

DIARY FOR THE WEEK

Tuesday 7th January	9.45am	<i>Mission Action Plan Meeting at the Vicarage</i>
	8.00pm	Tuesday Club in the Parish Centre Social Evening with Quiz
Wednesday 8th	10.00am	Eucharist with refreshments Celebrant: Fr Jeremy
	11.15am	<i>Service at Boyne Grove Day Centre Jeanette & the Pastoral Team</i>
	2.30pm	Senior Saints in the Parish Centre Speaker: The Revd David Downing
	3.00pm	Open the Book at All Saints School
Thursday 9th	7.30pm	<i>Stewardship Meeting at the Vicarage</i>
	8.00pm	Choir Practice
Friday 10th	10.00am	Tiny Saints Toddler Group in the Parish Centre
Saturday 11th	10.00am	Baptism Preparation in the Birinus Room
Sunday 12th		Second Sunday of Epiphany
	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP) Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy
	10.00am	Parish Eucharist Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy Crèche & Young Saints
	6.00pm	SUNDAYS@SIX Evensong & Benediction Fr Jeremy

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PARISH CHURCH OF ALL SAINTS BOYNE HILL

Sunday 5th JANUARY 2020

EPIPHANY

Please take this pew sheet home with you to look at the readings again, and to remind you of the events taking place.

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION (BCP) Collect and Readings as below.
Celebrant & Preacher: Fr Jeremy

10.00am THE PARISH EUCHARIST

Service: Eucharist for the Epiphany

Hymns: Ancient & Modern

Celebrant: Fr Jeremy

Organ Prelude *Prélude sur l'Introit de l'Épiphanie* *Duruflé*

Hymn **103 O worship the Lord in the beauty of holiness**

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, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God now and for ever.
Amen

OT READING *Isaiah 60: 1—6* *Jo McMullen*

Arise, shine; for your light has come, and the glory of the LORD has risen upon you. For darkness shall cover the earth, and thick darkness the peoples; but the LORD will arise upon you, and his glory will appear over you. Nations shall come to your light, and kings to the brightness of your dawn. Lift up your eyes and look around; they all gather together, they come to you; your sons shall come from far away, and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms. Then you shall see and be radiant; your heart shall thrill and rejoice, because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you, the wealth of the nations shall come to you. A multitude of camels shall cover you, the young camels of Midian and Ephah; all those from Sheba shall come. They shall bring gold and frankincense, and shall proclaim the praise of the LORD.

EPISTLE *Ephesians 3: 1 - 12* *Sally Unwin*

I, Paul, am a prisoner for Christ Jesus for the sake of you Gentiles – for surely you have already heard of the commission of God's grace that was given me for you, and how the mystery was made known to me by revelation, as I wrote above in a few words, a reading of which will enable you to perceive my understanding of the mystery of Christ. In former generations this mystery was not made known to humankind, as it has now been revealed to his holy apostles and prophets by the Spirit: that is, the Gentiles have become fellow-heirs, members of the same body, and sharers in the promise in Christ Jesus through the gospel. Of this gospel I have become a servant according to the gift of God's grace that was given me by the working of his power. Although I am the very least of all the saints, this grace was given to me to bring to the Gentiles the news of the boundless riches of Christ, and to make everyone see what is the plan of the mystery hidden for ages in God who created all

things; so that through the church the wisdom of God in its rich variety might now be made known to the rulers and authorities in the heavenly places. This was in accordance with the eternal purpose that he has carried out in Christ Jesus our Lord, in whom we have access to God in boldness and confidence through faith in him.

Gradual Hymn

95 Bethlehem, what greater city

GOSPEL

Matthew 2: 1 — 12

In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, asking, 'Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.' When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. They told him, 'In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet: "And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah, are by no means least among the rulers of Judah; for from you shall come a ruler who is to shepherd my people Israel." Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, 'Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.' When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure-chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

Sermon

Fr Jeremy

The Offering of Gold, Frankincense and Myrrh

105 We three kings of Orient are

Offertory Hymn

94 As with gladness men of old

Organ music during communion

Closing Hymn

97 Christ is our light

Organ Postlude

In dir ist Freude BWV 615

J S Bach

Refreshments will be served at the back of the Church
thanks to Barbara Bannister, Sally Gaines & Gillian Churchill

6.00pm

SUNDAYS @SIX Epiphany Carol Service at St Luke's

Fr Jeremy's Notes

I'd like to thank everyone who made Christmas at All Saints such a memorable occasion.

I was very sad to hear of the death on 27 December of Margaret Blakemore, another much-loved member of our congregation. Please remember Margaret's family in your prayers. As I write this her funeral details are not known.

*Wishing you all a Happy New Year.
With our prayers, Fr Jeremy & Monika
& our Churchwardens, Ann & Ken*

OTHER NEWS

Please remember to check if there are still any cards for you in the north porch.

Ann & Ken

FLOWERS FOR 2020 The new Flower Rota is on the cross aisle table; please add your name to the week you wish to sponsor. This is a very appropriate way to remember loved ones we no longer see, and to celebrate anniversaries, birthdays etc. Sponsoring a week ensures that we are able to have flowers in the church on that Sunday and relieves the PCC Funds of any cost whatsoever.

Jo & Marian

Tuesday Club 8.00pm 7th January in the Parish Centre

All welcome to our New Year Social Evening with a Quiz to get our brains in gear for 2020.

Jan Moss

Senior Saints Wednesday 8th January 2.30pm in the Parish Centre

Happy New Year to everyone! We start the year with a return visit from the Revd David Downing, who is involved with the care of immigrants at Calais. Previously, he has shown us slides of the needs involved there, and the care that continues to be given. Very thought provoking, and the Revd David is a compelling presenter of the needs of the "village" that has been created in Calais.

It will be an open meeting so please join us, and stay for discussion afterwards. Something to make us realise the problems in the world and the goodwill expressed here. We hope to see you and to enjoy refreshments afterwards.

Margaret Hill/Wendy Channon