



**Welcome to
Holy Cross**

**Newsletter for
Week beginning
Sunday 11th January 2026**

The Baptism of Christ

'This is my Son, the Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.'

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| 8.30am | Holy Communion |
| 10.00am | Parish Communion with baptism No Silent Prayer |

Ministries at our worship this morning

Celebrant & Preacher – Revd Angela Brownridge
Readers – Tracy Johnson – Isaiah 42:1-9
Aga – Acts 10:34-43

Intercessions – Rev. Rob

Sidespeople – Val & Sue

Chalice – Jean & Moyra

Loop System



Parish diary & Bible readings

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| Monday | 1 Samuel 1:1-8, Mark 1:14-20 6pm Evening Prayer 7pm Worship group |
| Tuesday | 1 Samuel 1:9-20, Mark 1:21-28 1-3pm Companionship Club |
| Wednesday | 9.45am - Holy Communion 1 Samuel 3:1-10, 19-20, Mark 1:29-39 |
| Thursday | 1 Samuel 4:1-11, Mark 1:40-end 7pm Pastoral & Worship Meeting @ Church |
| Friday | 1 Samuel 8:4-7, 10-end, Mark 2:1-12 |
| Saturday | 1 Samuel 9:1-4, 17-19, 10:1a, Mark 2:13-17 |
| Sunday | 8.30am – Holy Communion 10.00am – Holy Communion 6.00 Silent Prayer Isaiah 49:1-7, 1 Corinthians 1:1-9, John 1:29-42 |



New rotas at the back

Plastic sweet tubs wanted

Prayer and care through the week

For those who have requested prayer

Robert; David, Joanne, Gary, Jill, Lyndsay, Cyril, Susie, Carole, Lisa, Alex, Pauline, Dave, Janice, Kurt, Christine, Wayne, Sylvia and Frank.

For the recently departed and their families and friends

Carole McHugh, Raymond Walker and Sheila Stott.

And for those whose anniversary occurs this week:

May Sykes and Dennis Coulson.

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| Sunday | <u>Heavenly Father, may our lives always reflect your love and grace. For the residents of Holywell Avenue, Liberty Square, Mapplewell Road and Sloan Place.</u> |
| Monday | <u>For Sarah Mullally our new Archbishop of Canterbury.</u> |
| Tuesday | <u>For all who promote peace and unity.</u> |
| Wednesday | <u>For those with long term illnesses including:</u> Margaret Perry, Molly Head; Norma, Mary Hill, Doreen, Eileen; Glenis; Alan, Ian Holding, Bianca; Marjorie; Joyce, Michael; Janet; Julie; Gabbi, Anne and Edward Kasday, Robert, Julie & Neil West, Sue, Reg, Irene, Gail, Brenda, Bob & Leslie Micklethwaite. |
| Thursday | <u>For our link parish of Kwangwa in Mara.</u> |
| Friday | <u>For children caught in webs of crime and exploitation.</u> |
| Saturday | <u>For our church to grow in faith hope and love.</u> |

Hymns and Songs during worship

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| Before Service | Sheet – info only, you don't have to sing |
| Preparation | – No preparation hymn |
| Entrance | 467 – Morning has broken |
| Gospel | 31 – Amazing grace |
| Offertory | 1343 – O God You search me |
| Communion | 382 – Jesus take me as I am |
| | 1064 – I have a maker |
| | 1214 – O Lord You lead me |
| | 887 – Lord You have my heart |
| Final | 1346 – One more step along the world |

Please Note!



Birthdays: Bethany Jackson

House Groups: If you have further questions or a desire to look more deeply into our faith, ask Rob or Angela for details of our house group and prayer ministries.

The Ministry of prayer for healing and wholeness is available in this church. If you are in need of Christ's peace in any way then please ask the minister and a member of our ministry team will pray with you.

Coming Soon

Go in peace – pray for peace – wage a little peace and, above all, love one another