

Sunday 30th January
**Presentation of Christ
in the Temple**
(Candlemas)

**8am: Service of Holy
Communion at St. John's**

**10.15am: MMU Joint Service
of Holy Communion**

Sides: Hilary Few, Jane Chambers
Sound: David Millward
Mevo: David Millward
Organist: Nick Pratt and the
Music Group

Duty Warden: David Millward

Coffee: Elena and Maxine

(live streamed on Facebook, also on the
Worship At Home page of our website)

Morning Prayer

9.15am: Monday, Tuesday and
Friday online on
Facebook: /stlukesmoulshamlodge

9.15am: Wednesday - at St Luke's

9.30am: Thursday - at St John's
(1st Thursday in the month is
Holy Communion)

Edward Bear Baby and Toddler Group

Wednesdays 1.15pm–2.30pm

Saturday Coffee



11am-12noon
with Nick and Elena
Church will be closed afterwards

Birthdays

If it's your birthday this week, we'd like to wish you a very happy birthday!
*"Happy Birthday to you: to Jesus be true.
May God's richest blessing rest today upon you."*

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Newsletter Content If you have any items for the Newsletter (including requests for prayer) contact Janette Tadman - janettetadman@gmail.com or 01245 469124

Sunday 23rd January

3rd Sunday of Epiphany

**9am: Service of
Holy Communion**
Revd Suzanne McAllister

Sides: Pat Bruguier
Sound: Dave Thomas
Mevo: David Millward

(live streamed on Facebook, also on the
Worship At Home page of our website)

10.15am: Morning Worship
Richard Field

'Porcupines work it out - so can we'

Sides: Pat Bruguier
Sound: Dave Thomas
Organist: David Millward

Duty Warden: David Millward

Coffee: Jane and Brenda

Collect

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.

Post Communion Prayer

Almighty Father,
whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
is the light of the world:
may your people,
illumined by your word and
sacraments,
shine with the radiance of his glory,
that he may be known, worshipped,
and obeyed to the ends of the earth;
for he is alive and reigns, now and for
ever.
Amen

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- Regular giving by standing order - for more information contact Dave Chambers at simplydave@aol.com
- One-off online donations accessed via the St Luke's website homepage
- Contactless card reader available at the back of church

Psalm 19

¹ The heavens are telling the glory of God and the firmament proclaims his handiwork. ² One day pours out its song to another and one night unfolds knowledge to another. ³ They have neither speech nor language and their voices are not heard, ⁴ Yet their sound has gone out into all lands and their words to the ends of the world. ⁵ In them has he set a tabernacle for the sun, that comes forth as a bridegroom out of his chamber and rejoices as a champion to run his course. ⁶ It goes forth from the end of the heavens and runs to the very end again, and there is nothing hidden from its heat.

1 Corinthians 12:12-31a

¹² For just as the body is one and has many members, and all the members of the body, though many, are one body, so it is with Christ. ¹³ For in the one Spirit we were all baptized into one body—Jews or Greeks, slaves or free—and we were all made to drink of one Spirit.

¹⁴ Indeed, the body does not consist of one member but of many. ¹⁵ If the foot were to say, 'Because I am not a hand, I do not belong to the body', that would not make it any less a part of the body. ¹⁶ And if the ear were to say, 'Because I am not an eye, I do not belong to the body', that would not make it any less a part of the body. ¹⁷ If the whole body were an eye, where would the hearing be? If the whole body were hearing, where would the sense of smell be? ¹⁸ But as it is, God arranged the members in the body, each one of them, as he chose. ¹⁹ If all were a single member, where would the body be? ²⁰ As it is, there are many members, yet one body. ²¹ The eye cannot say to the hand, 'I have no need of you', nor again the head to the feet, 'I have no need of you.' ²² On the contrary, the members of the body that seem to be weaker are indispensable, ²³ and those members of the body that we think less honourable we clothe with greater honour, and our less respectable members are treated with greater respect; ²⁴ whereas our more respectable members do not need this. But God has so arranged the body, giving the greater honour to the inferior member, ²⁵ that there may be no dissension within the body, but the members may have the same care for one another. ²⁶ If one member suffers, all suffer together with it; if one member is honoured, all rejoice together with it.

²⁷ Now you are the body of Christ and individually members of it. ²⁸ And God has appointed in the church first apostles, second prophets, third teachers; then deeds of power, then gifts of healing, forms of assistance, forms of leadership, various kinds of tongues. ²⁹ Are all apostles? Are all prophets? Are all teachers? Do all work miracles? ³⁰ Do all possess gifts of healing? Do all speak in tongues? Do all interpret? ³¹ But strive for the greater gifts. And I will show you a still more excellent way.

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Readings continued:

Luke 4:14-21

¹⁴ Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. ¹⁵ He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone. ¹⁶ When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, ¹⁷ and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

¹⁸ 'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, ¹⁹ to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour.'

²⁰ And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. ²¹ Then he began to say to them, 'Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.'

Key Messages from PCC Meeting 19th January 2022

- Hilary has given notice to step down as Treasurer, the PCC would like to thank Hilary for all that she has done over the past 2 years! Hilary's reign will finish in December 2022. That means we are looking for someone to take over, we have a strong finance team who will support you and a full induction will be given, please speak with Gemma if you are interested
- March 1st is Shrove Tuesday and St Luke's are holding a pancake party from 3.30-5pm
- Friday 18th February we are holding a quiz night at St Luke's! Details to follow
- Saturday 19th February we are doing a working party to get some jobs done within the Church, please come along if you are able to help in any way. We could also do with people serving refreshments

RIP

We are saddened to hear that Doug Garrod died Thursday 20th January.

Please hold Doug's family in your prayers.

Please Pray This Week

For Brian, Joan, Bob, Anna, Greta, Sally, Peter, John and Mary, Nicky, Alina, and Amelia.

This week we remember:

Dorothy le Riche (25.01.1995)
Lewis John Stone (26.01.1996)
Sheila Field (27.01.2013)

