

# St Benedict's Weekly Bulletin

## THE FIFTH SUNDAY BEFORE LENT

6th February 2011

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](mailto:ljwilson33@btinternet.com)

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The office will be open from 8.30-5.00pm Monday & Wednesday, 12 noon - 4pm Thursday & Friday and closed Tuesday.

**Morning Prayer this week:**  
Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 9.00am

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### Services Today

#### 10.00am Sung Eucharist

Chalice Andrew  
Readers Denise, Paul  
Intercessions Paul  
Sides Duty Sue  
Offertory Thelma, Sybil  
Warden/Steward Jill  
Coffee Win

### Hymns

114 Come down O love divine  
181 For I'm building a people of power

### Christ be our light

- Longing for light, we wait in darkness. Longing for truth, we turn to you. Make us your own, your holy people, light for the world to see.  
*Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts. Shine through the darkness. Christ, be our light! Shine in your church gathered today.*
- Longing for peace, our world is troubled. Longing for hope, many despair. Your word alone has pow'r to save us. Make us your living voice.  
*Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts*
- Longing for food, many are hungry. Longing for water, many still thirst. Make us your bread, broken for others, shared until all are fed.  
*Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts*
- Longing for shelter, many are homeless. Longing for warmth, many are cold. Make us your building, sheltering others, walls made of living stone.  
*Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts*
- Many the gifts, many the people, many the hearts that yearn to belong. Let us be servants to one another, making your kingdom come.  
*Christ, be our light! Shine in our hearts*

70 Be thou my vision  
419 Shine Jesus Shine

### Post Communion Collect

God of truth, we have seen with our eyes and touched with our hands the bread of life: strengthen our faith that we may grow in love for you and for each other; through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen.**

**Praise God** for the invitation for me, as St Benedict's priest, to visit the mosque this afternoon. Please pray for increased understanding and co-operation between different faith communities, especially for Christians and Moslems in this area.

### NOTICES

#### Tuesday, 1st March

Bishop of St Albans in the flesh! Coming here to talk about Mission Action Planning! Time : TBC

#### Saturday 5th March pm

RACE NIGHT



**Please pray** for Egypt, Jordan and Yemen as they strive to find a more democratic way of living.



### For children:

**Why has the altar gone green?**

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**Who had a go at saying :  
Siyahamb' ekukhanyen' kenkhow?**

### Next week

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> February**      **THE FOURTH SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

**10:00am Family Service**  
**3:00pm Holy Communion Followed by tea and cakes**