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## WEEKLY NOTES

### The Baptism of Christ

### 10<sup>th</sup> January 2010

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***If this is your first time at St Mary's today, you are very welcome.  
Please come for coffee in the church hall across the road after the  
9.30 service.***

(Because of the snow, there may be last minute changes to the details listed on this 'Weekly Notes.')

### **Sunday Prayer Cycle**

We pray today for the church and for the world, and especially  
in the Anglican Communion, for the provinces of British Columbia  
and the Yukon, and Canada  
in our diocese, for the parishes in the Aldershot area;  
in our parish, for the members of the External Affairs Committee;  
and for those living in Cleves Avenue.

### **Collect and Post-communion Prayer (at 8 & 9.30)**

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.**

Lord of all time and eternity,  
you opened the heavens  
and revealed yourself as Father  
in the baptism of Jesus  
your beloved Son:  
by the power of your Spirit  
complete the heavenly work of our rebirth  
through the waters of the new creation;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

# SUNDAY SERVICES

## **8.00am SAID EUCHARIST** (*Common Worship*)

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The service begins on page **167** of the black book.

Eucharistic Prayer **C**: page **191** with short Proper Preface as below

We continue with the Lord's Prayer on page **178**.

## **9.30am SUNG EUCHARIST** (*Common Worship*)

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*A crèche is available, if needed: please ask a Sidesman*

Choral setting of the Eucharist: *Caesar* – Missa Brevis Capella Regalis

### **INTROIT HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 425**

Gloria: *Shaw* (congregational)

First Reading: Isaiah 43.1–7

### **GRADUAL HYMN: NEH 146**

The Holy Gospel: St Luke 3.15–17, 21–22

Sermon: The Vicar

Creed: Said

### **OFFERTORY HYMN: NEH 55** (*during which a collection is taken*)

Eucharistic Prayer: **C** with short Proper Preface for the Epiphany:

And now we give you thanks because, in the incarnation of the Word, a new light has dawned upon the world, that all the nations may be brought out of darkness to see the radiance of your glory.

Anthem: Tomorrow shall be my dancing day – *Gardner*

Tomorrow shall be my dancing day:  
I would my true love did so chance  
To see the legend of my play,  
To call my true love to my dance:  
Sing O my love, my love, my love;  
This have I done for my true love.

Then was I born of a virgin pure,  
Of her I took fleshly substance;  
Thus was I knit to man's nature,  
To call my true love to my dance:  
Sing O my love, my love, my love;  
This have I done for my true love.

In a manger laid and wrapped I was,  
So very poor this was my chance,  
Betwixt an ox and a silly poor ass,  
To call my true love to my dance:  
Sing O my love, my love, my love;  
This have I done for my true love.

Then afterwards baptized I was;  
The Holy Ghost on me did glance,  
My Father's voice heard from above,  
To call my true love to my dance.  
Sing O my love, my love, my love;  
This have I done for my true love.

### **RECESSIONAL HYMN: NEH 360**

Voluntary: Rhapsody no. 3 in C sharp minor – *Howells* [JSH]

## **11am Mattins and Holy Baptism** (*Common Worship*)

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There is a separate booklet for this service.

## **5.30pm Choral Evensong** (*Book of Common Prayer*)

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Introit: We wait for thy loving kindness, *McKie*

We wait for thy loving kindness, O God, in the midst of thy temple. Alleluya. Thy right hand is full of righteousness: Alleluya. O Lord, send us now prosperity. Amen.

Responses: *Rose* (page 18 in the *Shorter Prayer Book*)

### **OFFICE HYMN: NEW ENGLISH HYMNAL 58**

Psalm 46 (page 193)

First Lesson: Isaiah 55.1–11

Magnificat: *Brewer* in D (page 19)

Second Lesson: Romans 6.1–11

Nunc Dimittis: *Brewer* in D (page 20)

### **HYMN: NEH 145**

The service continues on page 20 with the Creed and following

Anthem: O for a closer walk, *Stanford*

O for a closer walk with God, A calm and heavenly frame; A light to shine upon the road That leads me to the Lamb!	Return, O holy dove, return, Sweet messenger of rest; I hate the sins that made thee mourn, And drove thee from my breast.
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So shall my walk be close with God,  
Calm and serene my frame;  
So purer light shall mark the road  
That leads me to the Lamb.

Prayers

### **HYMN: NEH 338**

The Blessing

Voluntary: Final Symphonie 1 – *Vierne* [JSH]

## **NEXT SUNDAY**

17<sup>th</sup> January 2010 – The Second Sunday of Epiphany

8am Said Eucharist

9.30am Sung Eucharist

11am Sung Eucharist (Book of Common Prayer)

5.30pm Evening Prayer

*Sharing the love of Christ, the Light of the World, with the people of Ewell*

# THIS WEEK

<b>In Church this week</b> <i>(all welcome at these services)</i>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Eucharist</b>	<b>Evening Prayer</b>
Monday 11 <sup>th</sup>	9am	-	5pm
Tuesday 12 <sup>th</sup>	9am	10am	5pm
Wednesday 13 <sup>th</sup>	-	-	5pm
Thursday 14 <sup>th</sup>	9am	-	5pm

*(Tuesday's Eucharist at 10am takes place in the parish room. All other services are in church.)*

## Also this week:

The **parish office** is open again from tomorrow. Note the new opening hours, 9.30-12, on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, and Friday.

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup>: **Coffee morning** in the church hall, 10.30am-12.

## Notices

A memorial service for **Hywel Bowen Perkins**, who died just before Christmas, will take place at St Mary's at 2pm on Saturday 23<sup>rd</sup> January.

The funeral of **Doris Pritchard** will take place on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> January at 11am at Randall's Park Crematorium, Leatherhead. Please let Mavis Pritchard know on 01730 892532 if you plan to attend.

The Vicar hopes to begin an adult **confirmation group** in the coming weeks. Please get in touch if you, or anyone you know, are considering confirmation and would like to join the group.

On 13<sup>th</sup> February there will be a parish social, a **Shrove Saturday Supper**, just before Lent begins. Tickets (£8) available after 8am and 9.30am services on Sundays, or from the parish office.

There will be a **Lent talks** and discussion in the church hall, 23<sup>rd</sup> Feb till 23<sup>rd</sup> March inclusive, 7.30 coffee for 8pm start, finishing by 9pm. (Volunteers to make coffee much appreciated!) The topic will be "What is an Anglican?" and all are most welcome.