

PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

COMING TO FAITH, GROWING IN FAITH

WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP

SUNDAY 19TH FEBRUARY 2017

THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE LENT

Thank you for coming to church today, for choosing to worship God.

You are most welcome in St. John's Church today. We'd like to introduce ourselves so please say hello if you are visiting or new to the area. Refreshments are available after the service.



READINGS

Today

Genesis Ch. 1 V. 1 – Ch. 2 V. 3.

Romans Ch. 8 VV. 18 – 25.

Matthew Ch. 6 VV. 25 – End.

Next Week

Exodus Ch. 24 VV. 12 – End.

2 Peter Ch. 1 VV. 16 – End.

Matthew Ch. 17 VV. 1 – 9.

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COLLECT

*Almighty God,
you have created the heavens and the earth
and made us in your own image:
teach us to discern your hand in all your works
and your likeness in all your children;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things,
now and for ever.
Amen*



PRAYER NOTES

- † The sick of this parish and those people known to us who need His grace: Irene Foord, Mary Mines and Jean Gabbitas.
- † Justice, mercy and grace for migrants. Safety for Christians and peoples of all faiths in danger.
- † Resolution for the peoples of the Ukraine, Israel, Palestine, Nigeria, and peace in Gaza and Turkey.
- † Peace, healing and mercy for the people of Syria.
- † Our mission and ministry in the community.
- † Thanks for our church community and our shared faith.
- † Thanks for those who serve refreshments.

WORSHIP IN ST JOHN'S CHURCH

TODAY

8:00 am Said communion using BCP

10:00 am Sung communion with Junior Church

TUESDAY

9:30 am Said communion

NOTICES

Pancake Party



Sunday 26th February 2017 from
11.30am

in St John's School (please come
round to the side door)

Free entry, please donate generously

All you can eat Pancakes with lots of
topping options

Coffee, Tea and Hot Chocolate

Bring your friends – or be prepared to
eat a lot of PANCAKES!!!

Quiz Night

Friday 24th February 2017, 7:00pm For 7:30 pm Start

Teams of 6 but we can put together teams of individuals.

£12.00 per head (to include a Fish and Chip supper)

in St John's School hall

Monks Risborough 'Pop-up' Cinema

at St. Dunstan's Church:

'The BFG' (PG): Saturday February 25th at 6 pm. A fabulous adaptation of Roald Dahl's novel starring Mark Rylance as the Big Friendly Giant (BFG)

'Eddie the Eagle' (PG): Saturday March 4th at 7 pm.
Comedy sports drama inspired by the true life story of Michael Edwards, Britain's most famous ski jumper.

Bring your own snacks/drinks. Tickets available on the door: adults - £3, children - £1. All children must be accompanied by an adult



"Words of Worship", a Course led by Canon Rev. Robin Brown

limited spaces available

If you wish to explore the Christian faith through familiar words found in the liturgy in Sunday services. The course will be held in St. Dunstan's Church, Monks Risborough. You can attend on either Saturday 25th February from 10 am - 4 pm or Wednesdays 8th, 15th, 22nd and 29th March from 10:30 am - 12 noon. The cut-off point (subject to available spaces) for the course is three days before the start of the course i.e. by Wednesday February 22nd or Sunday March 5th.