

**We are a Fairtrade Church**

Welcome!

*Please take this sheet home with you for reference*



## Sunday 6 January - The Epiphany of Our Lord

### Collect of the Day

O God, who by the leading of a star  
manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth:  
mercifully grant that we,  
who know you now by faith,  
may at last behold your glory face to face;  
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.**

### First Reading: Isaiah 60.1-6

“Arise, shine, for your light has come,  
and the glory of the LORD rises upon you.  
See, darkness covers the earth  
and thick darkness is over the peoples,  
but the LORD rises upon you  
and his glory appears over you.  
Nations will come to your light,  
and kings to the brightness of your dawn.  
Lift up your eyes and look about you:  
All assemble and come to you;  
your sons come from afar,  
and your daughters are carried on the arm.  
Then you will look and be radiant,  
your heart will throb and swell with joy;  
the wealth on the seas will be brought to you,  
to you the riches of the nations will come.  
Herds of camels will cover your land,  
young camels of Midian and Ephah.  
And all from Sheba will come,  
bearing gold and incense  
and proclaiming the praise of the LORD.”

### Gospel Reading: Matthew 2.1-12

After Jesus was born in Bethlehem in Judea, during the time of King Herod, Magi from the east came to Jerusalem and asked, “Where is the one who has been born king of the Jews? We saw his star in the east and have come to worship him.”

When King Herod heard this he was disturbed, and all Jerusalem with him. When he had called together all the people’s chief priests and teachers of the law, he asked them where the Christ was to be born. “In Bethlehem in Judea,” they replied, “for this is what the prophet has written:

“But you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah,  
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;  
for out of you will come a ruler  
who will be the shepherd of my people Israel.”

Then Herod called the Magi secretly and found out from them the exact time the star had appeared. He sent them to Bethlehem and said, “Go and make a careful search for the child. As soon as you find him, report to me, so that I too may go and worship him.”

After they had heard the king, they went on their way, and the star they had seen in the east went ahead of them until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw the star, they were overjoyed. On coming to the house, they saw the child with his mother Mary, and they bowed down and worshipped him. Then they opened their treasures and presented him with gifts of gold and of incense and of myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to go back to Herod, they returned to their country by another route.

### Post Communion Prayer

Lord God, the bright splendour whom the nations seek:  
may we who with the wise men have been drawn by  
your light

discern the glory of your presence in your Son,  
the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**

For access to the **Emergency Prayer Chain** or to activate the **Pastoral Care Team**, please contact Judith or John Hargreaves (01629) 312165, or 07922-004-930

### NOTICES FOR THE WEEK

Today	<b><i>The Epiphany</i></b>
	6.00pm Evensong
Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>	11.30am Funeral of Eric Woodward
Tuesday 8 <sup>th</sup>	
Wednesday 9 <sup>th</sup>	
Thursday 10 <sup>th</sup>	<i>William Laud, Archbishop of Canterbury, 1645</i>
	9.30am Eucharist
	7.30pm Choir Practice
	7.30pm Bell Practice
Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	
Saturday 12 <sup>th</sup>	<i>Aelred of Hexham, Abbot of Rievaulx, 1167</i> <i>Benedict Biscop, Abbot of Wearmouth, Scholar, 689</i>
	4.00pm RSCM Derbyshire Conducting Workshop

#### Services in this benefice next Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> January

9.00am	Parish Eucharist at St Michael & All Angels, Sheldon
9.45am	Parish Sung Eucharist at Holy Trinity, Ashford in the Water
10.00am	Eucharist at St Anne's, Over Haddon
11.00am	Parish Eucharist at St Katherine's, Rowsley
11.00am	Parish Sung Eucharist, Kids in Christ at All Saints, Bakewell
6.00pm	Evensong at All Saints, Bakewell

#### We support **The High Peak food bank**

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Yemen Coffee Morning – Memorial Hall, St John's St, Wirksworth – Saturday 12 January, 10am-12noon  
Very widespread bombing by Saudi Arabia in Yemen has resulted in half the population starving with 85,000 children under five already dead. Amnesty International Wirksworth is co-ordinating a coffee morning on Saturday 12 January. Amnesty UK's representative for the Yemen will speak about the UK's role in the crisis at 11am. Proceeds will go to Doctors without Borders (Medecins sans Frontieres) who do very extensive hands-on humanitarian work and have been active in Yemen since the crisis began. Financial donations or simple baked goods for sale are most welcome. For further information please contact Hilary Gray (822915) [hilarygray@btinternet.com](mailto:hilarygray@btinternet.com)

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A huge THANK YOU to everyone who helped, in any way at all, with this year's tree festival at All Saints. We have received lots of compliments and positive comments.

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Saturday 12 January 2019, 4pm  
Join us at All Saints Church, Bakewell for a Conducting Workshop with Cathy Lamb ARSCM  
*Tickets £15 each & optional supper.*

RSCM Derbyshire are excited to welcome Cathy Lamb, an experienced organist, amateur and teacher, to lead our workshop in the picturesque Derbyshire town of Bakewell. Among other roles, Cathy is Director of Music Outreach at Lichfield Cathedral School and the main accompanist for Salisbury-based choir Sarum Voices, Cathy is well connected with RSCM as Chair of the Lichfield Area RSCM Committee and a regular workshop leader and teacher. In this workshop she will help established conductors and newcomers with technique and repertoire, with a focus on music for Holy Week. Following the workshop, RSCM Derbyshire would be pleased to welcome attendees to join us for supper in Bakewell. Please contact Mr Michael Halls at [mvaehalls@gmail.com](mailto:mvaehalls@gmail.com) or 01335 372064 for more details or to book.

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The Wednesday Women's Home Group will restart in January with a new theme for study and discussion. Further details about date, time and venue will be given in the New Year. Contact Jane Proctor 01629 258911.

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If you wish to have anything added to the pew sheet please contact Canon Tony's PA, Emma Raynes, by 10am Thursday for inclusion in the following Sunday's pew sheet, thank you. 01629 814462 / [bakewelljazzypa@gmail.com](mailto:bakewelljazzypa@gmail.com)

#### **Please remember in your prayers:**

Thy Kingdom Come pledge: Please pray for five of your family, friends and neighbours to know the presence of God's Love in their lives.

**The Community:** For all who live or work locally and this week for those who live or work in Bakewell on Market St, Water St & Granby Road.

**The Sick:** Philip Brown, Jacqui Gray, Eleanor Reeves, John Stamp, Cynthia Walker, David Warrington

**The Departed:** Catherine Haigh, Eric Woodward.