



Third Sunday of Epiphany  
26 January 2020



**This morning's music**

105 Christ whose glory fills the skies  
\*\*\* We will walk with God, my sisters/brothers  
378 Jesus calls us here to meet him  
156 Do not be afraid  
834 Will you come and follow me?

**This morning's readings and prayers**

**Isaiah 9.1-4** (reader: Judy Fletcher); Psalm 40;  
**I Corinthians 1.10-18** (reader: Esther Masih);  
**Matthew 4.12-23** (Gospeller: Opal Walsh);  
Intercessor: Helen Reid

**Prayer in the silence after communion**

God of all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free to praise you in Christ our Lord.

**Collect: Third Sunday of Epiphany**

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; 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.

**\*\*\* Words of second hymn**

We will walk with God my sisters,  
We will walk with God

We will go rejoicing til the kingdom has come

We will walk with God my brothers...

**Next Sunday, The Presentation of Christ in the Temple (Candlemas)**

**Malachi 3.1-5** (reader: Barbara Purvis); Psalm 24; **Hebrews 2.14-18** (reader: Jenny Black); **Luke 2.22-40** (Gospeller: Helen Reid); Intercessor: Leslie Fletcher

**Tea and coffee are served in the Community Hall after the Sunday morning service**

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**Thanks to all who helped with**

- Monday's Science and Religion evening
- Friday's Burns Night meal – shoppers, cooks, entertainers, furniture movers, washers up, ...

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**This week and further ahead**

Tuesday 28 January 7.30pm Needlecraft Group meeting

Thursday 30 January 10.00am Holy Communion (in the Vestry)

2.00pm in church: *Meet the Organ Restorer*. Come and meet Andy Carter, whose firm have been undertaking the restoration of our organ. He will be willing to answer any queries you may have on the work that has been undertaken.

Saturday 1 February 10.30 – 12.00noon in the Hall: *Meet your MP Coffee Morning* with Jeff Smith MP

Thursday 6 February 4.30 – 7.00pm at Holy Innocents: *A Quiet Place in the Eye of the Storm*. A conversation focusing on responses to ageing led by Helen Aczel.

Tuesday 11 February 7.30pm in the Hall: Cheese and Wine and Raffle, all welcome

Friday 28 February 7.30pm at St Nick's: Rector's 50<sup>th</sup> Birthday Quiz Night

Saturday 21 March 7.30pm Inaugural recital on the restored organ given by Paul Hale, formerly Cathedral Organist at Southwell Minster. Refreshments afterwards.

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... help monitor how we are doing as an Inclusive Church? To see what it involves talk to Mark or take a look here <http://inclusive-church.org/inclusion-is>

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**Would you like to ...**

... serve at the altar? Carry a candle, receive the offertory, ring the Sanctus Bell, swing the incense, ... . Talk to Mark or Leslie Fletcher about being trained as a server.

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... write an article for Parish Magazine? Submission date is the 15<sup>th</sup> of each month. Talk to Christine Hindley if you are interested.

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**Raffle ...**

... of excess chocolate from Christmas to be drawn on Candlemas Sunday (2 February) before Lent begins! Profits towards the baby change unit