

# St Benedict's Weekly Bulletin

# THE THIRD SUNDAY BEFORE LENT 9<sup>th</sup> February 2020

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](mailto:revrhowlett@gmail.com)

If you wish to make enquiries about baptisms or weddings, please contact the team office on 01923 266596 or email: [saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk)

Our churchwarden:  
Enitan Onabamiro  
[enitanonabamiro@gmail.com](mailto:enitanonabamiro@gmail.com)

Our safeguarding officer:  
Susan Rivett 07908 644600

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

Norma Howie 01923 266596  
[saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk](mailto:saintskl2@tiscali.co.uk)

The office is open from 7.30-2.30pm Monday & Wednesday, 12.00pm - 3.00pm Thursday and 11.00am - 2.30pm Friday. Closed Tuesday.

Benefice Newsletter editors are Jean and Mike Crisp. Contact for articles - [mikeandjean23@btinternet.com](mailto:mikeandjean23@btinternet.com)

### Services Today

**10.00am Holy Communion**

**Officiating Revd Richard Howlett**

Chalice Alison  
Readers Katherine, Alison  
Intercessions Alison  
Sides Duty Carolyn  
Steward Bob  
Coffee Win

### Hymns

70 Be thou my vision  
419 Lord, the light of your love  
97 Christ is made the sure Foundation  
CD  
72 Bind us together Lord

**Post Communion Collect**  
**Merciful Father,**  
**who gave Jesus Christ to be for us the bread of life,**  
**that those who come to him should never hunger:**  
**draw us to the Lord in faith and love,**  
**that we may eat and drink with him at his table in the kingdom,**  
**where he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.**  
**Amen.**

### Please pray for

- ◆ all those affected by the coronavirus in China.
- ◆ for the homeless.
- ◆ those affected by the fires in Australia.
- ◆ the situation in Iraq and Iran.
- ◆ for peaceful dialogue.
- ◆ our preparations for the Easter trail.
- ◆ all who use or are planning to use our church hall.



### Next week

**Sunday 16<sup>th</sup> February**

**THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT**

**10.00am Holy Communion**

Officiating Revd Lizzie Hood

*Richard is at St Mary's*

Chalice Enitan  
Readers Bob, Enitan  
Intercessions Enitan  
Sides Duty John  
Steward Bob  
Coffee Carolyn

### Our Collect for Church Growth

Dear God,  
fill our hearts with your love and the glow of your Holy Spirit.  
Grow this church family within our community and let your Good News spread. **Amen.**

### NOTICES

**Rural Dean of Hemel Hempstead.** Lizzie has recently completed her term in this role, and the newly appointed term is Revd Mike Macey (Boxmoor) with Revd James McDonald (Kings Langley) assisting. The installation service is **TODAY at 6.30pm** at a Choral Evensong at St John's. All welcome.

**Monday 10th February** Art Club in hall from 1-3pm. No Evening prayer. 7.30pm. You are invited to the vicarage to see our Lent film 'The Greatest Showman.' Please let Richard know if you are coming.

**Wednesday 12th February** PCC meeting in the vicarage.

The deadline for the next **Benefice Newsletter** is **16th February**. To aid planning, please give us an idea of the articles you will be sending as soon as possible [mikeandjean23@btinternet.com](mailto:mikeandjean23@btinternet.com)

**Our Weekly Lent Course St. Mary's**  
Thursday mornings 27th February -26th March  
Saturday mornings 29th February-4th April (not 14/3)  
**St. Benedict's**  
Monday evenings 2nd March-30th March.

### DATE FOR YOUR DIARY

**July 12th and 13th** Bishop's visit to St. Benedict's and Parish.

**Praise God for**  
a wonderful Quiz Night.