

Sunday 24th January 2021
THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY
Patronal Festival



At this time of great difficulty we hold you all in our prayers and ask God to be with each one of us and all those who are unwell, worried or lonely.

Collect for the Week

Almighty God,
who caused the light of the gospel
to shine throughout the world
through the preaching of your servant Saint Paul:
grant that we who celebrate his wonderful conversion
may follow him in bearing witness to your truth;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Please note that due to the current high rates of COVID-19 both Churches are closed for public worship. This will be reviewed at the end of the month.

**The Churches will open for private prayer:-
on Sundays between 10 am and 11 am at the Parish Church
and Monday/Wednesday/Thursday & Friday at the Church Centre between
10 am and 12 noon.**

10.00 am Service of the Word – posted on YouTube

Preacher: The Vicar, Minister: Tim Cripps
Reading: Matthew 19.27-end, read by Jo Winter
Intercessions: led by Tim Cripps

10.00 am Family Service via Zoom

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THE WEEK AHEAD

MONDAY 25th *The Conversion of Paul*

10 am -12 noon Church Centre open for private prayer
8.00 pm PCC Meeting via Zoom

TUESDAY 26th *Timothy and Titus, Companions of St Paul*

Parish Office closed

WEDNESDAY 27th

10 am -12 noon Church Centre open for private prayer

THURSDAY 28th *Thomas Aquinas, Priest, Philosopher, Teacher of the Faith, 1274*

10 am -12 noon Church Centre open for private prayer

FRIDAY 29th

10 am -12 noon Church Centre open for private prayer
12.30 – 2.15 pm Community Larder at the Church Centre

SATURDAY 30th *Charles, King and Martyr, 1649*

NEXT SUNDAY 31st

The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany

CANDLEMAS

10.00 am Service of the Word (posted on You Tube)

Preacher & Minister: Tim Cripps

10am-11am Parish Church open for private prayer

From The Vicarage

Greetings everyone and thank you for your patience and creativity in such uncertain times. I am delighted that the Church Centre is now having services via Zoom. As we celebrate our Patronal Festival, I pray that God would increase our resilience and emotional stamina and enable us to always be thankful.

Community Larder

The Rusthall village Community Larder is now up and running. Please continue to spread the word about this great village project, you can follow the Larder on Facebook and also get any updates. It is open to all in the community and no referral is needed.