

# Welcome to Wombridge, The Church in the Park



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**Sunday 25 Jan 2026**  
**Family Service 11.00am**  
Lectionary Readings for today:  
Isaiah 9: 1-4  
1 Corinthians 1: 10-18  
Matthew 4: 12-23  
Psalm 27: 1, 4-12

## **Collect for the 3rd Sunday of Epiphany**

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; 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.

This week we ask for your prayers for those living and working in Hamlet Close, Detton Court, Heath Court, Pickthorn Court, Ramshurst Court Please contact Margaret Afford, Tel 01952 419826 9.30am – 12 noon, or email wombridgeparishchurch@outlook.com with any personal prayer requests.

### **Jan Services**

**25th: 11.00am** Family Service

### **Feb Services**

**1st: 4.00pm** Holy Communion  
**8th: 11.00am** Family Service  
**15th: 11.00am** Holy Communion and Baptism  
**22nd: 11.00am** Family Service

### **March Services**

**1st: 4.00pm** Holy Communion  
**8th: 11.00am** Family Service  
**15th: 11.00am** Holy Communion, Mothering Sunday  
**22nd: 11.00am** Family Service  
**29th: 10.30am** Palm Sunday Benefice Service at Wombridge (Please note time!)

There is also a short service of Morning Prayer on Wednesdays at 9.15am.

### **PCC meeting**

The PCC will be meeting on Tuesday 27th January at 7pm to talk about all aspects of Church life. This includes worship, mission, pastoral, social, finance and anything else pertaining to

the life of the church. We welcome any input from members of the Church family so if there is anything you'd like to comment on, or suggest, or if you have any questions, just let anyone on PCC know. Thank you, *Wombridge PCC*

### **Wombridge Churchyard Community Project**

In 2026, we will continue work tidying up the Churchyard, creating pathways and information points. All help is welcome; no prior experience needed, as we come together for this community project. If you would like to know more there is a public meeting on Sat 31st January 2026, 10.30am in Wombridge Parish Church.

### **First Friday Free community Lunch**

The First Friday Free community lunch is back on Friday 6<sup>th</sup> February from 12.30pm to 2.00pm. It would be lovely to see you there, the lunch is open to everyone so please invite any friends, family or neighbours who you think would enjoy it - we have a simple meal of soup and fruit pie and custard, hot drinks, a fun game and quiz and lovely company. *Outreach and Social Team*

### **Tombola**

Thank you for your generosity in leaving gifts and prizes in the basket on the bookshelf at the back of Church; they helped stock up the tombola stall over the Christmas events. The basket is now empty, so if you do have anything you would like to donate and leave in the basket, that would be really appreciated, thank you. *Outreach and Social Team*

### **Flower List**



We are always grateful to the flower arranging team for their superb efforts through the year in creating beautiful displays for us to enjoy. The list for this year will be available soon; if you wish to sponsor the flowers on a particular date to celebrate a birthday, anniversary or in loving remembrance of someone dear to you, please have a word with Evelyn and look out for the new list.

### **Safeguarding**

Please be aware that there is now a dedicated email address for reporting safeguarding concerns. [wombridge.safeguarding@easttelfordbenefice.co.uk](mailto:wombridge.safeguarding@easttelfordbenefice.co.uk)

**The Newsletter for the East Telford Benefice** can be found at [easttelfordbenefice.co.uk](http://easttelfordbenefice.co.uk), then click on the links near the top of the page. There is always plenty to read about and lots of useful information.

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