

St Benedict's Weekly Bulletin

THE FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT (PASSIONTIDE) 17th March 2013

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

Services Today

10.00am Holy Communion with Baptism

Chalice Andrew
Readers Shirley, James
Intercessions James
Sides Duty Sue
Offertory Thelma, Sybil
Warden/ James
Steward
Coffee Jill

Hymns

- 303 I cannot tell
- 201 Give me joy in my heart
- 305 Lord of the dance
- 195 From heaven you came

Life is like a big wide ocean and we're sailing the ocean with Jesus our friend
The journey is long and the weather uncertain
But Jesus is with us from beginning to end
Jesus knows the right way to go, let's ask him to guide us
Jesus knows the right way to go, with his Holy Spirit compass inside us...
whah, whah, whah, whah.

Post Communion Collect

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever.
Amen.

Praise God for the life of Sam Wells who is being baptised this morning.

Please pray for the work of Comic Relief in the wake of Red Nose Day.



Next week
Sunday 24th March

PALM SUNDAY
10.00am Holy Communion

Have you signed onto the **Electoral Roll**? Today after the service is our AGM, please stay!

Tuesday 19th 7.30pm St Johns Church. Christian Aid evening with fish and chip supper, please let me know today if you'd like to go. Laretta

Lent evenings - continues Weds 20th March in the hall. 7 for 7.30pm start The last date is Weds 27th (when there will be stations of the Cross at 8pm). Everyone welcome.

Dacorum Foodbank needs:

tinned cold meat, tinned vegetables, tinned puddings (sponge or rice), tinned fish and instant mash. Can you help?

We have been asked if we could **provide a lift** to church for Alan, from Highview Lodge care home (Gadebridge). This doesn't need to be every week, if we have a few people it could mean just once a month. Please could you let Laretta know if you are willing and able to help.

For children
Next week is Palm Sunday - what is that all about?

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Did you draw a small picture (postcard size) about Lent or Good Friday for a Holy week display?