



**Parish Church of
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Welcome and please join us for refreshments in the Hall after the service.

Please do take this pewsheet away with you to remind you about our other services & events

Sunday 6th January 2013

The Epiphany of the Lord

08:00 Eucharist 10:30 Parish Eucharist

Other Eucharist Times plus Services this week:

Monday , Tuesday, Thursday, Friday - 10:00 Eucharist

Wednesday 17:00 Evening Prayer 18:30 Eucharist

**Saturday 11:30 Eucharist 12:30 Memorial Service - Audrey Chapman
17:00 Evening Prayer**

Sunday 13th January 2013

The Baptism of the Lord

**08:00 Eucharist 10:30 Parish Eucharist with Healing Ministry
18:00 Choral Evensong**

Chichester Diocesan Kalendar for this coming week

(Principal Feasts and other Principal Holy Days, Festivals, other days and Lesser Festivals, Commemorations, Commemoration of saints, 'significant dates' and the obits of the Bishops of Chichester)

- 6 Robert Waldby 1389, Bishop of Chichester.
St Andre Bessette, Religous. 1937
- 7 St Raymond of Penyafort, Priest, 1275.
Philip Nicholas Shuttleworth 1842 Bishop of Chichester
- 8 Adam Moleyns 1450 Bishop of Chichester
- 10 William Laud, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1645
- 11 Mary Slessor, Missionary in West Africa, 1915
Simon Sydenham 1438 Bishop of Chichester
- 12 St Aelred of Hexham, Abbot of Rievaulx, 1167
St Benedict Biscop, Abbot of Wearmouth, Scholar, 689
- 13 St Hilary, Bishop of Poitiers, Teacher of the Faith, 367
St Kentigern (Mungo), Missionary Bishop in Strathclyde and Cumbria, 603
George Fox, Founder of the Society of Friends (the Quakers), 1691

Hymn 277 - Jesus shall reign

Collect for the Day

O God, who by the leading of a star manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: mercifully grant that we, who know you now by faith, may at last behold your glory face to face; 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 First Reading - Isaiah 60:1-6

A reading from the Prophet Isaiah

Responsorial Psalm 71 (Psalm 72 in BCP)

Response: All nations shall fall prostrate before you, O Lord

O God, give your judgement to the king,
to a king's son your justice,
that he may judge your people in justice
and your poor in right judgement. **R/.**

In his days justice shall flourish
and peace till the moon fails.
He shall rule from sea to sea,
from the Great River to earth's bounds. **R/.**

The kings of Tarshish and the sea coasts shall pay him tribute.
The kings of Sheba and Seba shall bring him gifts.
Before him all kings shall fall prostrate,
all nations shall serve him. **R/.**

For he shall save the poor when they cry
and the needy who are helpless.
He will have pity on the weak
and save the lives of the poor. **R/.**

The Second Reading - Ephesians 3:1-12

A Reading from the Letter of Saint Paul to the Ephesians

Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

We saw his star as it rose
and have come to pay homage to the Lord..

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Gospel - Matthew 2:1-12

Offertory Hymn 193 - Hail to the Lord's anointed

Prayer over the gifts

Look with favour, Lord, we pray, on these gifts of your Church, in which are offered now not gold or frankincense or myrrh, but he who by them is proclaimed, sacrificed and received, Jesus Christ. Who lives and reigns for ever and ever. Amen.

Communion Sentence

We have seen his star in the East, and have come with gifts to adore the Lord.

**Communion Hymn 32 - And now, O Father, mindful of the love
Anthem - Bethlehem, of noblest cities.....Rex Latter**

Post Communion Prayer

Lord God, the bright splendour whom the nations seek: may we who with the wise men have been drawn by your light discern the glory of your presence in your Son, the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Hymn 296 - Let all the world in ev'ry corner sing

PLEASE PRAY FOR

Our Schools Nyewood Junior School, Nyewood Infants School; for all the staff, governors, parents and pupils of both schools.



The Sick - Christine Harris, Oliver Baxter-Smith, Shirley Johnson, Cherry Ward, Joanna Holley, Robert Harris, Geoff Tooley, Evelyn Gibb, John Bywater, John Cooper, Patricia Bratt, Anne Vincent, Michael Soare, Philip Dawe, Bethany Chiddle, Father Ramon

The Departed - George Payne, Walter Mason, Joan Core, Annie Bennett

DIARY DATES

Volunteers needed:

St. Wilfrid's Youth Group Age 11+

Fridays 7pm to 8.15pm

If you are able to help or would like further information please contact

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MENS BREAKFAST

12th January 9.00am

Church Hall

Bookings: John Wood



St. Wilfrid's Sunday School

Dear parents please note there will be no Sunday School on 30th December and 6th January during the school holidays. We will restart on 13th January 2013. Thank you for your support.

A message from Janine our Choir Trainer

I'm interested in getting some more singers for the choir, and during the Communion hymn I am fortunate enough to have the congregation going past me and have, on more than one occasion, heard one or two voices that might make a good addition. If anybody who would be interested in joining the choir please have a word with me at coffee, either this Sunday, or a Sunday that is convenient. I am happy to offer some sessions on either a Saturday or Sunday afternoon for basic theory, if people are concerned about not being able to read music. Janine.

House Groups

House Group Thursday fortnightly 7:30 pm New members welcome.

☎ Linda and Peter Beckley 01243 840772

Jan 10, 24th, Feb 7th

Lent Group Meetings:

Feb. 21st, 28th, March 7th, 14th, 21st

House Group Monday fortnightly 2-4pm. Will start again 14th Jan. Will have three sessions studying Thessalonians before starting the Lent Course.

New members welcome.

☎ Gill Hutchison 827990

Australian Adventure A date for your diary - Saturday 26 January at 7.00pm.

Father Andrew and Rachel will be telling us about their recent visit to Australia. The evening will include a buffet supper.

Gift Aid it!

If you make a donation to the parish and if you have paid sufficient tax then every £1 will become £1.25! This includes collections made at each service using the special envelopes in front of the chairs. No commitment - no signature - just your name, address and postcode are required to effectively increase your giving by 25%.. Payments can be made using the special envelopes or banker's order. Gift aid officer - John Wood ☎ **01243 867510** johnlongmorewood@talktalk.net

TODDLER CORNER For pre-school children. There are activity sheets on the table by the south porch for older children to use.

IN AN EMERGENCY NOTE THE EXITS - MAIN ENTRANCE PORCH, EAST DOOR, CHOIR VESTRY AND SOUTH PORCH. FIRST AID BOXES ARE OUTSIDE THE CHOIR VESTRY AND IN THE HALL