



# Anna Benefice Bulletin

(ST PETER GOODWORTH CLATFORD, ALL  
SAINTS UPPER CLATFORD AND ST MARY  
ABBOTTS ANN)

02ND JANUARY 2022 -  
2ND SUNDAY OF CHRISTMAS

## Verse of the week

*And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth. John 1:14*

## A prayer for the week

*God our Father,  
in love you sent your Son  
that the world may have life:  
lead us to seek him among the outcast  
and to find him in those in need,  
for Jesus Christ's sake.*

## Details of weekend services with link

### Sunday 2nd January

8am	Holy Communion	St Peter's	Nicky	Ephesians 1:3-14 John 1:1-18
9.30am	Parish Communion	St Mary's	Nicky	Ephesians 1:3-14 John 1:1-18
9.30am	Morning Worship	All Saints'	Tim	John 1:1-18
6pm	Zoom Praise	Zoom	Tim	

A description of our services can be found on the Benefice website [LINK](#)

## Bible reading Sunday morning services

Ephesians 1:3-14 NRSVA - Spiritual Blessings in Christ - Blessed - Bible Gateway  
John 1:1-18 NRSVA - The Word Became Flesh - In the - Bible Gateway

# Diary of events

(Including services on the rota)

Sun 9 Jan – Baptism of Christ, Epiphany 1

8am Holy Communion, All Saints, Nicky

9.30am Morning Worship, St Mary's, Tim

11am Parish Communion, St Peter's, Nicky

12.30pm Baptism, All Saints', Nicky

4pm Messy Church, Abbots Ann War Memorial Hall, Messy Church team

6pm Zoom Praise, Zoom, Peter & Jane



## Activities for families with children:

Here is an activity about the wise men and a prayer for the children  
<https://www.rootsontheweb.com/media/23430/activity-sheet-2-january-2022.pdf>  
Loving God,  
after the fun, chaos and excitement of Christmas,  
may we start this new year  
with hope in our hearts.  
Amen.

## Notices and News

Readings for January in the rota of services

The January rota has just been updated to include the Bible readings at Sunday morning services. You can find it on the Sunday Services page of the Benefice [here](#).



### Café Church

10-11 a.m. 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month

*Come to an informal worship with music, discussion and prayer  
as well as coffee and chat. Children welcome.*

**1<sup>st</sup> Saturday of the month in Meadow Room, All Saints Church, Upper Clatford**  
(February 5<sup>th</sup>, March 5<sup>th</sup>, April 2<sup>nd</sup>)

**3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday of the month online via zoom (link in Church Newsheet)**  
(January 15<sup>th</sup>, February 19<sup>th</sup>, March 19<sup>th</sup>)

For further information, contact: Belinda Jones (07760 370540) or Jen O'Leary (07796 067350)

# Men's café

Any men who would like to put the world to rights are welcome to join us every Wednesday at 11am



1st and 3rd Wednesdays on Zoom at  
[https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2941622408?](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2941622408?pwd=d2d3WWx0SjFTR3A0L2RVc1BubWpQU09)  
[pwd=d2d3WWx0SjFTR3A0L2RVc1BubWpQU09](https://us04web.zoom.us/j/2941622408?pwd=d2d3WWx0SjFTR3A0L2RVc1BubWpQU09)

2nd and 4th Wednesdays outside Abbots Ann Village Shop

5th Wednesdays – we'll let you know

## Messy Church News

We have made the decision not to hold a Messy Church meeting in January as the Covid situation is quite volatile. We hope that things will have calmed down by February when we can all meet up again and we will be in touch nearer the time with details.

Wishing everyone a very Happy Christmas, stay well and safe.  
The Messy Church team.





If you need any help or support during this uncertain time, or are worried for anyone else, please don't hesitate to be in touch.  
As the situation develops you can keep up to date with our arrangements by looking at the benefice website and [facebook page](#).

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