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## Sunday 19th January 2025

### THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY COMING UP AT ST PETER'S

<b>Sun 19<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	08:00am	Holy Eucharist
	10.00am	Holy Eucharist
<b>Weds 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan</b>	10.00am	Holy Eucharist
<b>Sun 26<sup>th</sup> Jan</b>	08.00am	Holy Eucharist
	10.00am	Parish Eucharist
	1.00pm	Holy Baptism
	6.00pm	Youth Group

## NOTICES & DATES FOR THE DIARY.

- Breakfast – On Sunday 9th February, after the 8am Holy Eucharist, breakfast will be served in the Vicarage. Even if you're attending the 10 am service, you're most welcome to join us a bit earlier for the breakfast. Kindly sign the list to help us with catering and dietary arrangements.
- Volunteers: Fancy helping at St. Peter's? We'd love your support, whether giving a warm welcome or sorting out the refreshments. If you are good at greeting people or making a brew, please speak with our clergy or Church Warden to become part of the team.

## REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

*Israel, Palestine, Ukraine, Afghanistan, Syria, Sudan, and all places affected by warfare, violence or state oppression.*

### **Those who have asked for our prayers:**

the Rev'd Mo Baldwin, Pam McLoughlin, Dorothy Kerr, Margaret Heald, Beryl Diggles, Dot Bolan, Roy Wilding.

### **all recently departed, especially those known to us;**

### **those who we remember at this time:**

Margaret Hardman, Beatrice Rowling, Horace Jones, Arnold Blackledge, Elsie Abbott, Amy Jackson, Gary Smith, Joan Robinson, Albert Garstang, Kenneth Bond, Jessie Parsons, Norma Radcliffe, Shirley Louise Davies, John Riding, Alice Lishman, Margaret MacDonald, Joseph Bonehill, William Carr Kate Christie, Kenneth Blair

**To allow for privacy, names are not added on to the sick or departed lists unless requested and permission from the person named is given.**

To add a name onto our prayer or memorial lists, please email [chorleystp.office@gmail.com](mailto:chorleystp.office@gmail.com)

## THE LYCIG PRAYER FOR CHURCH GROWTH

**GOD OF MISSION, WHO ALONE BRINGS GROWTH TO YOUR CHURCH: SEND YOUR HOLY SPIRIT TO GIVE VISION TO OUR PLANNING, WISDOM TO OUR ACTIONS, AND POWER TO OUR WITNESS. HELP OUR CHURCH TO GROW IN NUMBERS, IN SPIRITUAL COMMITMENT TO YOU, AND IN SERVICE TO OUR LOCAL COMMUNITY, THROUGH JESUS CHRIST OUR LORD. AMEN**

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## HYMNS

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### Collect

Let us pray

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

We sit to attend to the scriptures

### Liturgy of the Word

**The Reading** | I Corinthians 12.1-11

Now concerning spiritual gifts, brothers and sisters, I do not want you to be uninformed. You know that when you were pagans, you were enticed and led astray to idols that could not speak. Therefore I want you to understand that no one speaking by the Spirit of God ever says 'Let Jesus be cursed!' and no one can say 'Jesus is Lord' except by the Holy Spirit.

Now there are varieties of gifts, but the same Spirit; and there are varieties of services, but the same Lord; and there are varieties of activities, but it is the same God who activates all of them in everyone. To each is given the manifestation of the Spirit for the common good. To one is given through the Spirit the utterance of wisdom, and to another the utterance of knowledge according to the same Spirit, to another faith by the same Spirit, to another gifts of healing by the one Spirit, to another the working of miracles, to another prophecy, to another the discernment of spirits, to another various kinds of tongues, to another the interpretation of tongues. All these are activated by one and the same Spirit, who allots to each one individually just as the Spirit chooses.

This is the word of the Lord

Thanks be to God

*All stand for the Gospel*

**The Holy Gospel | John 2.1-11**

Alleluia, alleluia.

Christ was revealed in flesh, proclaimed among the nations; and believed in throughout the world.

## Alleluia

The Lord be with you

**And also with you**

*Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John*

**Glory be to you, O Lord**

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' And Jesus said to her, 'Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.' His mother said to the servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.' Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.' Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

This is the gospel of the Lord.

**Praise to you, O Christ.**

### Post-communion prayer

God of glory, you nourish us with your Word who is the bread of life: fill us with your Holy Spirit that through us the light of your glory may shine in all the world. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Amen**



**Please join us for refreshments after the service.**