



BENEFICE BULLETIN

Sunday 31 January 2021 Candlemas

Weekly Diary

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

Wednesday 3 February

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

Lent 2021

Lent begins on Ash Wednesday the 17 Feb. To help us in our Lenten discipline, the church of England is offering a daily reflection called 'God's story, Our story'. In normal times we would purchase copies of this and distribute, but because of Covid I suggest that this year we use the download version offered free at www.churchofengland.org/livelent

During Lent this year we will continue with our pattern of services with the addition of our evening prayers on Sunday and Wednesday at 5.00pm. As with Advent, I will offer a weekly Lent vlog focusing on the themes of lent. Derek.

Zoom Evening Prayer

Zoom evening prayer will be suspended for Sunday 7th and 14th of February and Wednesday 10th – as Gill and I take some time off together. Evening prayer will return on Ash Wednesday and will continue through Lent as part of our spiritual journey – why don't you join us?

Collect for the week

Lord Jesus Christ,
light of the nation and glory of Israel:
make your home among us,
and present us pure and holy
to your heavenly Father,
your God, and our God.

Prayers for this week

Those in our books of prayer.
The residents of our villages
Our farmers
Those who travel through our parishes
The world – for peace

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

Meet the new PCC

Nicky Edgeley

My name is Nicky Edgeley and I have lived on Bexley Hill for the last 20 or so years. I really enjoy attending services in all of our three churches. I work as a special needs literacy teacher at Oakwood School in Chichester. In my spare time, I love seeing my family and enjoy running/ walking in the woods with my two dogs, reading, cooking and Pilates.

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