PRAYERS

Dear Lord, Help us love the life we live right now. Show us the good things we often overlook and help us to be content with what we have. Forgive us when we compare ourselves to others, forgive us for loving things outside of You and Your kingdom. Amen.

We pray for all those returning to work and school after the Christmas break, may they be safe and healthy whilst they learn.

Heavenly Father, we lift up all those who are facing illness today. We ask that You bring healing, comfort and peace to their bodies. Calm their fears and let them experience the healing power of Your love. We particularly pray for *Nick Ward, Jennifer Morshead, Eileen and Peter Bennett, Sally Calvert, Nicky, Sandy, Beryl, Win, Clare, John Dendy, Peter Fairbrother, Spencer Thorpe, Claire Boothby, Margaret Dale, Eileen Steeden, Simon, Mark Bromham, Richard Lake, Pat White and Paul Tucker.*

We particularly remember all those who have been recently bereaved at this time and offer our love and support to the families of **Finley Relf and Peggy Barnett,** may they rest in peace and rise in glory.

Online services: You will be pleased to hear that our recordings of both the Nine lessons and carols and the Christmas day service had over 100 views each. Do recommend them to those who can't come into church at the moment. They can be accessed by our website: https://www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/services/services-on-line/

Recycling your stamps: Don't forget that all the stamps you have received on your Christmas cards can be recycled at our churches, where they will be sent to the RNIB who sell them on for additional funds for their talking books and periodicals service. One request: please trim them to a maximum of 1cm margin round each stamp.

Traidcraft: Thanks to everyone who bought Traidcraft products last year we were able to raise £170 for our churches. Do look out for them at your services the products are lovely and help the lives of growers and artisans around the world. Stuart and Suzanne Cole are kind enough to operate this for us.

Editor for the weekly sheets: As many of you know we are likely to be moving in 2022, so I will need to pass on the compilation of the newssheets each week to a new editor — might that be you? It doesn't take long, but you do need a printer and to have some word processing skills. Do get in touch debbievonbergen@icloud.com.

Pavilion Café: The Kindred Spirits who run the Pavilion Café in Ockley each Wednesday 9-12noon, have been kind enough to sponsor this month's Inspire.

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Parish of Capel and Ockley

Sunday 9 January 2022 Baptism of Christ Welcome to your church

Due to the current rise in Covid infections no refreshments will be served after services

Sunday 9 January: First Sunday after Epiphany
9.30am Holy communion CW Ockley
10.30am Café Church Capel church
Coffee and croissants will be served in your pews at this

service – please stay seated.

Sunday 16 January: Second Sunday after Epiphany

9.30am Matins Ockley 10.30am Family Communion Capel

Sunday 23 January: Third Sunday after Epiphany

9.30am Holy Communion BCP Ockley 10.30am Morning Worship CW Capel

Sunday 30 January: Candlemas

9.30am Matins Ockley 10.30am Christingle Service Capel

The collection at this service will be in aid of The Children's Society

'For we were all baptised by one spirit so as to form one body – whether Jews or Gentiles, slave or free – and we were all given the one spirit to drink.'

1 Corinthians 12:13

Please observe the following guidelines whilst in church:

At both churches: The wearing of masks inside places of worship is now mandatory unless you are exempt. Congregations are requested to keep masks on whilst singing.

Please tell us if you would prefer to be seated in a socially distanced area. We will do our best to accommodate you.

Hand sanitiser will be available for use by the entrance door.

Holy communion is now available in both bread and the wine. Consecrated wine will be served in individual glasses whilst we are still at risk from the pandemic.

At Capel: One of the hymns (usually the 3rd) will be designated as an offertory hymn. The bag will be passed round by the sides person but should not be handled by others.

At Ockley: The collection plate will be on the table at the back of the church for donations.

For all Services & Events

https://www.capelandockleychurch.org.uk/events-calendar/