

St James', Wulfstan Way, Cambridge

The Weekly Sheet

16 January 2022

THE 2nd SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY



Today:

8.00 am Holy Communion
10.00 am Parish Eucharist

Welcome to our services.

As we begin 2022, the PCC are continuing to ask everyone who comes inside the church building to wear a mask, to use the hand sanitizer and to sign our 'track and trace' register. The chairs will be arranged in a safely-distanced way and we ask people to stay in their household groups. We will continue to monitor the Government and C of E guidelines and will respond accordingly.

Today's readings are:

Isaiah 62.1-5; Psalm 36.5-10; 1 Corinthians 12.1-11; John 2.1-11

Our hymns at 10 o'clock are:

Opening:	Hail to the Lord's anointed	NEH 55
Offertory:	The race that long in darkness pined	NEH 57
Communion:	God is love, and where true love is	NEH 513
Final:	The Church's one foundation	NEH 484 omit v3
Anthem:	<i>O for a closer walk</i> (C V Stanford)	

Collect for today

Eternal Lord,
our beginning and our end:
bring us with the whole creation
to your glory, hidden through past ages
and made known
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

This week:

Monday 17 th	9.15 am	Morning Prayer in Church
	10.00 am	Meditation Group in the Study Centre
Wednesday 19 th	10.15 am	Eucharist in Church

Thursday 20th 7.30 pm PCC Meeting, via Zoom
Friday 21st 9.15 am Morning Prayer in Church

Isaiah 62.1-5

The Vindication and Salvation of Zion

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent,
and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest,
until her vindication shines out like the dawn,
and her salvation like a burning torch.
The nations shall see your vindication,
and all the kings your glory;
and you shall be called by a new name
that the mouth of the LORD will give.
You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD,
and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.
You shall no more be termed Forsaken,
and your land shall no more be termed Desolate;
but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her,
and your land Married;
for the LORD delights in you,
and your land shall be married.
For as a young man marries a young woman,
so shall your builder marry you,
and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride,
so shall your God rejoice over you.

Psalms 36.5-10

Your love, O Lord, reaches / to the / heavens
and your / faithfulness / to the / clouds.
Your righteousness stands like the strong mountains,
your justice like the / great / deep;
you, Lord, shall / save both / man and / beast.
How precious is your loving / mercy, O / God!
All mortal flesh shall take refuge
under the / shadow / of your / wings.
They shall be satisfied with the abundance / of your / house;
they shall drink from the / river of / your de/lights.
For with you is the / well of / life
and in your / light shall / we see / light.
O continue your loving-kindness to / those who / know you
and your righteousness to / those who are / true of / heart.

1 Corinthians 12.1-11

Spiritual Gifts

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.

John 2.1-11

The Wedding at Cana

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

Readings for next Sunday, 23 January 2022 (3rd Sunday of Epiphany)

Nehemiah 8.1-3, 5-6, 8-10; Psalm 19 [or 19.1-6]; 1 Corinthians 12.12-31a; Luke 4.14-21

Those children who are to be **admitted to communion** are invited to meet with Steve (with their parents) **today after the 10am service** and next Sunday, 23rd January. Children will be admitted on Sunday 30 January (Candlemas).

Good news from Rosie - she gave birth to Aidan Francis on 2 January and they are both well.

Caroline is on holiday this week.

The **Food Hub** is open again regularly on Saturdays, 10.30 – 12 noon.

Congregation of St James'

Sunday	Jim Bentley and family
Monday	Jill and Hugh Bradley, Emily and Amanda
Tuesday	Jennie and Guy Brandon, Sophie and Joseph
Wednesday	Josephine and Alan Brearley and family
Thursday	Bill and Fiona Broadhurst
Friday	Pam Butler and family
Saturday	Chris and Mary Calladine and family

Contacts

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Weekly Church Activities

Junior Choir Practice	Sundays, 11.15 am – 12 noon
Choir Practice	Mondays, 6.30 pm—7.30 pm
Meditation Group	Mondays, 10.00 am

Community Activities

Beavers (6-8 yrs)	16thcambridgebeavers@gmail.com
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