



Second Sunday of Epiphany

16 January 2022

WELCOME TO BRISTOL CATHEDRAL

Whether this is your first time visiting the Cathedral, or whether you are a regular worshipper here, you are most welcome.

If you would prefer to remain **spatially distanced and masked**, please make your way to the **North Transept**, where a space has been retained. A steward or welcomer can help you find this area if you are unsure where to go.

If you are new to the Cathedral, please do say hello over a cup of coffee after the service. If you are here with young children you might be interested in finding out more about our Children's Church, *BriCKs* (Bristol Cathedral Kids) which runs during term-time. Speak to a steward to find out more.

The 10.00am Eucharist service can be followed in the **main green booklet**.

This week's services can be found on the Services + Music List on our website.

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

Please pray for	Amy, Anne, Barbara, Ben, Bunny, Clare, Hermione, Hilary, Jo Lily, Maria, Mary, Nathan, Roger W, Sue, Vicky	
RIP	Bob Golding, Jim Harris, Alan Harrison	
Year's Mind	Christine Williams (18 th), Fred Hatherall (20 th), W Kenneth Thomas (20 th)	
CYCLES OF PRAYER	DIOCESAN	ANGLICAN
Sunday	Holy Nativity Knowle	The Church of England
Monday	Holy Trinity with St Gabriel, St Lawrence, and St Jude Easton	Johannesburg (South Africa)
Tuesday	Holy Trinity Horfield	Jos (Nigeria)
Wednesday	Hospital Chaplains	Juba (South Sudan)
Thursday	Holy Trinity, St Andrew the Less and St Peter Clifton	Kabba (Nigeria)
Friday	St Stephen with St James and St John the Baptist with St Michael Bristol and St George Bristol	Kadugli & Nuba Mountains (Sudan)
Saturday	St Aidan with St George, Bristol	Kaduna (Nigeria)
Porvoo	The Diocese of Tampere in the Evangelical Lutheran Church of Finland, and the Diocese of Manchester	

TODAY

7.40am Morning Prayer

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

10.00am **CATHEDRAL EUCHARIST**

Preacher: The Revd Minty Hull

Setting: Missa Brevis - Ives

Hymns: 56; 377; 394

Voluntary: Allegro appassionato
(Sonata No.5) – Guilmant

3.30pm **CHORAL EVENSONG**

Preacher: Canon Jonnie Parkin

Hymns: 51; 248

Voluntary: Toccata Giocosa – Mathias

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.

READING

Isaiah 62.1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch. The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth

of the Lord will give. You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the Lord, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God. You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the Lord delights in you, and your land shall be married. For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

This is the word of the Lord.

Thanks be to God.

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia (rpt all). Christ was revealed in flesh, proclaimed among the nations and believed in throughout the world.

Alleluia.

GOSPEL

John 2.1-11

The Lord be with you
and also with you.

Hear the ✠ Holy Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding. When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, 'They have no wine.' And Jesus said to her, 'Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come.' His mother said to the

servants, 'Do whatever he tells you.' Now standing there were six stone water-jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, 'Fill the jars with water.' And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, 'Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward.' So they took it. When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, 'Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now.' Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

Praise to you, O Christ.

PRAYER AT THE PREPARATION OF THE TABLE

Living God, you have revealed your Son as the Messiah. May we hear his word and follow it, and live as children of light. We ask this in the name of Jesus Christ the Lord. **Amen.**

COMMUNION MOTET

I wonder as I wander *Carl Rüttli b.1949*

DISTRIBUTION OF COMMUNION

If it is your custom to receive Communion in your own church, you are welcome to receive the sacrament at this celebration, whatever denomination you are.

We receive in one kind.

Others may wish to receive a blessing, and you should bring this booklet in your hands to indicate this.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

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.**

For details of daily services please visit bristol-cathedral.co.uk

Next Week

Third Sunday of Epiphany

Preacher: The Dean

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TODAY

LIVING IN LOVE AND FAITH Please pick up a leaflet and consider how you might participate. There will be a 30 minute Community Meeting today at 11.30am to introduce the programme and highlight some of the ways that we can engage most fruitfully, particularly to ensure that we can disagree well.

COMMUNITY LUNCH Also today, join us for the first Community Lunch of 2022.

THIS WEEK

LUNCHTIME RECITAL The Lunchtime Recital Series continues on Tuesday 18 January, at 1.15pm, with a 'cello recital by František Brikcius. Admission is free and all are welcome.

COMING SOON

SLAPSTICK FESTIVAL A long-running staple of the Bristol festivals scene, the Slapstick Festival returns to Bristol Cathedral on 27 and 28 January. With hosts David Mitchell, Ronni Ancona, Sally Philips, and Stephen Mangan introducing a series of classic silent comedies with live music accompaniment. Tickets remaining for the 8pm evening with Ronni Ancona and Sally Philips, though reserve tickets may be available for the other sold out events. <https://slapstick.org.uk/>

CHORISTER FOR THE DAY Do you have or know someone with a child in Year 4 with a love of singing? Perhaps they might like to join the Cathedral Choir? On Saturday 12 February, from 11.00am to 4.30pm, come to Bristol Cathedral to see what it is like to be a Chorister for the day. Workshops, tours, lunch, and a chance to sing in Evensong. For more information or an application form, please email Tim Popple tim.popple@bristol-cathedral.co.uk.

GENERAL

CHRISTMAS PARCELS FOR PRISONERS Again, thanks to those who packed them and to those who have given money so far. We still have a shortfall. The parcels were very warmly received (especially the handwritten cards) and some of us heard Bishop Viv speak movingly on Christmas Day about her visit to HMP Bristol. If you're you're able to give, either cash (envelope marked Prisoner Parcels) or BACS transfer: Sort code: 56-00-05; a/c 00011355; natwest; ref. Prisoner Parcels.