

Notices

- Little Stars will restart on Tuesday 10th January 2023.
- Check Eco Autumn Newsletter (<https://www.stannewestheath.org/eco-church>)
- Please check
 1. Bible Study with Revd Stuart (<https://www.stannewestheath.org/bs>)



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St Anne's Church
West Heath

The Baptism of Christ

8th January 2023

Welcome: A warm welcome to St Anne's, especially if you visit us. We hope you will enjoy your worship with us today. Whether you're just visiting or looking to stay, it is great to have you with us. We would love to welcome you personally and get to know you.

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 our
Lord who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen

Readings

This week	Next week
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Isaiah 42 1-9• Acts 10 34-43• Matthew 3 13-end	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Genesis 41 29-36, 53-57• Mark 4 1-9

Calendar

Sun 8 th Jan	10 am	Baptism of Christ Holy Communion
Mon 9 th Jan	7 pm	The Prayer Meeting on Zoom
Tue 10 th Jan	9.30 am 7 pm	Little Stars Choir Practice
Wed 11 th Jan	Afternoon	Sing-a-long and dance group
Thur 12 th Jan	9.30 am 10:30 am	Little Stars Holy Communion (SFC)
Fri 13 th Jan	Morning	Church Cleaning
Sun 15 th Jan	10 am	The Second Sunday of Epiphany Holy Communion



Future dates for your diary:

Sun 15th Jan 2023: **Eco Sunday**

Wed 25th Jan 2023: An Open Meeting 'Gas Street Church' at St John the Baptist, Longbridge at **1.30 pm**.

Sun 26th Feb 2023: Last Sunday for Fr Paul and his family

Fire Alarm

If the fire alarm rings, please leave the building by the nearest exit, and assemble on the grass verge beyond the church wall. People attending J.A.M. (Jesus and Me) will be taken to the assembly point by their leaders, so please meet them there.

Safeguarding

If there are any safeguarding concerns in and out of the church, please speak to Parish Safeguarding Officers (Chrissie Price.

Chrissie.price@bluyonder.co.uk or Janet Bradley.

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Prayer

We keep praying for those who are not well at present and for those who lost their loved ones recently.

Request for Prayer

WhatsApp to Gill Kimber or email at gmkimber@outlook.com

Thought for the Week: *Declaration Of Intent*

The baptism of Jesus was a virtual declaration of intent. His public ministry was beginning, and he was not going to whisper in the closet what needed to be shouted from the rooftops (Luke 12:3).

He would run up against indifference, mockery and outright hostility, but the uncompromised message of the Kingdom would be preached. When Jesus gave that message to his eleven true disciples, the whole of the rest of the world was without Christ.

Our work is just as urgent. Although we have a greater workforce, the number of non-believers has multiplied over two millennia.

Ian Bradley