NOTICES - 10 January 2021

Worship this week

Sunday 10th January 2021 – The Baptism of the Lord

09.00 Gemstones (Zoom)
10.00 Sunday Worship (Zoom)

17.30 Evening Prayer (Zoom)

Monday - Friday

9.00 Morning Prayer (private)

Mon, Tues, Thurs & Fri

17.00 Evening Prayer (private)

Wednesday

17.00 Contemplative Prayer

Gathering (Zoom)

Tuesday & Thursday

21.30 Compline (Zoom)

Sunday 17th January 2021 – Second Sunday of Epiphany

10.00 Sunday Worship (Zoom)17.30 Evening Prayer (Zoom)

The Church building is temporarily closed at the request of the Borough Council.

This Week's Reading Programme:

Mon: Amos I; I Corinthians 1.1-17

Tues (Aelred, abbot): Amos 2; I Corinthians 1.18-end.

Weds (Hilary, bishop): Amos 3; I Corinthians 2.

Thurs: Amos 4; I Corinthians 3. Fri: Amos 5.1-17; I Corinthians 4. Sat: Amos 5.18-end; I Corinthians 5.

Church Notices & Diary Dates:

January Notices:

10th: 12.00 Buildings & Grounds Team Meeting (Zoom)

13th: 18.00 Amnesty Letter Writing Group (Zoom).

19.30 Christians Together in Central Ealing (Zoom)

18th – 25th: Week of Prayer for Christian

Unity

19th: 19.30 PCC Meeting (Zoom)

27th: 19.30 Ealing Deanery Synod Meeting

(Zoom)

February Notices:

10th: 18.00 Amnesty Letter Writing Group (Zoom).

15th - 19th Ealing Schools half term

17th: Ash Wednesday 20.00 Mass (Zoom) 23rd: 19.30 Finance Team Meeting (Zoom)

Prayer Requests:

Please pray for: Cicely Pratt; Elaine Dunkley; John Pullin; Stephen Lynch.

Recently deceased:

Years Mind week 10th – **16**th **January:** Tara Crisp; Jennifer Higgins; Raymond Endersby **Parish family:** Elsa, Matthew and Lydie Vladimery; Peter Wilkinson; Kristina, Laura, Alice & Maggie Wilson-Brown; Frank Wood; Daniel, Marie-Anne, Oscar & Victor Yeadon.

(To add names to this list please contact Fr David or the Parish Office)

SERVICES Under Lockdown 3. Because of rapidly rising infection numbers in the Borough and the highly infectious nature of the new strain of COViD all places of worship have had a request from Ealing Council to consider closing to public worship and private prayer. After prayer and deliberation, the PCC, responding to the Council's request have decided to Zoom-broadcast services of the Word though this period of lockdown from the Lady Chapel. We have also decided to close the church to private prayer for this month; both decisions to be review at the end of January/beginning of February.

This emphasises the importance of improved audio/visual technology. We are working on an improved and more secure system. This is expensive and although we have made successful applications for grants to the Allchurches, Hope Beyond programme, we would be grateful for any further help towards the costs. If you would like to contribute financially to this please let wither Fr David or Linda Foster, our Treasurer know. Donations most welcome.

Stewardship 2021. With successive lockdowns and restrictions on hall lettings church finances continue to be tight. As part of your New Year reflections we would be most grateful if you would consider reviewing your regular giving to St Peter's coffers to help us continue the work of God in the parish. Every little increase really does help. If you can help through your stewardship, we would be grateful.

(Parish Bank details are: Bank: HSBC; Account Name: Parochial Church Council of St Peters Ealing Parish; Account Number: 60377082; Sort Code: 40 11 58)

2021 ST PETER'S CALENDARS – We still have some wall calendars for sale, £6 each, all profits to Lady Chapel Restoration Fund.

'RSPB Big Garden Bird Watch 29 - 31 January.

Our Eco Church Group thought some of you might like to take part in this in your own gardens. It only takes an hour and is fun to do.

You can find instructions and resources by googling 'Taking part in Big Garden Bird Watch 2021.'

If you are struggling, need some help or just a listening ear please do get in touch with one of the staff team. We are here for you.

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