

Welcome to St John's Church-Elmswell



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9.30am Breakfast Church (breakfast from 9.00am)
11.00am Holy Communion (Common Worship)

If you are visiting or have recently moved to Elmswell and are here for the first time, a warm welcome to you. Tea and coffee will be served in the church room after the breakfast service, until 10.45am. Everyone is invited to stay.

If you have or know of a pastoral need, please contact one of the Clergy



Sunday 19th January 2020

11.00am Service

Collect (special prayer for today)

The Second Sunday of Epiphany

Almighty God,

In Christ you make all things new:

transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace,

and in the renewal of our lives

make known your heavenly glory;

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.

BIBLE READINGS

1st Reading: Deuteronomy 8: 1 to 9 (p187)

Gospel: Matthew 4: 1 to 11 (p967)

HYMNS

MP 160 Forty days and forty nights

MP 683 There's a wideness in God's glory

MP 400 Lead us, Heavenly Father, lead us

MP 486 Now thank we all our God

Notice Board

Sunday 5 April - 2.15pm Sunday Pilgrimage, Tea and Choral Evensong at St Edmundsbury Cathedral.

Proceedings commence at 2.15pm. Rosie has booked 30 places for St John's. If you would like to be included, please add your name to the list at the back of the church or speak to Rosie Ellis for more information.

Did you know? You can now make a donation to St John's by using the Contactless Giving machine which has been installed at the back of the church.

CAN YOU SPARE AN HOUR A MONTH ? If so we still urgently require persons to join the rota for cleaning the church. You would work in pairs. If you can help to keep our church clean please speak to Rosie Ellis.

The Week Ahead

Monday 20 January 10.00am to 11.15am Coffee Break at the Rectory.

7.30pm Meeting of the Parochial Church Council in the church room.

Thursday 23 January 9.30am to 11.30am 'Mums The Word' at the Rectory.

Saturday 25 January 9.00am to 9.45am Prayer meeting in the church room.

Diary Dates

Sunday 26 January 3.00pm Retro Praise in the church (60's to 80's hymns and songs).

Monday 27 January 10.00am to 11.15am Coffee Break at the Rectory.

Saturday 1 February 9.00am to 9.45am Prayer meeting in the church room.

Looking Further Ahead

Monday 3 February 1.00pm Thanksgiving service for Jeanne Crook following private family cremation.

Friday 21 February 10.30am to 12.30pm Messy Church (includes lunch).

☺ Please take this notice sheet home with you as a reminder of future events ☺

Next Sunday ...

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