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Gluten free wafers are available for those who need them. Please inform one of the stewards/sidespersons who will pass the information on to the clergy. Many thanks

19TH JANUARY 2020 – EPIPHANY 2

TODAY'S SERVICES:

8am Holy Eucharist

at the Cathedral

(The Service begins on Page 157)

9.30am The Parish Eucharist

Hymns: *See Hymn Leaflet*

11am The Cathedral Eucharist

Hymns: *See Hymn Leaflet*

Mass: Missa Brevis in G, Haydn

Psalm: 40. 1-11

Motet: Ave Verum Corpus, Mozart

Preacher: The Archdeacon of Wrexham

Voluntary: Prelude in G BWV 541, J S Bach

3.30pm Choral Evensong

Responses: Ebdon

Office Hymn: 407

Psalm: 96

Setting: Evening Service in G, Herbert Sumsion

Anthem: The Lord is my Shepherd, Maurice Greene

Hymn: 464

Voluntary: Fugue in G BWV 541, J S Bach

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COLLECT

Almighty God,

in Christ you make all things new:

transform the poverty of our nature by the

riches of your grace, and in the renewal of

our lives make known your heavenly glory;

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

who is alive and reigns with you,

in the unity of the Holy Spirit,

one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

ISAIAH 49. 1-7

A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah.

Listen to me, O coastlands, pay

attention, you peoples from far away!

The Lord called me before I was born,

while I was in my mother's womb he

named me. He made my mouth like a

sharp sword, in the shadow of his

hand he hid me; he made me a

polished arrow, in his quiver he hid me

away. And he said to me, 'You are my

servant, Israel, in whom I will be

glorified.'

But I said, 'I have laboured in vain, I

have spent my strength for nothing

and vanity; yet surely my cause is with

the Lord, and my reward with my

Welcome to St Asaph Cathedral and St Asaph Parish Church today. We are a community that seeks to enfold all people in the love of God. If you wish to speak to a priest after the service, if you wish to find a corner to pray, if you wish simply to find some peace, please feel free and welcome to do so. We warmly invite all those who are baptised to receive Holy Communion with us today. (Children at the discretion of parents). Before the service: spend some time in quiet prayer, preparing to meet the Lord in this act of worship.

strengthened among you— so that you are not lacking in any spiritual gift as you wait for the revealing of our Lord Jesus Christ. He will also strengthen you to the end, so that you may be blameless on the day of our Lord Jesus Christ. God is faithful; by him you were called into the fellowship of his Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.

For the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God.

JOHN 1. 29-42

Listen to the Gospel of Christ according to Saint John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

John saw Jesus coming towards him and declared, ‘Here is the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world! This is he of whom I said, “After me comes a man who ranks ahead of me because he was before me.” I myself did not know him; but I came baptizing with water for this reason, that he might be revealed to Israel.’ And John testified, ‘I saw the Spirit descending from heaven like a dove, and it remained on him. I myself did not know him, but the one who sent me to baptize with water said to me, “He on whom you see the Spirit descend and remain is the one who baptizes with the Holy Spirit.” And I myself have seen and have testified that this is the Son of God.’

The next day John again was standing with two of his disciples, and as he watched Jesus walk by, he exclaimed, ‘Look, here is the Lamb of God!’ The two disciples heard him say this, and they followed Jesus. When Jesus turned and saw them following, he said

to them, ‘What are you looking for?’ They said to him, ‘Rabbi’ (which translated means Teacher), ‘where are you staying?’ He said to them, ‘Come and see.’ They came and saw where he was staying, and they remained with him that day. It was about four o’clock in the afternoon. One of the two who heard John speak and followed him was Andrew, Simon Peter’s brother. He first found his brother Simon and said to him, ‘We have found the Messiah’ (which is translated Anointed). He brought Simon to Jesus, who looked at him and said, ‘You are Simon son of John. You are to be called Cephas’ (which is translated Peter).

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS

God of life and freedom,
we celebrate the revelation of
Jesus as the Christ who makes all
things new: renew us in him and in our
lives make him known,
who is Lord for ever and ever. **Amen.**

POST COMMUNION

God of glory,
you nourish us with your Word
who is the bread of life:
fill us with your Holy Spirit
that through us the light of your glory
may shine in all the world.
We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ
our Lord. **Amen.**

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NOTICES

Refreshments. Please join us for refreshments after the 9.30am and 11am Eucharists.

Cathedral Flowers. We are looking for more people to join the team of flower arrangers at the Cathedral. We are also looking for people who may want to provide flowers perhaps in memory of someone but have them arranged by someone else. The cost is £20 and we will do our best to give you the date you would like. If you can help with either please sign the sheet on the table in the south transept or contact Alison Matthias: alison@creativeinexcellence.co.uk Please give the money in a marked envelope to Alison or to Fr Rex. Many thanks!

An Epiphany Carol Service will be held at the Cathedral on Sunday 2nd February at 3.30pm to bring to a conclusion the Christmas Season of Light.

Cathedral Council Meeting on 6 February 2020. Please give details of any matters that you wish to be raised to a member of the clergy or a council member.

Cathedral Flowers this week donated by June Hamilton in memory of Cyril Worthington.

Phylip Hughes, one of our Lay Clerks will be going to Calais as a volunteer with a charity which works with refugees on February 8th. He will be taking much-needed items with him. If you have any of the following in good condition and you would like to donate them, please place them at the back of the Cathedral for collection: Sturdy shoes and walking boots, warm coats and waterproofs, socks, sleeping bags and tents, tarpaulins. Many thanks.

THE WEEK AHEAD

20th Monday – Feria

9am Morning Prayer
9.30am Holy Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

21st Tuesday – Agnes, Virgin & Martyr

9am Morning Prayer
6pm Evening Prayer
7pm Holy Eucharist

22nd Wednesday – Feria

9am Morning Prayer
10.30am Holy Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

23rd Thursday – Feria

9am Morning Prayer
10am Holy Eucharist
6pm Evening Prayer

24th Friday – Francis de Sales

9am Morning Prayer
9.30am Offeren

No Evensong due to the BBC recording of Any Questions

25th Saturday – The Conversion of Paul, Apostle

9am Morning Prayer
6pm Evening Prayer

26th Sunday – Epiphany 3

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9.30am The Parish Eucharist
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