



*St* MICHAEL & ALL  
ANGELS CHURCH  
ABINGDON-ON-THAMES

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**20<sup>th</sup> December 2020 to 9<sup>th</sup> January**  
**Fourth Sunday of Advent to 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas**

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***Items for inclusion in the next Leaflet (10 JANUARY 2021) to be sent to David Duce by midday on Tuesday 5 January 2021. Telephone 522591 [pewleaflet@stmichaels-abingdon.org.uk](mailto:pewleaflet@stmichaels-abingdon.org.uk)***

***[\*for Baptisms, Weddings, Funerals please contact the Parish Office]***

**THE CLERGY, CHURCHWARDENS AND COUNCIL** wish all our readers peace and joy at Christmas and a Happy New Year.

**FROM THE EDITOR** This issue of the pew leaflet covers the period from 20 December 2020 to 9 January 2021. It includes collects and tables of the readings at the Mass, week by week, over this period. If changes to the envisaged pattern of services are necessary as a result of changes to Covid restrictions, readers will be informed by email where possible and by other means for those who receive printed copies.

**THE PARISH OFFICE** The office is currently open normal hours. You can contact the Parish Administrator by email or phone 01235 520144 or 07395 943957 during normal office hours: Monday-Friday, 10am – 1pm, and other times by arrangement. The office is closed on Thursdays. Please phone ahead to arrange access and observe COVID protocols by signing in if you visit. The Parish Office will be closed from Wednesday lunchtime, 23 December, until Monday 4 January 2021.

**MESSAGE FROM FR PAUL – Emmanuel – God with us**

Dear Friends

You will note that this pew leaflet covers the period from today until Sunday 9 January. I want to take this opportunity therefore to thank David Duce for all his hard work in preparing the material in the pew leaflet during unprecedented times. David has provided us with a wealth of resources for our spiritual nourishment during the pandemic, during Lockdown, and during those times when we have been able to return to church. It has been greatly appreciated.

Today we re-visit that great gospel narrative of the Annunciation to Mary and Mary's great 'Yes' to God. She makes this response despite her fear and confusion. This famous passage prepares us for the birth of Christ and the great mystery that God comes to meet us in His Son. The mystery of the Incarnation, and the Word made flesh, is what we are preparing to celebrate. This Christmas is of course very different, like no other. Many people will be deprived of being with family and friends. Many will be disappointed and frustrated. Many others still, will be in grief, and many deprived of their health. As a result, their lives may never be the same again. It is not simply with joy that we celebrate the unchanging truth of Christmas but we pray for comfort for those who are suffering, assured that in Jesus, the Word-made-flesh, God is with us.

This comes with my love, prayers, and every blessing for you and your families and friends this Christmas and for the new year ahead, that you may be filled with hope, joy and peace.

*Fr Paul*

**PUBLIC WORSHIP AND PRIVATE PRAYER**

Our next Sunday Mass will be on 4<sup>th</sup> **Sunday of Advent, 20 December**. If you wish to come to Mass that Sunday, **please contact Peter Squire (details on the cover)** before 12 noon on the Friday before.

If you wish to attend Mass at **10.00 am on Christmas Day** or **9.30 am on Sunday 27 December**, please contact Peter Squire **as soon as possible**. Similarly for Mass on **Sunday 3 January, Wednesday 6 January** (at 6.00pm Feast of the Epiphany) and **Sunday 10 January**.

The Order of Mass for each of these services will be available on the web site, in short and long forms in due course, should you wish to bring your own printed copy, load onto a mobile device or follow the Mass at home. Printed copies of the short form only will be available in church. [https://stmichaels-abingdon.org.uk/worship\\_resources.htm](https://stmichaels-abingdon.org.uk/worship_resources.htm)

The restriction on places of worship in Tier 2 is "*places of worship remain open but you must not socialise with people from outside of your household or support bubble while you are indoors there, unless a legal exemption applies*". Outside the rule is "*you must not socialise in a group of more than 6 people outside, including in a garden or a public space – this is called the 'rule of 6'*")

(Source: <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/local-restriction-tiers-what-you-need-to-know#high-alert>)

A recording of the **Eucharist for Sunday 20 December** at St Helen's Church will be made available to view through the *Parish Resources page* later that day

[https://www.abingdon-st-helens.org.uk/Parish/P\\_resources.html](https://www.abingdon-st-helens.org.uk/Parish/P_resources.html)

**Morning Prayer** will be said in St Helen's Church at 9.10 am, Monday to Friday, but will be suspended from 24 December, resuming on Monday 4 January.

**St Michael's** will be **NOT** open for Private Prayer/ Advent Reflections on 24 December Christmas Eve. Covid restrictions permitting, it is hoped that the church will reopen for Private Prayer on Thursdays from **11 am to 1 pm** from 7 January. For details for **St Nicolas'** and St Helen's Churches, please refer to their web sites,

<https://www.stnicolasabingdon.org.uk/> and <https://www.abingdon-st-helens.org.uk/>

**CHRISTMAS CRIB AND CHRISTINGLE – CHRISTMAS EVE** On-line services this year! There will be a service on Zoom at 3.30pm on Christmas Eve which will be interactive and aimed more at younger children. To get the Zoom code for this please email [AoT.Christingle@gmail.com](mailto:AoT.Christingle@gmail.com) before 24 December. There will be a second, recorded, service

available on the website from 4.30pm which will be a fuller service (about 30 minutes). For further details see the [St Helen's Church website](#). Christingle kits will be handed out from the West Porch at St Helen's Church, 1:30-3:30 pm each weekday 16 to -23 December also 10:30 am-12:30 pm on Saturday 19 December.

**ST MICHAEL'S XMAS RAFFLE** An Xmas raffle has been organised to raise money for church funds as well as to raise our spirits for the Christmas season. 1st prize £20 Waitrose voucher + a selection of Waitrose festive treats, 2nd prize a bottle of wine + a jigsaw puzzle. (Thank you to Waitrose for donating some of the prizes.) Tickets £1 each. If you would like to buy tickets, please contact Helen Owen tel. 01235 532377 or email [helenowen@john-lewis.com](mailto:helenowen@john-lewis.com) Tickets can be delivered or collected. Draw to take place on Tuesday 22 December. *Helen Owen*

**RADIO 4: A HISTORY OF THE BIBLE.** Hugh Bonneville will read five extracts from John Barton's award-winning book starting at 9.45 each day from Monday 28 December and ending on New Year's Day and repeated at 00.30 the following day. The first episode is *Ancient Book, Modern World*, and the last *Nine Lessons and Carols*. Recordings will be available online shortly after each broadcast.

**SANCTUARY LAMPS 2021** There is now a list on the Notice Board at the back of church for those who wish to sponsor the lighting of Sanctuary Lamps during next year in memory of a loved one or to commemorate another occasion.

**CHRISTMAS CARD NOTICE BOARD** As in previous years there will be an opportunity for you to place your Christmas Cards and greetings for the congregation on the Notice Board at the North West end of the church.

**BISHOP ANDREW PROUD – ADVENT QUIET EVENINGS** Bishop Andrew is offering a series of four Quiet Evenings to help people create space, at home, to tend the seed of eternity in the soul and prepare to receive the gift of Christ. Free tickets can be booked via Eventbrite.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/advent-quiet-evenings-tickets-127535938425>

Each Quiet Evening will be offered online through the Zoom platform, every Wednesday in Advent. Lasting no more than one hour, they will begin with a ten minute reflection, followed by time for personal prayer and meditation. There will be suggestions to help you get the most out of the time. Each evening will end with Compline, night prayer. The theme for Wednesday 23 December is 'Welcoming the Light'.

**ONLINE COURSES** Some readers might be interested in pursuing an on-line course in the coming months. The [programme](#) for the Oxford Diocesan "Equipping for life – learning for discipleship and ministry" Spring courses is now available. The link is also on the *Prayer and Worship Resources* page on our web site. These courses are for those training as Licensed Lay Ministers or for ordination, and also for anyone with a passion to learn more about their faith, about God and our place in his world. "Interested learners" are under no pressure to do marked assignments! Courses are at a variety of levels; the Spring courses include Introduction to the Bible, New Testament Studies and Learning New Testament Greek.

Also as part of the Continuing Ministerial Development provision, the University Church in Oxford has produced a short series of [podcasts](#), meditations on the Gospel of Mark. While they are aimed at those who will be preaching on this gospel over the next twelve months, their approach enables everyone to reflect further on what many believe to be the first gospel.

**MIRFIELD TALKS** For readers with Internet access, the latest talk by Fr Nicolas CR *Growing in Christ* is now available on YouTube <https://youtu.be/bG2kSK921EU> Fr John CR is preparing a series of 3 talks on Art for Advent, the first on John the Baptist is now available at <https://youtu.be/AnYUeXNzSU>

**CHURCH IN ABINGDON CHRISTIAN AID WALK 2021** will be 'self-service' this year and can be done anytime during January, singly or in household/wider groups and must follow COVID guidelines at the time the walk is completed. Visit 9 CiA churches to find a single letter [on poster] at each church to make an anagram of a word connected with Christian Aid's Christmas Appeal. Our poster should be displayed in the main notice board sometime before 1 January and can hopefully remain in place for the whole month. Participants will be asked for the 'word' they have found. Sponsors are invited to make a donation via the Just Giving page, <https://www.justgiving.com/team/Abingdon-Churches-OR838> Prospective walkers should contact Rob King Ab 553715 [rking.home@ntlworld.com](mailto:rking.home@ntlworld.com) or Mary Anderson on [mary.fulani@gmail.com](mailto:mary.fulani@gmail.com) or 07956 813524 for details of the walk.

**CHRISTMAS CHRISTIAN AID ONLINE QUIZ** Following the success of the quiz in May for Christian Aid Week, another quiz is planned for the evening of Saturday 16 January 2021. More details of this event and how to register will be circulated to our CiA church representative, or contact Cliff Marshall at [candpmarshall@btinternet.com](mailto:candpmarshall@btinternet.com). In any case please save the date on your new calendars.

**CHURCH TWINNING** John Clare has Christmas cards with cosy scenes of Abingdon, priced at £4.50 for a packet of 10, to raise money for Church Twinning with our fellow Christians in our twin towns. The Church Twinning Committee thinks Brexit makes it especially important to keep in touch with them. Packets can be ordered from John

Clare (01235 525898), for home delivery or collection.

**A CANDLE IN THE WINDOW** Issue 10 is now available! The last before Christmas. Download from <https://www.abingdon-st-helens.org.uk/DNR/window.php>

## **Worship 20 December to 26 December**

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**Sunday Mass:** The Rector will preside and Beryl Clements will preach on 20 December. A Eucharistic service recorded at St Helen's Church for the Fourth Sunday of Advent will be available on the Parish web site sometime on Sunday 20 December.

**Monday 21 to Thursday 24 December** There are no commemorations in this period, so perhaps a time to reflect on Psalm 46.10a 'Be still and know that I am God' and two verses of the Office Hymn:

Into the silence of our hearts	May every thought and word of ours
with God the Father and the Son,	have power to praise your holy name!
in answer to our constant prayer,	may others find in us that fire
O Holy Spirit, quickly come!	with which your love must ever flame.

**20 December** Today we light the fourth candle of the Advent Wreath and the theme is the Virgin Mary. The lighting of the candle is accompanied by the prayer:

Blessed are you, sovereign Lord, merciful and gentle:  
to you be praise and glory for ever.

Your light has shone in our darkened world  
through the child-bearing of blessed Mary;  
grant that we who have seen your glory  
may daily be renewed in your image  
and prepared like her for the coming of your Son,  
who is the Lord and Saviour of all.

**Blessed be God for ever.**

**Collect:** God our redeemer, who prepared the Blessed Virgin Mary to be the mother of your Son: grant that, as she looked for his coming as our saviour, so we may be ready to greet him when he comes again as our judge; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**25 December** On Christmas Day we light the final, white, candle in the centre of the Advent Wreath.

Lord Jesus,  
Light of light,  
you have come among us.  
Help us who live by your light to shine as lights  
in your world.

Glory to God in the highest.

**Collect:** Almighty God, you have given us your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon him and as at this time to be born of a pure virgin: grant that we, who have been born again and made your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord ...

**From a sermon** preached by Austin Farrer one Christmas Day in Christ Church Cathedral. Austin Farrer was an Anglican priest, philosopher, New Testament scholar, preacher, and Warden of Keble College, Oxford. He died suddenly on 29 December 1968, but his memory lives on through his published works and not least collections of sermons. A recently published book *Austin Farrer, Oxford Warden, Scholar, Preacher* (edited by Markus Bockmuehl and Stephen Platten with Nevsky Everett) based on a conference held at Keble College in 2018 marks the 50<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of this death and the 200<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the founding of Keble College in 2020 contains a chapter by John Barton on Austin Farrer as a preacher. John studied under Farrer at Keble College and he gives an insightful account of the superb way Farrer constructed his sermons. The extract below is from *A Grasp of the Hand* one of the examples used by John.

Yet Mary holds her finger out, and a divine hand closes on it. The maker of the world is born a begging child; he begs for milk, and does not know that it is milk for which he begs. We will not lift our hands to pull the love of God down to us, but he lifts his hands to pull human compassion down upon his cradle. So the weakness of God proves stronger than men, and the folly of God proves wiser than men. Love is the strongest instrument of omnipotence, for accomplishing those tasks he cares most dearly to perform; and this is how he brings his love to bear on human pride; by weakness not by strength, by need and not by bounty.

**Please pray for:**

- those whose Christmas will be marked by suffering as a result of the pandemic;
- the homeless and the work of Shelter, Crisis at Christmas, and all homeless charities;
- those who are lonely or alone this Christmas;
- that our worship and witness this Christmas will give glory to God;
- for the coming year and for our awareness and dependence on the faithfulness of God;
- the suffering, recently departed and all whose year's mind falls at this time;
- all people living in our parish.

**Eucharistic Lectionary 20 to 26 December**

<b>Sun</b>	<b>2 Samuel 7.1-11, 16</b>	<b>Ps 89.1-4, 19-26</b>	<b>Romans 16.25-end</b>	<b>Luke 1.26-38</b>
<b>Mon</b>	Zephaniah 3.14-18	Ps 33.1-4, 11-12, 20-end		Luke 1.39-45
<b>Tues</b>	1 Samuel 1.24-end	Ps 113		Luke 1.46-56
<b>Wed</b>	Malachi 3.1-4, 4.5-end	Ps 25.3-9		Luke 1.57-66
<b>Thur Christmas Eve</b>	2 Samuel 7.1-5, 8-11, 16	Ps 89.2, 19-27	Acts 13.16-26	Luke 1.67-79
<b>Fri Christmas Day</b>	<b>Isaiah 52.7-10</b>	<b>Ps 98</b>	<b>Hebrews 1.1-4 [5-12]</b>	<b>John 1.1-14</b>
<b>Sat</b>	2 Chronicles 24.20-22	Ps 119.161-168	Acts 7.51-end	Matthew 10.17-22

**Worship 27 December to 2 January**

**Sunday Mass:** Fr Paul will preside and preach on 27 December and the Revd Jen Brown on 3 January. A Eucharistic service recorded at St Helen's Church for the 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Christmas will be available on the Parish web site sometime on Sunday 27 December.

**The Sanctuary Lamps** from 28 December to 3 January are sponsored by Frank Debney in memory of his father, Frederick Debney, year's mind.

**Monday 28 December to Saturday 2 January** Monday is the feast of The Holy Innocents; John Apostle and Evangelist may be kept on Sunday or Tuesday, Thursday is the commemoration of John Wyclif, reformer, 1384, Friday is the feast of the Naming and Circumcision of Jesus and Saturday the commemoration of Basil the Great and Gregory of Nazianzus, bishops and teachers of the faith, 379 and 389.

**The Holy Innocents**

**Collect:** Heavenly Father; whose children suffered at the hands of Herod, though they had done no wrong: by the suffering of your Son and by the innocence of our lives frustrate all evil designs and establish your reign of justice and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord ...

**John Apostle and Evangelist**

**Collect:** Merciful Lord, cast your bright beams of light upon the Church: that, being enlightened by the teaching of your blessed apostle and evangelist Saint John, we may so walk in the light of your truth that we may at last attain to the light of everlasting life; through Jesus Christ your incarnate Son our Lord ...

**Naming and Circumcision of Jesus**

**Collect:** Almighty God, whose blessed Son was circumcised in obedience to the law for our sake and given the Name that is above every name: give us grace faithfully to bear his Name, to worship him in the freedom of the Spirit, and to proclaim him as the Saviour of the world; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**From The Holy Name,** a sermon by Austin Farrer.

... That God is present to our thoughts by his Name, is no mystery, since it is by their names that our friends find lodgement there. It is round our friend's remembered names that the care we have for them and the pleasure we take in them twine themselves and find a permanent focus. So God is present to us by his Name, and by that presence makes our heart his temple. When we speak to him we address ourselves to his Name within us; and God, being Spirit and universal power, actually moves and touches us and makes himself felt through his Name which dwells in us.

**In the parish please pray for:**

- people living in Francis Little Drive, Gainsborough Green, Godfrey Close, Golafre Road Gosling Court, Grebe Close, Harding Road and Healey Close.

### Eucharistic Lectionary 27 December to 3 January

Sun	Isaiah 61.10-62.3	Ps 148	Galatians 4.4-7	Luke 2.15-21
Mon The Holy Innocents	Jeremiah 31.15-17	Ps 124	1 Corinthians 1.26-29	Matthew 2.13-18
Tues John, Apostle and Evangelist	Exodus 33.7-11a	Ps 117	1 John 1	John 21.19b-end
Wed	1 John 2.12-17	Ps 96.7-10		Luke 2.36-40
Thur	1 John 2.18-21	Ps 96.1, 11-end		John 1.1-18
Fri Naming and Circumcision of Jesus	Numbers 6.22-end	Ps 8	Galatians 4.4-7	Luke 2.15-21
Sat	1 John 2.22-28	Ps 98.1-4		John 1.19-28

### Worship 3 January to 9 January

**Sunday Mass:** The Revd Jen Brown will preside at Mass on 3 January and the Revd David Bevington will preside and Mrs Gwen Bevington will preach at Mass on 10 January. A Eucharistic service recorded at St Helen's Church for the 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas will be available on the Parish web site sometime on Sunday 3 January. Covid restrictions permitting, a Mass for the Feast of the Epiphany will be celebrated by Fr Paul at **6 pm on Wednesday 6 January.**

#### 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Christmas

**Collect:** Almighty God, in the birth of your Son you have poured on us the new light of your incarnate Word, and shown us the fullness of your love: help us to walk in his light and dwell in his love that we may know the fullness of his joy; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever

#### Epiphany

**Collect:** O God, who by the leading of a star manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth: mercifully grant that we, who know you now by faith, may at last behold your glory face to face; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, ...

**From *The Silent Christ*,** a sermon by Austin Farrer on the Second Sunday after Epiphany, 1966 in Keble College Chapel. Although this is looking ahead beyond the Feast of the Epiphany, the conclusion is appropriate for the feast. ... this is the love of Christ, that he cares for us as we are, and makes us as good as we let him. And so Christ manifests his power without sign or noise. ... 'How is it', said his disciple Jude to Jesus at the supper, 'that thou wilt manifest thyself to us, and not to the world?' Jesus answered, 'If a man love me, he will keep my word, and my Father will love him, and we will come unto him and make our abode in him.' Such is the hidden Epiphany, the silent self-manifestation of Christ.

#### In the parish please pray for:

- people living in Herman Close, Hermitage Road, Heron Court and High Street.

### Eucharistic Lectionary 3 January to 9 January

Sun	Jeremiah 31.7-14	Ps 147.13-end	Ephesians 1.3-14	John 1.[1-9] 10-18
Mon	1 John 3.7-10	Ps 98.1, 8-end		John 1.35-42
Tues	1 John 3.11-21	Ps 100		John 1.43-end
Wed Epiphany	Isaiah 60.1-6	Ps 72. [1-9] 10-15	Ephesians 3.1-12	Matthew 2.1-12
Thur	1 John 3.22- 4.6	Ps 2.7-end		Mathew 4.12-17, 23-end
Fri	1 John 4.7-10	Ps 72.1-8		Mark 6.34-44
Sat	1 John 4.11-18	Ps 72.1, 10-13		Mark 6.45-52

#### Some On-line Resources for Worship

Bishop Steven is producing an increasingly popular weekly podcast. Current and past episodes are available from <https://blogs.oxford.anglican.org/podcast/>

Parish resources page

[http://www.abingdon-st-helens.org.uk/Parish/P\\_resources.html](http://www.abingdon-st-helens.org.uk/Parish/P_resources.html).

St Michael's Prayer and Worship resources page

[https://www.stmichaels-abingdon.org.uk/worship\\_resources.htm](https://www.stmichaels-abingdon.org.uk/worship_resources.htm)

Church Live Two churches in the Oxford Diocese are joining a national project by broadcasting Christmas events using some recent developments in social media. Dorchester Abbey's Posada Party on 20 December at 10.30am and St Luke's Church Reading's Crib Service on 24 December at 4pm will be transmitted live via the social media streaming app Periscope (made by Twitter) which allows live-streaming from a mobile phone or tablet. See

<https://www.oxford.anglican.org/christmas-services-broadcast-on-churchlive/>

*Diocesan Church at Home* (Live-streamed Eucharist) page.

Online each Sunday, Christmas Midnight Service and a special Christmas Day service. Church at Home takes place each Sunday at 10am right through to the end of the year. Christ Church will live stream the Christmas Midnight service from the Cathedral at 11.30 pm. There will also be Church at Home online services available on Christmas Day and Sunday 27 December. Details, some of which were to follow at the time of writing, at

<https://www.oxford.anglican.org/coronavirus-covid-19/livestream/>

*Oxford Cathedral*: services now include Evening Prayer live-streamed at 6.05 pm on weekdays, and on Sundays a Choral Eucharist at 11.05 am and Choral Evensong at 6.05 pm. <https://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/oxfords-cathedral/online-worship>. Livestream events will appear on the cathedral's YouTube channel

<https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCqz9I9-LbZJAPGtje0gQbbg/videos> A daily Eucharist is celebrated by members of the clergy.

The cathedral blog is hosting a series of 30 daily reflections on the *Rule of St Augustine* written by Fr Richard Peers, sub-dean of the cathedral since September this year <https://www.chch.ox.ac.uk/blog/category/cathedral>

*Community of the Resurrection*: live streaming and recordings of the community's daily round of prayer and praise <https://www.facebook.com/Join-with-us-103095121647089> (new address). Details of services at the facebook page and also at the Community web site, though at the time of writing there were some problems with the web site which were being addressed <https://mirfield.org.uk/community-of-the-resurrection/our-life-and-work/worship/> For Christmas, on Christmas Eve there is Mass at 12.15pm and Midnight Mass at 11.30pm. On Christmas Day Mattins is at 8.00 am, Midday Office and Mass at 11.15 am, Evensong at 6 pm and Compline at 8.30 pm. The Sunday timetable will apply on 26 and 27 December.

*Walsingham* In addition to the daily live-streaming of Shrine Prayers at 6 pm. the Sunday Mass is live-streamed at 9.00 am, <https://www.walsinghamanglican.org.uk/>

#### **RESOURCES ACCESSIBLE BY TELEPHONE**

*Diocesan Eucharist* Recordings should be available from around 11am each Sunday. Simply call 01865 920930 and, once connected, dial 0 for the full service or 1 a shortened form. Standard call rates apply.

*Daily Hope* A Church of England resource offering hymns, prayers and reflections as well as full services via a freephone number 0800 804 8044.