15 Parish Eucharist (Mother Cate/Dave Heather)  
11.15 Holy Baptism (Mother Cate)  
6.00 Evening Prayer (Geoff Marchant)

## **MONDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JANUARY** *Hilary, Bishop of Poitiers, Teacher of the Faith, 367*

12.00 Funeral – Pamela Johnson (Rev. Wyn) 7.45-9.30 Bellringers Practice Night

## **TUESDAY 14<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

7.30 Holy Communion (Mother Cate) 8.00 Worship & Liturgy Committee  
8.00 Young Adults Group

## **WEDNESDAY 15<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

9.30-11.00 Toddler Time 12.00 Holy Communion (Mother Cate)  
1.30 – 3.00 Toddler Time

## **THURSDAY 16<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

10.00 Holy Communion MU Corporate (Mother Cate)

## **FRIDAY 17<sup>th</sup> JANUARY** *Antony of Egypt, Hermit, Abbot, 356*

1.30 Crafty Natter 6.45 Trebles Choir Practice 7.30 Adults Choir Practice  
7.40 Full Choir Practice

## **SATURDAY 18<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

9.00 Holy Communion (Canon Malcolm)

## **SUNDAY 19<sup>th</sup> JANUARY**

8.00 Holy Communion (Mother Cate)  
9.15 Parish Eucharist (Mother Cate)  
11.15 All Age Communion (Mother Cate)  
6.00 Choral Evensong with Benediction (Canon Malcolm)

## **The Baptism of Christ**

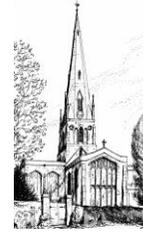
# **All Saints Parish Church, Leighton Buzzard**

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## **Sunday 12<sup>th</sup> January 2020**

### **The Baptism of Christ**

We warmly welcome all visitors and newcomers to our church. If any of you are from other denominations and are accustomed to receiving Communion in your own church you are welcome to here. Coffee will be served in the North Transept after the Service. For the hard of hearing the church is equipped with a loop system. Switch to T please. Gluten free wafers are available by prior arrangement.

**The news sheet is for you to retain and use for reference and prayer**

### **Today's services**

**8.00am Holy Communion** (Mother Cate)

**9.15am Sung Eucharist** (Mother Cate/Dave Heather)

*Readings: RCL: Year A: Page: 37*

*Setting: Music for Common Worship*

Introit: 342

HYMNS ANCIENT & MODERN

*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 was 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.

1<sup>st</sup> Reading Isaiah 42: 1-9

Psalm: 29

**Response: Holy, holy, holy is God the Sovereign Lord of all.**

Ascribe to the Lord, you sons of heaven: ascribe to the Lord glory and might. Ascribe to the Lord the honour due to his name: O worship the Lord in the beauty of his holiness. The voice of our Lord is upon the waters: the God of glory thunders, the Lord upon the great waters. The voice of the Lord is mighty in operation: the voice of the Lord is a glorious voice.

## **Epiphany 2**

**Please switch your mobile phones to silent during the service.**

**You are kindly requested to replace your kneeler after the service.**

The voice of the Lord breaks the cedar-trees: the Lord breaks in pieces the cedars of Lebanon. He makes them skip like a calf: Lebanon and Sirion like a young wild ox. The voice of the Lord divides the lightning-flash: the voice of the Lord whirls the sands of the desert, the Lord whirls the desert of Kadesh.

The voice of the Lord rends the terebinth trees, and strips bare the forests: in his temple all cry 'Glory'. The Lord sits enthroned above the water-flood: the Lord sits enthroned as a king for ever. The Lord will give to his people the blessing of peace.

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Acts 10: 34-43  
Gradual Hymn: 526  
Gospel: Matthew 31: 13-17  
Preacher: Dave Heather  
Intercessions: Bill Webb  
Offertory Hymn: 53

*During this time please observe a period of quiet reflection, as we receive Communion*

Anthem: Tomorrow shall be my dancing day - Gardener  
Communion Hymn: 442  
Post Communion: 142

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**11.15am Holy Baptism** Anson James Craig Hardy (Mother Cate)

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**6.00pm Evening Prayer** (Geoff Marchant)

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**IN YOUR PRAYERS PLEASE REMEMBER**

*Sick:* Tony Simpson, Michael Grant, Marie Brooker, Mike Nash,  
Derek Dell, Andrew Munford, Pat Munroe, Peter Kiddle,  
Ava Palmer

*RIP:*

*Year's Mind:* Rita Shephard, Elsie Molloy, Anthony Adams, Annie Norman,  
Mary Dell, Dennis Holroyd, Danny Munroe

*In our Team:* Pray for the Leighton Linslade Homeless Service  
*In the World:* Pray for Shelter and other charities supporting the Homeless  
*In the Diocese:* Pray for the Bishop of St. Albans  
*In the Wider Church:* Pray for the Archbishop of Canterbury

**NOTICES:**

**PULFORD SCHOOL:** Please note there is a new scheme in place with regard to meeting the Religious Affiliation criteria in support of an application to Pulford School. Please collect a pack from the office.

**UNWANTED REALLY IS WANTED:** All Saints Preservation Trust is again appealing for unwanted Christmas presents to sell on its spring stall. Please don't put them in a cupboard and forget about them but bring them into Dillamore's Furnishers in the High Street, and the Trust will recycle them on their stall to benefit the church. Items should be unused and unopened.

**WHAT'S ON?**

**BOARD GAMES:** This Tuesday 14th January join the Young Adults Group for a fun and friendly but perhaps just slightly competitive evening of board gaming from 8pm in the Coffee Shop. Bring your favourite game to share. YAG is for anyone over 18. Speak to Nick or Esther Clarke or any other YAG member for details.

**WEEK OF PRAYER FOR CHRISTIAN UNITY SERVICE:** St Barnabas Church at 3pm on Sunday 19<sup>th</sup> January. All welcome.

**BIBLE BOOK CLUB:** The next meeting of the Bible Book Club will be on Friday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 7 pm in the Jim Chesterfield Room upstairs round the back of St Barnabas's Church Hall, in the Dorothy Hall Suite. We will be discussing the story of Elijah and Elisha, which runs from 1 Kings 17 to 2 Kings 9, and then also 2 Kings 13:14 – 21.

**LADIES BREAKFAST:** I would like to extend an invitation to the ladies of All Saints to the next ladies breakfast at which Rev Cate Irvine will be speaking. It will be held on Saturday 25<sup>th</sup> January at Pulfords School at 9.00am. There will be a £5 charge, and attendees contact details need to be sent to me in advance to enable folk to be contacted about menu choices. Clare Nichols (a member of the Church of the Good Shepherd congregation) [clarenichols@btinternet.com](mailto:clarenichols@btinternet.com)

**FOREST CHURCH:** 26th January 7:30pm we will be holding a Forest Church Compline in All Saints, a quiet, reflective service of night prayer. The next 11:15am Forest Church will be on the 15<sup>th</sup> of March.

**SUPPORTING ANIMAL REHABILITATION 'DOWN UNDER':** Following the devastating bushfires in Australia, we are holding a fundraising evening on Thursday 13<sup>th</sup> February from 7pm, with all proceeds going to a local fund in South Australia supporting their work with rescued wildlife. Tickets are £15.00 including good food and tasting Australian wines. Limited spaces, so sign up in the Parish Office as soon as possible!

