



## BENEFICE BULLETIN

### Sunday 24 January 2021 Epiphany 3

#### Weekly Diary

##### **Sunday 24 January**

9.00am St Peter's	Holy Communion
10.30am St Mary's	Holy Communion
5.00pm Zoom	Celtic Evening prayer

##### **Wednesday 20 January**

10.00am St Mary's	Holy Communion
5.00pm Zoom	Evening prayer
7.00pm Zoom	PCC meeting

#### Church Open

Under the new Lockdown the government has allowed Public Worship to continue in churches where appropriate. As the government have afforded us this privilege, it is important for us as church communities to double our efforts to keep people safe whilst in our care.

**In light of this, the churchwardens and myself have looked at our risk assessments again and we are happy that we comply with Government and Church of England guidelines.**

#### **For the congregation can we make sure that:**

- If the government ask you to shield, that you do not attend church for the time being.
- If you show symptoms of Covid: Loss of taste and smell, high temperature or a new dry cough – that you also do not attend.
- And just because church is happening, does not mean that you need to attend – each person must take personal responsibility for their own welfare and health.

#### Zoom Evening Prayer

If you are interested in joining us on either 5.00pm Sundays for Celtic prayer or 5.00pm Wednesdays for common worship evening prayer then please let me know so that I can send you the zoom link and liturgy. If you are interested would you phone 01730 812655 or email me derek.welsman@outlook.com

#### Collect for the week

God of all mercy,  
Your Son proclaimed good news to the poor,  
release to the captives,  
and freedom to the oppressed:  
anoint us with your Holy Spirit  
and set all your people free  
to praise you in Christ our Lord.

#### Prayers for this week

Those in our books of prayer.  
Joe Biden and his government  
The people's of the USA  
Those working to administer the vaccine  
Our schools – under Covid pressure  
Our local NHS  
Our local businesses

#### Easter Chicks

We are considering making some more Easter chicks this year, but would like to know if anyone is interested in buying them. The proceeds would be for FSW. If you are interested please contact Liz on 01730 816405, or by email to lizanderic@hotmail.com

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