



# Sunday 17 January Epiphany 2

Verse for Today: John 1 v 50-51

Jesus said, “You believe because I told you I saw you under the fig tree. You will see greater things than that.”<sup>51</sup> He then added, “Very truly I tell you, you will see ‘heaven open, and the angels of God ascending and descending on’ the Son of Man.”

From 8.00am Online Holy Communion (CW)

Julie Allday

*John 1 43-end*

The Set Prayer for today

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; 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.

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers: Please pray for Leon Napier-Raikes, Millie Robinson and their families, to give them the strength & healing in their recovery.

Pray for our Community: Barnham Lane, Burch Grove & Walberton Place Care Home.

# AT ST MARYS

GIVING If you would like to donate to the church, please put your envelope through the Church Office door with a **cheque to 'Walberton PCC'** marking the envelope 'St Mary's or via the plate at Church. Alternatively, give electronically through our bank account with **'your name'** and **'StM'** as the reference eg: JBloggsStM.

Our Bank Details: National Westminster Bank plc  
Account Name: Walberton PCC  
Sort Code: 60-01-18 Account No: 67502865

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## Tuesday 19 January

8.30am Online Parish Prayers continues via Zoom. Please join us as we are praying for the life of the parish and also for all those involved or affected by the Covid-19 crisis. If you don't wish to pray aloud, your presence is just as valuable. New to Zoom? [Click HERE](#) for instructions. You will be sent an invitation via ChurchSuite. Not on ChurchSuite? email [houseofprayer@stmaryswalberton.org.uk](mailto:houseofprayer@stmaryswalberton.org.uk)

## Thursday 21 January

7.00pm Walberton PCC by Zoom.

## Friday 22 January

9.00 -12pm Outreach Post Office at the Pavilion.

# CHURCH AND COMMUNITY NEWS

**~ Public worship is currently suspended at St Mary's**

Walberton. We hope to return at the beginning of March. The PCC will review the situation this week and in mid

February. We will then need sidespeople to steward the services. Please email [Jean@strickland.co.uk](mailto:Jean@strickland.co.uk) if you can help.

~ 2021 Diaries & Year Planners: If you are in need of a 2021 diary and/or year planner, Gill Thomas has four to give away! Please contact her. *Tel 558842*

~ PCC Secretary. After 3 years wonderful service Helen Hine has decided to step down by the time of 2021 APCM. If you are good at taking minutes and would like to support the work of the church please speak to Tim. The secretary can be co-opted trustee/member of PCC if they so wish.

~ Church Office will be open on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9.00am to 11.00am. The office phone will be redirected to the Vicarage over the weekend. If you need help at any other time please contact the Vicarage. *Tel 552792.*

~ Church Christmas Card: On behalf of the children of Zimbabwe and Barnabas Fund, I thank those who supported our card. £105 was raised – you have saved lives. Thank you.  
*Irene Howell*

~ Lent Course by Zoom with Julie Allday, who will be using Robert Warren's book *Life Attitudes on the Beatitudes in Matthew 5* - available on Amazon. Please book with Julie *Tel. 544615.*

~ Churchyard Working Party will take a winter break to reconvene in February, restrictions permitting, as a charitable and voluntary service.

~ New Kitchen Servery: [Click HERE](#) for plan of proposed new kitchen servery.

~ Sermons: preached at St Mary's are available on the church website, in written form or on YouTube. [Click HERE](#) for St Mary's website, '**Sermons**'

## Our Vision

*"We aim to be a growing church: growing in the love of God as we grow in prayer, in understanding of our faith, and in the use of the gifts each has been given; growing in love for our community as we grow in service, in sharing the Good News of Jesus Christ"*

## Services for Next Week

Sunday 24 January - Epiphany 3

From 9.00am Online Morning Praise

From 9.00am Online Holy Communion BCP

These will be followed by a Zoom 'Coffee and Chat' at 9.45am. Email [office@stmaryswalberton.org.uk](mailto:office@stmaryswalberton.org.uk) for the link if you are not on ChurchSuite.

CW = Common Worship BCP = Book of Common Prayer

Parish News Deadline for the March 2021 issue is Wednesday 10 February.

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Thursdays 9.30am

Office Hours  
Tuesday to Friday  
9.00am –11.00am

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