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Week beginning 10th January 2021
The Baptism of Christ

St John the Baptist Church is an inclusive church.



Collect

Eternal Father,
who at the baptism of Jesus
revealed him to be your Son,
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:
grant to us, who are born again by water
and the Spirit,
that we may be faithful to our calling as your
adopted children;
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.

Post Communion

Lord of all time and eternity,
you opened the heavens and revealed
yourself as Father
in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son:
by the power of your Spirit
complete the heavenly work of our rebirth
through the waters of the new creation;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Due to **National COVID-19 restrictions**, it is requested that we **do not socialise with anyone in church who is not part of our household or social bubble.**

However tempting it is to catch up with the friends we haven't seen all week, we are discouraged from going over to people before the service or staying in church after the service to chat. We will continue to hold our weekly 'Coffee Mornings' on ZOOM to try and compensate. Thank you for understanding and patience.

The Baptism of Christ (First Sunday of Epiphany)

Genesis 1: 1 – 5
Psalm 29
Acts 19: 1 – 7
Mark 1: 4 – 11

Next Sunday

1 Samuel 3: 1 – 20
Psalm 139: 1 – 5, 12 – 18
Revelation 5: 1 – 10
John 1: 43 - end



THE NIGHT LIGHT CRISIS CAFÉ

Thank you to everyone who has volunteered. We have had our online training. We aim to launch this on Monday 18th January. Please continue to pray for us.

Coming up this week:

Sunday 10 th January Baptism of Christ	10.00 am	Parish Eucharist IN THE CHURCH THIS WILL BE LIVE STREAMED VIA OUR YOUTUBE CHANNEL: St John the Baptist, Ermine, Lincoln
Monday to Saturday	9.00 am 5.00 pm	Morning and Evening Prayer will be said in the vicarage
Tuesday	10.30 am 8.00 pm	Zoom Coffee Morning and Quiz (see below for details) Cosy Candlelit Compline at Home (see below for details)
Wednesday	9.30 am	Eucharist
Sunday 17 th January Second Sunday of Epiphany	10.00am	Parish Eucharist IN CHURCH

Coming Soon:

Topic: *St John's Coffee Morning*

Time: Jan 12, 2021 10:30 AM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/73707938713?pwd=TWFlVFVvTWxiaGxEkdQMTF2VldMdz09>

Meeting ID: 737 0793 8713

Passcode: 122021

Cosy Candlelit Compline at Home

12th January 8pm

Time: Jan 12, 2021 08:00 PM London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74737857043?pwd=cGtsM1hqRS9yaGR1R0srNGJJYXA4QT09>

Meeting ID: 747 3785 7043

Passcode: 5AG1sc

PRAYER THIS WEEK

Saint's Day	Prayer in the parish	Prayer in the diocese
Sunday 10 th January The Baptism of Christ	Ruckland Court; Tamar House Residents of: Langdale Close, Langton Close, Laughton Crescent, Laughton Way	Just as Jesus was coming up out of the water, he saw the heavens torn apart and the Spirit descending like a dove on him. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.' <i>(Mark 1:10 – 11)</i> <i>The Anglican Church in Aotearoa, New Zealand and Polynesia</i>
Monday 11 th Mary Slessor, missionary, 1915	Ermine Community Action Group Residents of: Laughton Way North, Lenton Gardens, Manton Road, Mason Close, Midville Close	The Suffragan Bishop of Grantham, The Rt Revd Dr Nicholas Chamberlain <i>The Diocese of Afikpo – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Enugu Province)</i>
Tuesday 12 th Aelred, abbot, 1167 Benedict Biscop, scholar, 689	Housebound communicants Residents of: Millbeck Road, Minting Close, Moorby Close, Natal View	Hon Assistant Bishop @ Lincoln (Diocese), The Rt Revd Dr Nigel Peyton Search & Nominations Committee Lincoln AMPC <i>The Diocese of North Africa – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria</i>
Wednesday 13 th Hilary, bishop, teacher of the faith, 367 Kentigern (Mungo), missionary, bishop, 603 George Fox, founder of the Society of Friends (Quakers) 1691	Health care services; Social Workers Residents of: Nene Road, Nocton Drive, Oxen Park Close, Pietermaritz Street, Pietermaritz View	The Right Revd the Lord Bishop of Lincoln, The Rt Revd Christopher Lawson Bishop's Staff <i>The Diocese of the Horn of Africa – The Episcopal / Anglican Province of Alexandria</i>
Thursday 14 th	Work with children and young people in the parish Residents of: Pine Close, Queen Elizabeth Road, Queen Mary Road	The Bishop's Chaplain, The Revd Jayson Rhodes <i>The Diocese of Agra – The (united) Church of North India</i>
Friday 15 th	The PCC and Parish officers Phil Betts, Philip Howell, Jessica Bayston, PCC members Residents of: Ravendale Drive, Redbourne Drive, Retief Close, Retief View	The Bishop's Office: Diary & Correspondence Secretary – Georgie Hewitt <i>The Diocese of Aguata – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Niger Province)</i>

Saturday 16 th	Community Police and Neighbourhood Watch Helen Kumar, Amanda Allen, Craig Mobbs and Tina Worden Residents of: Ridge View, Riseholme Road, Riverton Close, Riverton View	The Bishop's Office: Administration Secretary – Hayley Coddington <i>The Diocese of Ahoada – The Church of Nigeria (Anglican Communion) (Niger Delta Province)</i>
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Give thanks for:	The roll out of the Oxford/AstraZeneca vaccine.
Special prayers this week for:	The USA. Children who are struggling with home school during the current lockdown and those who are affected by changes to the GCSE and A-level assessments this year.
People in need:	Clive Seabury, Dave Notman, Rosa and Warren (Pat) Shay, Andy, Tracey Walton, Dawn Wise.
Rest in peace:	

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 Any items for this weekly sheet should be received by Revd. Rachel
no later than Wednesday evening.