PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

COMING TO FAITH, GROWING IN FAITH

WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP

Sunday 1st January 2017

THE NAMING AND CIRCUMCISION OF CHRIST

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.



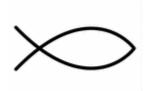
READINGS

Today Luke Ch. 2 VV. 15 – 21. Next Week Isaiah Ch. 42 VV. 1 – 9. Acts Ch. 10 VV. 34 – 43. Matthew Ch. 3. VV. 13 – End.

Vicar Team Rector Churchwardens Rev. Can. Tony Bundock Rev. David Williams Mrs Pat Rushmere Mr Dick Field 01844 347741 01844 344784 01844 345452 01494 562231

COLLECT

Almighty God,
who wonderfully created us in your own image
and yet more wonderfully restored us
through your Son Jesus Christ:
grant that, as he came to share in our humanity,
so we may share the life of his divinity;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen



PRAYER NOTES

- † The sick of this parish and those people known to us who need His grace: Irene Foord and Mary Mines.
- † 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 lead the choir and its members for the joy that their music brings.

WORSHIP IN ST JOHN'S CHURCH

TODAY

8:00 am Said communion using BCP 10:00 am All age sung communion.

NOTICES

HELP WANTED

Please would you consider joining the rota for cleaning. It takes no more than an hour or 2 and the more people who join, the less often our turns come up.



Please see the following websites for more information about our church and others in the Risborough Team; including services and events:

www.stjohnschurchlaceygreen.co.uk

www.stmarysrisborough.org.uk