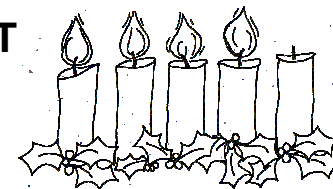


St Benedict's Weekly Bulletin

THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF ADVENT 23rd December 2018



A very warm **welcome** to our services today. If you are a visitor or newcomer please introduce yourself to the vicar, the welcomer, the churchwarden or a member of the congregation.

Useful Contacts

If you or somebody you know wishes to receive Holy Communion at home, or other pastoral services, please contact **Rev Richard Howlett** on 01442 767738, email revrhowlett@gmail.com

If you wish to make enquiries about baptisms or weddings, please contact the team office on 01923 266596 or email: saintsk12@fiscali.co.uk

Our safeguarding officer:
Kate Garvie 01442 209218

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

Norma Howie 01923 266596
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The office is open from 8.00-3.30pm Monday & Wednesday, 12.30pm - 3.00pm Thursday and 11.30am - 2.30pm Friday. Closed Tuesday.

Services Today

10.00am Holy Communion

Officiating Revd Richard Howlett

Chalice Enitan
Readers David, Enitan
Intercessions Enitan
Sides Duty Carole
Steward Bob
Coffee Win
JC -

Hymns

631 Tell out my soul
355 Jesus name above all names
303 I cannot tell
B15 Light of the world
B5 Christ be our light

Post Communion Collect
Heavenly Father,
who chose the Blessed Virgin Mary
to be the mother of the promised saviour:
fill us your servants with your grace,
that in all things we may embrace your
holy will
and with her rejoice in your salvation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Please pray for

- ♦ Christian celebrating around the world - many under persecution.
- ♦ our Crib and Christingle service.
- ♦ family gatherings.



Next week

Sunday 30th December

THE FIRST SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

10.00am Carol Praise

Presiding Bob Day

Richard is at St Mary's

Readers tbc
Intercessions Kate and children
Sides Duty John
Steward Bob
Coffee Carolyn
JC -

Praise God for

- * a wonderful concert.
- * our local schools.
- * time to share with family and loved ones.

People of God: prepare!
God, the mighty God,
Bends down in love to earth.
God above all, maker of all,
Is one with us in Christ.
Maranatha
Come, Lord Jesus! Amen.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Monday 24th December 4pm Christingle and Crib Service.

Tuesday 25th December 10am Christmas Morning All Age Communion Service.

NOTICES

Please note: the office is now closed until Wednesday 2nd January 2019.

DENS high needs include jams and tinned peas, fruit & potatoes.

Are you aware of the new quarterly magazine '**Alban Life**' from our Diocese? Also, are you signed up for E-Round (Seeround on line)? Richard can send you the link by email.

and
suddenly
there was with
the **angel**
a multitude of
the heavenly host
praising God
and saying
Glory to God
in the highest, and on earth
peace, goodwill towards
men
Luke 2
13-14