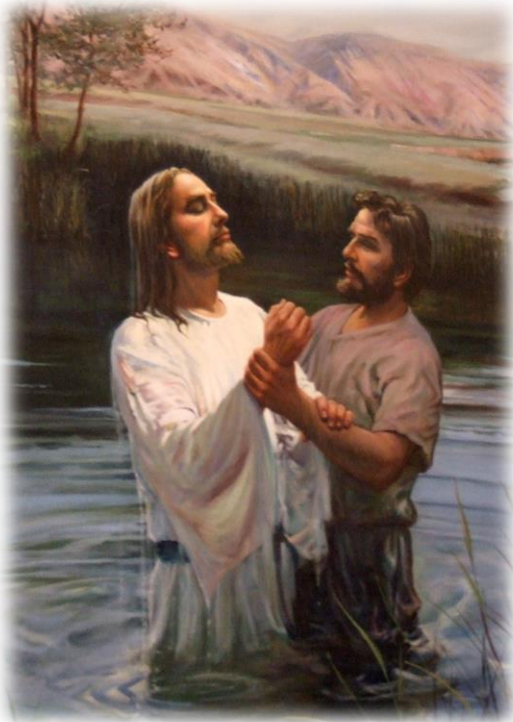




WORTHING CHRIST CHURCH

Grafton Road BN11 1QY

HYMN, SONG AND SERVICE SHEET



**The Baptism of Christ
The Second Sunday of
Epiphany**

12th January 2020

**10.30am Morning Prayer
with**

**The Revd David Renshaw
and Canon Muriel Pargeter**

*There is prayer in the organ vestry every Sunday
at 10am for 15 minutes before the service and you
are welcome to join at any time.*

TODAY:

1st Reading: Psalm 16 read by Gwen M

**2nd Reading: Matthew 3: 13 – end
read by Barbara H**

Intercessions led by John B

*The Organ Voluntary following our service today is:
Tiento de 4 Tono by Sebastián Aguilera de Heredia
1561-1627 Huesca 1585-1603
and Zaragoza cathedral 1603-27.*

SERVICES IN JANUARY 2020

- 19th 10.30am Holy Communion**
with The Revd Roger Walker
6pm BCP Evensong
with The Revd Roger Walker
- 23rd 10.30am BCP Holy Communion**
with The Revd David Renshaw
- 26th 10.30am Morning Prayer** with Derek Hansen

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Opening Hymn

To Him we come – Jesus Christ our Lord,
God's own living Word, His dear Son:
in Him there is no east and west,
in Him all nations shall be blest;
to all He offers peace and rest – loving Lord!

In Him we live – Christ our strength and stay,
life and truth and way, friend divine:
His power can break the chains of sin,
still all life's storms without, within,
help us the daily fight to win- living Lord!

For Him we go – soldiers of the cross,
counting all things loss Him to know;
going to every land and race,
preaching to all redeeming grace,
building His church in every place – conquering Lord!

With Him we serve – His the work we share
with saints everywhere, near and far;
one in the task which faith requires,
one in the zeal which never tires,
one in the hope His love inspires – coming Lord!

Onward we go – faithful, bold and true,
called His will to do day by day
till, at the last, with joy we'll see
Jesus, in glorious majesty;
live with Him through eternity – reigning Lord!

Worship Songs

River, wash over me,
cleanses me and make me new.
Bathe me, refresh me and fill me anew.
River, wash over me.

Spirit, watch over me,
lead me to Jesus' feet.
Cause me to worship and fill me anew.
Spirit, watch over me.

Jesus, rule over me,
reign over all my heart.
Teach me to praise you and fill me anew.
Jesus, rule over me.

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Song 2

Faithful One, so unchanging,
Ageless One, you're my rock of peace.
Lord of all, I depend on you,
I call out to you again and again,
I call out to you again and again.
You are my rock in times of trouble,
you lift me up when I fall down.
All through the storm your love is the anchor,
my hope is in you alone.

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HYMN [34]

On Jordan's bank the Baptist's cry
announces that the Lord is nigh:
awake and hearken, for he brings
glad tidings of the King of kings.

Then cleansed be every breast from sin,
make straight the way for God within,
prepare we in our hearts a home
where such a mighty guest may come.

For thou art our salvation, Lord,
our refuge and our great reward
without thy grace we waste away
like flowers that wither and decay.

To heal the sick, stretch out thine hand,
and bid the fallen sinner stand;
shine forth, and let thy light restore
earth's own true loveliness once more.

All praise, eternal Son, to thee
whose advent doth thy people free,
whom with the Father we adore,
and Holy Ghost for evermore.

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Offertory Hymn [163]

All hail the power of Jesu's name;
let angels prostrate fall,
bring forth the royal diadem
to crown him Lord of all.

Crown him ye morning stars of light,
who fixed this floating ball;
now hail the Strength of Israel's might,
and crown him Lord of all.

Crown him, ye martyrs of your God,
who from his altar call;
praise him whose way of pain ye trod,
and crown him Lord of all.

Ye seed of Israel's chosen race,
ye ransomed of the fall,
hail him who saves you by his grace,
and crown him Lord of all.

Sinners, whose love can ne'er forget
the wormwood and the gall,
go spread your trophies at his feet
and crown him Lord of all.

Let every tribe and every tongue
to him their hearts enthral,
lift high the universal song
and crown him Lord of all.



***Please stay for coffee
and a chat after the service!***



All those whom we know that are sick, troubled or lonely, those who have recently been bereaved and church family members and residents in local nursing & care homes whom Muriel and the pastoral team visit.

Parish Magazine

Please continue to send us items to include – these can be recipes [family recipes, not those taken directly from any published book], clean, funny jokes, items of interest about people or places and poetry, or indeed, anything you think people will enjoy reading. *Janine and Ann P*



Many thanks to all who come along to support our 'Open Church' days throughout the week, and especially to our fundraising Mission coffee mornings each Wednesday, when we welcome donations for the many missions we support.

Please note!

Canon Muriel's Bible Study Group resumes on **21st January 2020 at 2.30pm** at the back of the church. This will take place on every 3rd Tuesday in the month. *For any further details, please contact her on 01903 214476*



Men's Group Update



It is planned to hold the **inaugural get together** of anyone interested (or just curious) on **Saturday 1 Feb 2020**. It is likely this will just be a round table session to share a cup of tea and bacon roll and a chat. *If you will be attending, please complete this slip, and hand to me John H. to me – John H*

I will be attending on 1st February at 9.30am
Name

Phone number.....

A New Year's resolution perhaps?

Ever wanted to learn how to paint? Or maybe you'd like to continue painting, with the support of a group?



Roy W has taught adults to paint in watercolour for over 50 years, and would very much like to start a group for the Christ Church family.

He is planning to hold it fortnightly, on a Monday. The 'term' would last 12 weeks. Roy will teach the basic techniques of pure transparent watercolour painting but is happy to have those with experience to join also. Sessions would be held in Roy's home, near to the church, or maybe in the church, depending on the groups and the numbers. Those who are starting with no materials should be aware that the cost of the necessary materials would be around £45.



Roy will explain everything in the first meeting, so if you are interested, please do talk with Roy, or give your names and contact details to Janine



Coffee Ministry!



Christ Church is open all through the week for everyone to pop in for a chat and a coffee. We would really appreciate some more help with this. You wouldn't necessarily have to make coffee or tea, but in most cases, just sitting and chatting in the morning or afternoon would be so helpful.

Of course, if you are able to make the odd hot drink, that would be great also!!

We are open every Tuesday and Wednesday morning from 10.30am to 12 noon, from 2.30 to 4pm on a Thursday afternoon and from 10.30am to 12 noon every 2nd and 4th Saturday.

Please let Ken or Di know if you can come along.

TURNING TIDES

[Formerly Worthing Churches Homeless Projects]

This local charity supports Homeless people who feel excluded from society, are often depressed, frightened, in danger at night, and hungry and thirsty.

TURNING TIDES can change all that, but they need help from us in just small ways.

There is a basket and a weekly list of practical donations that they badly need at present, at the back of the church:

For more information, please ask **Judie J.**
Thank you!!

Rainbow Poetry at Christ Church

We next meet on 16th January 2020 at 2.30pm in the Organ vestry, when the topic will be 'Retrospect and prospect'

20th February: William Blake

19th March: Solitude

Bring any poem of your own, if you care to.

Admission Free

Please enquire for similar meetings in Brighton and Shoreham.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY!

Tuesday 21st January 2020 12.30pm - 1.30pm

Paul Gregory [Cello], Marielle Way [Flute]
and Yoko Ono [Piano]

Saturday 25th January 2020 – 1pm

Film Matinee with tea and cake to follow

Tuesday 4th February 2020 12.30pm – 1.30pm

A talk from a Police Community Support Officer

Tuesday 18th February 2020 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Piano Concert with Ben Solomon

Tuesday 21st April 2020 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Martin Smith [Euphonium] and Chris Coote [piano]

Tuesday 5th May 2020 12.30pm – 1.30pm

Yoko Ono Piano recital

Mary Stewart has asked for prayers this month for the Bible Society in Albania



May we give thanks that when the Communist system fell in 1990, Christian missionaries flooded in; and now 30 years later, the first modern Albanian Bible has been finished and accepted by all the churches there. Please pray that many Albanian lives will be touched as they read the Bible in a language they can understand.

Robin is organising trips for church family and friends. He is licensed to hire and drive a minibus, so do you have any suggestions as to where you would like to visit for the day?

If you are interested, please complete this page and hand it to Ann or Janine

Name

Phone number or email address

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Where would you like to visit?

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