

Thank you to everyone that has made Christmas memorable this year at indoor and outdoor events.

Lent and Easter Creativity: If you would like to join the Worship Leaders for a Zoom workshop, exploring how we might approach Lent and Easter creatively, please contact Beth. This will take place on Saturday 16th January at 10.00am.

Reflective Spaces is an opportunity to take a step back from the busyness of life, to listen to words which may comfort or which may challenge. It is a chance to inhabit moments of silence and stillness, looking inward to ourselves and to God and outwards to the world around us. Join us on the 4th Wednesday of the month, starting on Wednesday 27th January 2021.

Love Marlborough Kids Meals is a new initiative based at St Mary's. Meals are delivered twice weekly to children in Marlborough and surrounding villages who are falling into a gap, e.g. waiting for universal credit or pre-schoolers. Parents have to self-refer, so may need encouragement. As start-up grants are used up, donations are also needed. Publicity is through Facebook and the website www.lovemarlboroughkidsmeals.org/home.

Daily Hope (Free phone 0800 804 8044) which appears weekly on the pew leaflets. This month they are doing a special Christmas programme. Including a message from The Archbishop of Canterbury, carols, readings and reflections on the Christmas story and carols and their history. The content is renewed daily.

PASTORAL CARE: We are committed to continue providing spiritual and pastoral care for all who live in our communities.

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Please email helpline@whittonteam.org.uk with any requests for prayer and/or practical help. Email pcc@whittonteam.org.uk to receive mailings.

Deadline for Notices: 10.00am Thursday - Contact the Team Office (teamoffice@whittonteam.org.uk / 01672-520963) about forthcoming church events, or people to be added to the prayer list.

Office hours: 9am-2pm Monday & Thursday

Website: www.whittonteam.org.uk

Parish of Whitton

**Aldbourne, Baydon, Chilton Foliat, Froxfield,
Ramsbury with Axford**

Epiphany (3rd January 2021)

8am Team Holy Communion Service (BCP) at Holy Cross, Ramsbury
10am Team Holy Communion Service at St Michael's, Aldbourn
11.30am Phone-in/Online Morning Worship on ZOOM
Dial: 020 3481 5240 or 020 8080 6591
or join us via the internet using Zoom if you are able:
meeting ID: 948 3407 2630 password: 343860

Readings:

Isaiah 60.1-6, Ephesians 3.1-12, Matthew 2.1-12

The 10am service at Aldbourn will be recorded. More information, service sheets and links to all our services are available on the website: www.whittonteam.org.uk and Facebook: [@WhittonTeamNews](https://www.facebook.com/WhittonTeamNews)

**PLEASE NOTE that to comply with current Covid-19 regulations:
masks are mandatory for services inside the church.**

Baptism of Christ (10th January)

Readings: Genesis 1.1-5, Acts 19.1-7, Mark 1.4-11

Thursday 7th January

10am Holy Communion at Holy Cross, Ramsbury

Please pray for those who are sick or in pain, especially for **Verdiana (Didi) Diaris, Eric Jennings, Tara Elliot, Julia Blunt, Ian Coles, Edna Dempsey, Don Scharlau, Abigail Gray, Janet Webster and Vivienne Roderick.**

Pray for the staff and children in our schools as they start a new year, and for all those whose lives and work have been affected by the pandemic. **We remember** the family and friends of those who have died especially **Steve Cox, Mike Cooper and Geoffrey Findlay**, and those whose anniversary falls this week.