

# KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES

## WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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26/01/2020  
Epiphany 3

### SUNDAY SERVICES

**This Sunday—26th Jan**  
**Epiphany 3**

#### WOOD END

9.30am Holy Communion

#### KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

#### HURLEY

4.00pm Tea Time Church

*(Readings: Isaiah 9. 1-4;  
Psalm 27. 1-11; 1 Cor. 1. 10-18; Matthew 4. 12-23)*

**Next Sunday—2nd Feb**  
**Candlemas/Presentation**  
**of Christ in the Temple**

#### GROUP SERVICE

10.30am

#### WOOD END

*(Readings: Malachi 3. 1-5;  
Psalm 24. 7-end; Hebrews 2. 14-end; Luke 2. 22-40)*

**Sunday 9th February**  
**3 bfe Lent (Proper 1)**

#### WOOD END

9.30am Holy Communion

#### KINGSBURY

11.00am Holy Communion

#### MEREVALE

4.30pm Celebration of Marriage

*(Readings: Isaiah 58. 1-9a;  
Psalm 112; 1 Cor. 2. 1-12;  
Matthew 5. 13-20)*

**2020 1st Quarter Cards —**  
**Available TODAY!**

*Please remember to take one for anyone who may be interested*

### Forthcoming Events

Tuesday 28th January

- 7.30pm John & Carole Supervision meeting

Wednesday 29th January

- 7.30pm Group PCC meeting at Hurley

Thursday 30th January

- 11.15am Funeral of Yvonne Nicholls at Wood End Church followed by cremation at Nuneaton

Sunday 2nd February

- 10.30am Group Service at Wood End for Candlemas followed by Choir & Friends lunch at The Blue Boar

Wednesday 5th February

- 9.30am Holy Communion at Wood End
- 2.00pm Mothers' Union meet in the Old Stables
- 6.15pm Evening Prayer at Kingsbury

Thursday 6th February

- 11.30am Funeral of Cecil Nickells at Baxterley
- 12.15pm Funeral of Heather Dixon at Sutton Crem.
- 4.30pm Evening Prayer at Baxterley

Saturday 8th February

- 9.30am Rural Learning Community meeting at St. Swithin's House, Barston

Sunday 9th February

- 2.30pm Marriage Preparation Afternoon at Merevale followed by a short service of Thanksgiving for Love & Marriage at 4.30pm.

**Open Church Drop Ins** - In conjunction with 'Refuge - Warwickshire', we shall be holding monthly drop-ins in the 3rd Wednesday of each month. Wood End Church will be open from 11am to 1pm, and Hurley from 2pm to 4pm. A trained outreach worker will be present to meet with anybody with concerns around domestic violence, but it will also be a time when anyone is welcome to drop in for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat. Do come along if you are free, and especially if you can help serve drinks and welcome visitors. Next drop in is on Wednesday 19th February.

#### Collect for Epiphany 3

God of all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free to praise you in Christ our Lord. **Amen**



### Please Pray for:

*Those who are ill:*

Bill Thompson : Rachel Carol & Doreen Makepeace  
Lauren : June Arnold  
Alan & Marie Bridgewater  
Samuel : Hope : Kieran : Bethen Olive : Sean : Doris  
Kay : Vera

Celia Postans : Rose Stubbs  
Monica Paton : Patrick : Debbie  
Amelia : Gwen : Alan Barnes : Keith : Glenys : Vicky Jackson : Carole Haines : Sandra Priddey : Muriel Wright : Pearl : Jackie Betty Jones : Pam Bayliss  
Margaret Hewetson : Diane : Sandra : Fred : Edna : Bill Priscilla : Ann : Paul : Joan

*Preparing for Marriage*

James & Rosemary  
Matthew & Hannah

*Those who have died*

Yvonne Nicholls  
Hilda Howes  
Heather Dixon  
Cecil Nickells  
Iris Marshall

*Please also pray for.....*  
Carole in her new role as priest



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**Safeguarding Support:** If you have a safeguarding matter you need to discuss, speak to our **Parish Safeguarding Officer - Dr. Pru Allington-Smith on 01827 825701** or **Rev. John** or in emergency **the Bishop's Safeguarding Adviser, Steph Haynes on 07342 993844** [StephH@cofebirmingham.com](mailto:StephH@cofebirmingham.com)

Please stay and join us for coffee/tea after any of our 9.30am and 11.00am services



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