

PARISH CHURCH OF ST JOHN THE EVANGELIST

COMING TO FAITH, GROWING IN FAITH

WELCOME TO TODAY'S WORSHIP

SUNDAY 8TH JANUARY 2017

THE BAPTISM OF CHRIST / THE FIRST SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY

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

Isaiah Ch. 42 VV. 1 – 9.

Acts Ch. 10 VV. 34 – 43.

Matthew Ch. 3. VV. 13 – End.

Next Week

Isaiah Ch. 49 VV. 1 – 7.

1 Corinthians Ch. 1 VV. 1 – 9.

John Ch. 1 VV. 29 – 42.

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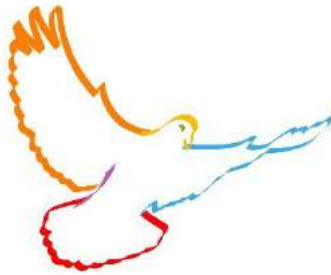
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COLLECT

*Eternal Father,
who at the baptism of Jesus
revealed him to be your Son,
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:
grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit,
that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children;
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.
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 make our church a beautiful place for worship.

WORSHIP IN ST JOHN'S CHURCH

TODAY

8:00 am Said communion using BCP

10:00 am All age sung communion.

SUNDAY 15 JANUARY

4:00 pm Epiphany Carol Service

SUNDAY 22 JANUARY (at St Mary's, Princes Risborough)

6:00 pm Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service
led by Rev. Can. Tony

SUNDAY 29 JANUARY

6:00 pm Candlemas evening service led by Graham King



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