

The Baptism of our Lord

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How to follow our Communion Service in the green Prayer Book

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Page 120 - Lord have mercy

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A reminder that following Christmas we will have only **one** service at **9am** on the following Sundays:

January 12th, 19th, & 26th, 2020

8am & 9.30am services resume on Sunday February 2nd, 2020

Parish Prayer

God our Father, you have made us members of Christ
and of his Church in this parish.

May our worship be the offering of our hearts and lives to you.

Help us to reach out in welcome to newcomers and visitors,
to encourage and care for each other

in friendship and fellowship,
and to grow in grace and in love;
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Today's Service

9.00am Said Eucharist with Hymns

Preacher & Celebrant: The Rev'd Sam Goodes

A special welcome to all who are worshipping with us for the first time
or visiting us today.

Please join us for a cup of tea/coffee after the service.

Sentence of the Day

A voice came from heaven, saying, 'This is my Son, the Beloved,
with whom I am well pleased'.

Matthew 3.17

Prayer of the Day

Eternal God,
at the baptism of Jesus in the river Jordan
you proclaimed him your beloved Son,
and anointed him with the Holy Spirit:
grant that all who are baptised into his name
may keep the covenant they have made,
and boldly confess him as Lord and Saviour;
who with you and the Holy Spirit lives and reigns,
one God, in glory everlasting. **Amen.**

Readings

1st Reading: Isaiah 42.1-9

OT p. 610

*This passage in Isaiah shows God speaking into the pain of exile to send
a servant who will bring justice, and not to Israel only but to all nations.*

Psalm: Psalm 29 (said)

APBA p. 248

*The images of power in Psalm 29 which remind us of the one who is
creator of all that was, is or is yet to be, draw us back to seeing that what
was celebrated as begun in our Christmas festivities, is now fully
revealed in the whole glory of God, Father, Son and Spirit, the one who
creates, redeems and gives life.*

2nd Reading: Acts 10.34-43

NT p. 120

Acceptance cannot be obtained on any other ground than that of the covenant of mercy, through the atonement of Christ; but wherever true religion is found, God will accept it without regarding names or sects.

Gospel: Matthew 3.13-17

NT p. 3

Fulfilling of righteousness requires letting go of our personal sense of what is right and proper in order to let it be God's will that is fulfilled. For Jesus, as at the end, so too at the beginning: a deep and profound aligning of his heart and will with the will and Spirit of God.

Music

Processional: **71** O love, how deep

Gradual: When Jesus came to Jordan (*words below*)

Offertory: In water we grow (*words p. 5*)

Communion: **301** Like a mighty river

Post Communion: Freed in Christ (*words p. 5*)

Organist: Ian Gray

When Jesus came to Jordan (A&M 108)

1. When Jesus came to Jordan,
to be baptized by John,
He did not come for pardon,
but as his Father's Son.
He came to share repentance
with all who mourn their sins,
to speak the vital sentence
with which good news begins.
2. He came to share temptation,
our utmost woe and loss,
for us and our salvation
to die upon the cross.
So when the Dove descended
on him, the Son of Man,
the hidden years had ended,
the age of grace began.
3. Come, Holy Spirit, aid us
to keep the vows we make,
this very day invade us,
and every bondage break.
Come, give our lives direction,
the gift we covet most:
to share the resurrection
that leads to Pentecost.

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In water we grow (TiS 494)

1. In water we grow,
secure in the womb,
and speechlessly know
love's safety and room.
Baptizing and blessing
we publish for good
the freeing, caressing
safe keeping of God.
2. In water we wash:
the dirt of each day,
its trouble and rush
are carried away.
In Christ re-created
by love's cleansing art,
self-will and self hatred
dissolve and depart.
3. In water we dive,
and cannot draw breath,
then surface alive,
rebounding from death.
Our old self goes under,
in Christ dead and drowned.
We rise, washed in wonder,
by love clad and crowned.
4. In water we dwell,
for by its deep flow
through bloodstream and cell,
we live, think and grow.
Praise God, love outflowing,
whose well of new birth
baptizes our knowing,
and waters the earth.

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Freed in Christ from death and sin (A&M 332)

1. Freed in Christ from death and sin,
slaves no more to self within,
let abundant life begin
at the call of Christ.
2. Out of darkness into light,
given grace to walk aright,
strength and courage for the fight,
turned to follow Christ
3. In the Spirit's life to grow,
day by day his fullness know,
and in fruitful lives to show
we belong to Christ.
4. Bearers of his name and sign,
sharers in his bread and wine,
one with him in life divine,
keeping faith with Christ.
5. Praise him for his love outpoured,
lives renewed and hopes restored;
praise the everlasting Lord,
glory be to Christ!

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For your Prayers this week

The Nations and People of the Earth:

The many countries in the Middle East which are torn by civil war or sectarian violence.

Those suffering in the severe bushfires and heat affecting our nation.

The Church and its Mission:

The Anglican Church of Australia, Archbishop Phillip Freier, Primate; his bishops, clergy and people.

The work and witness of the Episcopal Church of Jerusalem and the Middle East.

At St Andrew's we pray for:

Those on holiday and those working away from home.

Shane and Naomi Rubie and family, missionaries in Ethiopia.

Ourselves and our Community:

Those who have lost family, friends or relatives this Christmas, and those who have died on the roads.

All those working in essential services over the holiday season.

Special Prayer Request:

Meg Robertson, John O'Brien, Marianne Cannon, Judy Brancis, Mariela, Rhiannon Henry-Edwards, Daniela Goncalves, Grant Dalwood, Bishop David McCall.

The Departed

Thanksgiving for those who have gone before us in faith:

Hilary of Poitiers, bishop and teacher (d. 367)

Jan 13

Sava, first archbishop of the Serbian Church (d. 1235)

Jan 14

Antony of Egypt, abbot (d. 356)

Jan 17

MEDITATION

“Be at war with your vices,
at peace with your neighbours,
and let every New Year
find you a better person.”



Benjamin Franklin

Notices

In the Parish

- ❖ **A new appointment:** In exciting news for our Rector (and for the parish), the Archbishop has announced to the Diocese that he has appointed Rev. Sam Goodes as the new Archdeacon of the Para (a region covering the northern area of the Diocese), commencing on the 1st January, 2020. A service of Collation for Sam will be held at 6pm on Sunday 9th February, at St. Peter's Cathedral. This service of Choral Evensong is open for all to attend. Please keep Sam in your prayers as he takes up this new responsibility, praying particularly for the parishes of this Archdeaconry who are seeking to appoint priests to minister with them.
- ❖ **Office Hours over Christmas:** Please note that St Andrew's office will re-open on Wednesday 15 January, when the office hours will be from 10.00am until 3.00pm Wednesdays and Thursdays. The Rector is on duty as usual (his regular day off is Monday) and can be contacted on his mobile for any issues which arise.

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Diary Dates

Sunday 12 January Baptism of our Lord	9.00 am	Said Eucharist with hymns
Sunday 19 January Epiphany 2	9.00 am	Said Eucharist with hymns
	10.30am	Parish Council Meeting
Sunday 26 January Epiphany 3	9.00 am	Said Eucharist with hymns

Rosters

Rosters for today (Baptism of our Lord)

Preacher :		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Celebrant:		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Readers:	9.00 am	Sandy Facy
Prayer Leader:	9.00 am	Lyn Dow
Server:	9.00 am	TBA
Lay Assistants:	9.00 am	Liz Owen
Sidespersons:	9.00 am	Jan de Wit, Sandy Facy, Sally Zimmerman, Roy Ingram
Morning Tea	9.00am	Sally Sandford-Morgan, Val Ingram

Rosters for next Sunday (Epiphany 2)

Preacher :		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Celebrant:		The Rev'd Sam Goodes
Readers:	9.00 am	Brian Zwar
Prayer Leader:	9.00 am	Sally Sandford-Morgan
Server:	9.00 am	John Beer
Lay Assistants:	9.00 am	Liz Owen
Sidespersons:	9.00 am	Brian Zwar, Michael Thomas, Robin Coleman
Morning Tea	9.00am	Frances wilson, Molly Radakovitch

Readings for next Sunday (Epiphany 2)

1st Reading: Isaiah 49.1-7
Psalm: Psalm 40.1-14
2nd Reading: 1 Corinthians 1.1-9
Gospel: John 1.29-42

OT p.617
APBA p.262
NT p.153
NT p.85

