

10 January 2021

THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST

Welcome to church today

08.00 **Holy Communion** **Book of Common Prayer**
President & preacher Revd Barrie Gaskell

11.00 **Parish Communion** **Common Worship**
President & Preacher The Bishop of Manchester
Reader Alan Forrester
Intercessions Margaret Haughton



Organ Music:

Prelude: Chorale Prelude "Come, Holy Ghost" - Buxtehude

Gradual: Prelude (Pieces for Withycombe) - Philip Moore

Communion: "Be Thou But Near" - J. S. Bach arr. Harvey Grace

Voluntary: Trumpet Tune in A - David N. Johnson

18.30 **Evening Prayer** Revd Ian Hepburn

Canon Kenneth is at St Chad's this morning

Midweek Services

Tuesday 12.15 Holy Communion Revd Ian Hepburn

Wednesday 10.30 Funeral Neil Pickering
(Under Tier 5 restrictions, attendance is limited to those who have been personally invited by the family.)

Thursday 12.15 Holy Communion Revd Ian Hepburn

Services next Sunday

17 January 2021

The Second Sunday of Epiphany

08.00 **Holy Communion** **Book of Common Prayer**
President & Preacher Revd Ian Hepburn

11.00 **Parish Communion** **Book of Common Prayer**
President Canon Kenneth Newport
Preacher Canon Chris Bracegirdle
Reader Ian Darbyshire

18.30 **Evening Prayer** Revd Ian Hepburn

Please take this sheet away with you

Notices

The **Mission and Pastoral Committee** will meet by Zoom at 19.30 on Wednesday 13 January.

The **PCC** will meet by Zoom at 19.30 on Tuesday 19 January.

If you took a **Rotary Shoe Box** away before Christmas and have not yet returned it, please bring it back by next week, so that Rotary can get them on their way to the people who will receive them. (Unfilled boxes can be returned for use next year.)

If you have a **Children's Society box**, please put it in a plastic bag and bring it to church during January. We will deal with it in a Covid safe way. There may not be much in your box this year and it would be good to augment the box money with other donations; please see the item about collecting for the Children's Society in the January magazine.

Our 2021 anniversary prayer

Gracious God, as we celebrate the 150th anniversary of the consecration of this church, we give thanks for all who have made it a house of prayer. May we, like St Peter, proclaim with confidence that Jesus Christ is the Messiah, the Saviour of the world. Bless the on-going work of Bolton Parish Church as we give thanks for the past, live fully in the present and look with hope to the future. AMEN

You will find bookmarks with the 2021 Anniversary prayer on them in a basket at the back of church.

For our prayers

Diocese: For David Bishop of Manchester, Mark Bishop of Middleton, Mark Bishop of Bolton. Parishes in the Deanery of North Manchester; the Anglican Church in New Zealand and Polynesia; Dioceses of Coventry, Oulu (Finland).

World: All countries where there is suffering caused by unrest, oppression, war, disease or natural disaster; from our cycle of prayer, Africa.

Our prayers are requested for: Barbara, John and Kathy Drane, Joan Heys, John Crawford, Kath Hilton, Elsie Handley.

Recently died: Neil Pickering, Elizabeth Taylor, Eileen Scofield, Joyce Holt

From our Book of Remembrance: James Roy Flemming, Norman Fort, Alice Mulraney, Eveline Taylor, Edwin Cadman, Doris Hoyle, Frances Gladys Fallows, Harriet Green, Gladys Amy Dowling, Arthur George Louis Barr, Nat Lofthouse, Charles Fallows.