



BAPTISM OF CHRIST

SUNDAY 13th JANUARY 2019

8.00am	Holy Communion BCP
9.45am	Parish Eucharist
11.15am	Informal Holy Communion
6.30pm	Evensong BCP

We welcome all to our services. Families may make use of children's corner at the back of the church.
Sunday School meets in Church House during the Parish Eucharist in term time.
Morning Prayer is said daily Monday to Friday at 8.30am and Evening Prayer daily Monday to Friday at 4pm, in the Crypt.

THIS WEEK

Monday	7.30pm	Education Committee - Lounge
Tuesday		No 9.00am Communion
Wednesday	11.00am	Holy Communion – Victoria Hospital
	7.45pm	Prayer Group - Lounge
Thursday	9.30 – 11am	Two By Two – Hall
	11.00am	Holy Communion – Stoneleigh
	2.15pm	Mothers' Union - Lounge
	4.45pm	Informal Music Practice – Hall
	7.15pm	PCC - Hall
Friday	11.00am	Holy Communion BCP – St. Margaret's
	12.00pm	Funeral of Gary Smith - Minster
	12.00pm	Lunch and Chat – Lounge
Saturday	9.15am	New Horizon Prayers – Crypt
	3.30pm	Tea Party for Norma's 90 th Birthday

NEXT SUNDAY 20th JANUARY 2019 THIRD SUNDAY OR EPIPHANY

8.00am	Holy Communion BCP
9.45am	Parish Eucharist
6.30pm	Evensong BCP

MINSTER MATTERS

THE SICK: *We pray for the sick and suffering: John Old, Doreen Richards, Joan Ladbroke, John Rollason, Shirley Strickland, Gerry Baxter, Brenda Gibson, Pauline Darby. Also the recently departed: John Batchelor, Gary Smith.*

Flowers at the Altar today are sponsored by **Norma Aitchison** in thanksgiving for 90 years of life.

The Magi: romantic myth or real men? Were there three? Were they kings? Were they from the orient? And what have they to do with us anyway? Come and explore at the **Informal Service** today at **11.15am!**

Tuesday 9.00am Communion. There will be no 9.00am Communion this week, 15th January as the Clergy Team will be at deanery Chapter meeting.

Over the Christmas period one of The Minster's small **Home Communion Sets** has gone missing. If anyone has this or knows where it is, please return it immediately. Thank you **Verger John**.

Your **Christmas cards can be recycled** to benefit the people of Yambio, South Sudan, so please remove the backs & leave in the box at the back of The Minster. Many thanks, **Sheila Soper**

Norma's tea Party. Norma has celebrated a milestone birthday this week and would like to celebrate the occasion with Minster friends at a **tea party** in the Church House Hall next **Saturday 19th January**, 3.30pm – 6.00pm. For catering purposes, please collect a ticket from Norma or the Parish Office.

New Year Concert organised by the Fundraising and Events Committee on Sunday **20th January 2019** at 3.00pm in **Church House Hall**. Musical items, readings and light refreshments. Admission £5 (children free) payable on the door, tickets (for catering purposes) available from the Parish Office or Sue Tipping, phone: 07730 941 160 email: susanann44@btinternet.com or Rosemary Protheroe, phone: 01202 843990 email: protheroe.r@tiscali.co.uk. **Everyone welcome.**

Food Handling Course. There will be a Food Handling Course on 24th January 9.30am-12.30pm. This is for all those involved in preparing or handling food for Minster events. Donna will be contacting those who need to attend but if you have not heard anything and would like to come to this session please contact **Donna Gosney** in the Parish Office.

Holocaust Memorial Service Saturday 26th January 2.00 – 3.30pm in The Minster followed by tea in Church House. Please pick up a flyer for more details.

Important: there will be a **Parish Vision Day** on Saturday 2nd March. Everyone is invited, please put the date in your diary now. More details to follow. There will be a sign-up sheet next week. We need to know numbers as soon as possible in order to book a suitable venue. **Please sign-up** by Sunday 3rd February.

WIMBORNE AND AROUND THE AREA

Food Bank: Stocks are good at the food bank thanks to generous donations despite an annual increase of 12% in parcels needed. The new, second shed is virtually completed and will be in use from mid-February. Items needed are: toilet rolls, laundry detergent, shampoo and conditioner, toothbrushes and toothpaste, washing up liquid, squash, coffee and jam. **Thank you for all your support.**

Questions About Cancer? The Macmillan Cancer Support Bus will be in The Square on Friday 25th January 10.00am – 3.00pm. Please come along and talk to the friendly specialists for any questions or concerns you may have about cancer,

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