

# Weekly notice sheet

**Sunday 20th January 2019**

**Epiphany 3 (CW)**

**The Second Sunday after the Epiphany (BCP)**



## **8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)**

The service begins on **page 293** of the Prayer Book. The Collect and Readings for The Second Sunday after the Epiphany can be found on **page 110**.

## **10.00am Sung Eucharist**

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

President: The Dean

Preacher: Canon Jean Skinner

## **12.30pm The Big Sunday Lunch – with students from the city**

## **4.00pm Choral Evensong**

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

## **Welcome**

We warmly welcome all who are with us for today's services. If you are visiting, or are here for the first time, please introduce yourself to one of the clergy.

## **Crèche**

During the Sung Eucharist on Sunday mornings, there are books and toys for young children in St George's Chapel, for parents and carers who would like to take their child/children for a few minutes during the service. The service is relayed into the chapel, to enable parents and carers to continue to follow what is going on in the Eucharist.

## **Junior Church**

Junior Church meets today. The children and their leaders leave for the Education Centre during the first hymn. This term, Junior Church will also take place on the following Sundays: 3rd and 17th February, 3rd and 17th March, and 7th April.

**Next Sunday – 27th January**

**Epiphany 4 (CW)**

**The Third Sunday after the Epiphany (BCP)**

**8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)**

**10.00am Sung Eucharist and Holy Baptism**

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

President: Canon Clare MacLaren

Preacher: Katherine Govier, Cathedral Reader

**12.30pm The Big Sunday Lunch** – with students from the city

**1.00pm Holocaust Memorial Day Observance**

This event, to mark Holocaust Memorial Day, will take place in the Cathedral from 1.00pm to 2.30pm. It is being organised together with the North-East Pride Committee, but will, of course, honour all communities who have been victims of holocaust in the last century. The choir, Northern Proud Voices, will be singing and there will be opportunities for reflection and prayer and to hear voices of Holocaust survivors. Please attend if you are able to do so on this really important occasion, to remember and pledge 'never again'.

**4.00pm Choral Evensong**

Sung by the Cathedral Choir

**We need lots of ORANGES! Please can you help?**

On **Saturday 2nd February at 3.00pm** we are hosting a **Big Christingle Celebration** for the Children's Society, to mark the 50th anniversary of the first Christingle. Oranges are needed so that each person attending the celebration can make their own Christingle. Please would you consider adding a bag of oranges to your weekly shop – and bringing it to the Cathedral on or before Saturday 2nd February? Thank you. There are flyers about the occasion on the Welcome Desk at the back of the Cathedral. All are welcome to come and share in this special event with people from across the Diocese and beyond.

**Bible Study Group**

This lively and stimulating group meets in the Education Centre at

**11.00am on Thursdays.** This term, the group will be continuing with their study of *The Acts of the Apostles*. All are welcome.

## House Group

The House Group, to which all are welcome, is intended to help us grow in our Christian faith and life and to get to know each other better. The next meeting will be at **8.00pm** on **Wednesday 30th January** at the home of Ruth Lunn (Silver Birches, 73 Montagu Avenue, Gosforth, NE3 4JN). We will be continuing our study of John Pritchard's recently published book *Five events that made Christianity*. If you would like to know more, please speak with Canon Harvey or Ruth Lunn – or simply come to the next meeting.

## Date for your diary: School of Prayer – Thursday 28th March

During Lent we will once again be holding a School of Prayer. The aim of the day is to help us with our prayer life. The day will be led for us by Fr George Guiver CR – a monk, and until recently Superior, of the Community of the Resurrection, an Anglican monastic community at Mirfield in West Yorkshire. Fr George is the author of several books on prayer and worship. He is also an excellent speaker and will give us a very engaging, accessible, helpful and enriching day. The title of the day will be: ***Prayer and other people***. Fr George writes: 'We think a lot about 'me and my prayer', but that's not quite the right question to ask. When we ask the right questions, we find doors start opening.' The cost of the day – including morning coffee, buffet lunch, and afternoon tea – will be £20.00. Further details in due course. In the meantime, do make a note of the date in your diary; the day promises to be a very helpful one.

## Step Forward – and consider ordained ministry in the Church of England

On **Saturday 2nd March** there is to be a free day conference hosted by the Archbishop of York at Bishopthorpe, York. This 'Step Forward.....' day has been running for several years and has helped over 500 people aged 18 to 30, from all sorts of traditions, to find a vocation to ordained ministry. Further information about the day can be found at: [www.stepforwardanglican.org.uk](http://www.stepforwardanglican.org.uk). Archbishop John Sentamu writes: 'Serving God is one of the best things you can do with your life, and there are many ways to carry out this calling. If you are a Christian aged between 18 and 30, might God be encouraging you to consider ordained ministry in the Church of England?' Please have a word with Canon Harvey if you would like to know more about the 'Step Forward.....' day.

## Organ Recitals – Mondays at 1.05pm

These recitals, on the Cathedral's Lewis/Harrison/Nicholson organ, last for 40 minutes. Admission is free, but there is a retiring collection

(suggested donation: £5). The recital tomorrow, **21st January**, will be given by **Mike Dutton** (St Mary Magdalene, Newark – and formerly Assistant Organist here at Newcastle Cathedral).

## Daily Prayer

Members of the congregation and visitors are invited to join in with the daily round of prayer and worship at the Cathedral.

	7.30am	8.00am			5.30pm
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>			<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>		<b>Holy Communion 12.30pm</b>	<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>		<b>Holy Communion 10.30am</b>	<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>		<b>Holy Communion 12.30pm</b>	<b>Evensong*</b>
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Morning Prayer</b>	<b>Holy Communion</b>			<b>Evening Prayer</b>
<b>Saturday (and Bank Holidays)</b>			<b>Morning Prayer 8.30am</b>	<b>Holy Communion 9.00am</b>	

*\* In Choir Term. In holiday periods, unless there is a visiting Choir, Evening Prayer is said.*

The full list of services, presidents, officiants, preachers and music is available on the Welcome Desk and on the Cathedral's website – [www.stnicholascathedral.co.uk](http://www.stnicholascathedral.co.uk)

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