

For God, for one another, for the world 'Building hope in God alone'

Sunday 5th January 2025 **Epiphany**

10 am Parish Communion

Rev Elaine Collins President:

Collect:

Creator of the heavens, who led the Magi by a star to worship the Christ-child: and sustain us, that we may find our journey's end in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Readings: Isaiah 60 1-6 (Jackie)

Matthew 2 1-12 (John)

Sermon: Rev Fi Gwynn

Intercessions: Pippa Daphne Chalice:

Sidespersons: Ros and Charlie

Next Sunday: 8 am Holy Communion

10 am Morning Worship

In January, we pray for:

Our Church: the Province of Myanmar

Our quarterly mission: Christians Against Poverty Our village: those who live in Holdfast Lane, Three

Gates Lane and Highercombe Road

Individuals in particular need: Jan F-D, Jossie, Anthea, Kim, Andy, Sarah Dowd, those caring for others, those known to us, and only to God.

Anniversaries in January: Baptism: William Grover;

Marriages: Caroline and Jonathan;

Deaths: Heather Wibaut, Stella Harrington

Michael Richmond, Shirley Cobbett

Church open daily from 9.30 to 4 (ish!)

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NOTICES

Please turn off mobile phones during the service

Thank you – to everyone who worked so hard to make the church look so beautiful and who made all our Christmas services such a success. It was lovely to see lots of visitors as well as our regular congregation.

Morning prayer - 9 am Wednesday morning in the North Transept - All welcome.

Toddler Group (term time only) starts back on Wednesday 8th Jan 9-11 am

House Group starts again on Tuesday 14th January at 7.30 pm at Pippa and John's

Runner inclusions: Please send any items for February edition to the office by 15th January -Thank you (allsaintsgrayswood@gmail.com).

Church Office: The church office is currently closed. Emails will be monitored but if you need an urgent answer then please contact Fi.

A Prayer for New Year by Richard Everett

May your Holy Spirit

walk the corridors of earthly power And search the hearts of those who rule May He bring wisdom to where there is foolishness

Compassion to where there is cruelty Humility to where there is pride Love to where there is hatred And peace to where there is hostility And may the steadfast love, mercy and faithfulness Of our Heavenly Father Over rule in all things In the name of Christ Amen

Joining on zoom - Sunday Services are now set as a recurring meeting Topic: All Saints Sunday

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