

St Benedict's Weekly Bulletin

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

26th February 2012

A very warm **welcome** to our services today. If you are a visitor or newcomer please introduce yourself to **The Revd Laretta Wilson, Team Vicar** or a member of the congregation.

Useful Contacts

If you or somebody you know wishes to receive Holy Communion at home, or would appreciate a visit from **Laretta** or if you wish to make enquiries about baptisms, weddings, funerals or other pastoral services, please contact her on 01442 243934 or by email: ljwilson33@btinternet.com

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Items for the bulletin can be sent to our parish administrator.

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The office is open from 8.30-4.00pm Monday & Wednesday, 12 noon-3.30pm Thursday and 12 noon-3.00pm Friday. Closed Tuesday.

Morning Prayer this week:

Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9.00am

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Services Today

10.00am Holy Communion

Chalice Alison
Readers Anna, Emily
Intercessions Alison, Anna, Emily
Sides Duty Holly
Offertory Thelma, Sybil
Warden/ Steward James
Coffee Win

Hymns

190 Forty days and forty nights
614 Spirit of the Living God
379 Lead us heavenly Father, lead us
70 Be thou my vision

Our God is a great big God
Our God is a great big God
Our God is a great big God
and he holds us in his hands
(Repeat all)

He's higher than a skyscraper and
he's deeper than a submarine
He's wider than the universe and
beyond my wildest dreams
And he's known me and he's loved
me since before the world began
How wonderful to be a part of God's
amazing plan!

Next week

Sunday 4th March THE SECOND SUNDAY OF LENT

10:00am **Holy communion**

Post Communion Collect

Lord God,
you have renewed us with the living bread from heaven;
by it you nourish our faith,
increase our hope,
and strengthen our love:
teach us always to hunger for him who is the true and living bread,
and enable us to live by every word that proceeds from out of your mouth;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Praise God for this new season of Lent - for the opportunities it offers to draw closer to God.

For children

Why has the altar cloth changed to purple?

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Did you find a picture of the Transfiguration on the Internet ?



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NOTICES

Lent course - This year the focus is on PRAYER: 5 relaxed meetings of reflection, discussion, prayer and study. Feel welcome to come for one session or for 5! Sign up at the back or contact Laretta.

Maundy Thursday last call!

Would you like to come to the service in St Albans Abbey? It is primarily for clergy and readers but I can smuggle a few parishioners in!!! Please let me know asap. Laretta

Deadline for items for the next Benefice Newsletter is 12th March. E-mail to the Editor at: langeleinews@btinternet.com or hand to your church Wardens.

Please pray for the family and friends of Grace Wright whose funeral took place here this week.

