

## PARISH PRAYER

Heavenly Father, we praise and thank you  
that in your redeeming love  
you have drawn us together as members of your Church.

We pray that you would deepen our love for you,  
strengthen our fellowship with each other  
and help us to worship you in spirit and in truth.

We pray that during this time of change,  
we will keep our eyes fixed on you and trust you for the future.

Help us to be faithful in our prayers  
for the continuing ministry in this community  
and guide us in all things to know and do your will,  
for the honour and glory of your name. Amen

## PARISH PRAYER LIST

Cheryl, Lauren, Yvonne, Sandra, Eleanor, Faith, Margaret,  
Charlie & Jean

**Senior members resident in care homes**  
Nan, Leslie, Lillian, Tom, Sally, June & Alec

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## Parish Contacts

During the Vacancy the Rural Dean, Rev Canon Kevin Graham,  
Rector of St Bartholomew's, will be in charge of the parish  
with Canon Ken continuing in his usual role.

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St Aidan's Parish Church  
Enabling people to find a Living Faith in a Loving  
God by Serving 'Christ in the Community'

## Pew Sheet

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> January 2021



The 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday after The Epiphany

**St Aidan's is currently not open for Sunday worship;  
a decision made in the interests of the safety of our  
parishioners at this stage in the Coved 19 pandemic.**

Worship will be available online as follows;

Each Sunday Canon Ken will post a short informal service,  
complete with address, on our Facebook page

[www.facebook.com/staidansandyrow](http://www.facebook.com/staidansandyrow)

Canon Kevin Graham (Rural Dean) will also be conducting  
Morning Prayer from St Bartholomew's online and this can  
be accessed at

17<sup>th</sup> January 2021      <https://youtu.be/fTaUwtlFYdc>  
10<sup>th</sup> January 2021      <https://youtu.be/uFL1AI-hzmo>  
3<sup>rd</sup> January 2021      <https://youtu.be/mebVr0B6K5Q>  
27<sup>th</sup> December 2020      [https://youtu.be/NLG\\_udzKZEI](https://youtu.be/NLG_udzKZEI)

The link for today will be published on our Facebook later today.

## The Collect & Bible Readings of the Day

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 our Lord. **Amen**

### Psalm 62:5-12

Yes, my soul, find rest in God;  
my hope comes from him.

<sup>6</sup> Truly he is my rock and my salvation;  
he is my fortress, I shall not be shaken.

<sup>7</sup> My salvation and my honour depend on God;  
he is my mighty rock, my refuge.

<sup>8</sup> Trust in him at all times, you people;  
pour out your hearts to him,  
for God is our refuge.

<sup>9</sup> Surely the lowborn are but a breath,  
the highborn are but a lie.

If weighed on a balance, they are nothing;  
together they are only a breath.

<sup>10</sup> Do not trust in extortion  
or put vain hope in stolen goods;  
though your riches increase,  
do not set your heart on them.

<sup>11</sup> One thing God has spoken,  
two things I have heard:

‘Power belongs to you, God,

<sup>12</sup> and with you, Lord, is unfailing love’;

and, ‘You reward everyone  
according to what they have done.’

### Jonah 3:1-5 & 10

<sup>3</sup> Then the word of the LORD came to Jonah a second time: <sup>2</sup> ‘Go to the great city of Nineveh and proclaim to it the message I give you.’

<sup>3</sup> Jonah obeyed the word of the LORD and went to Nineveh. Now Nineveh was a very large city; it took three days to go through it. <sup>4</sup> Jonah began by going a day’s journey into the city, proclaiming, ‘Forty more days and Nineveh will be overthrown.’ <sup>5</sup> The Ninevites believed God. A fast was proclaimed, and all of them, from the greatest to the least, put on sackcloth.

<sup>10</sup> When God saw what they did and how they turned from their evil ways, he relented and did not bring on them the destruction he had threatened.

### Mark 1:14-20

<sup>14</sup> After John was put in prison, Jesus went into Galilee, proclaiming the good news of God. <sup>15</sup> ‘The time has come,’ he said. ‘The kingdom of God has come near. Repent and believe the good news!’

<sup>16</sup> As Jesus walked beside the Sea of Galilee, he saw Simon and his brother Andrew casting a net into the lake, for they were fishermen. <sup>17</sup> ‘Come, follow me,’ Jesus said, ‘and I will send you out to fish for people.’ <sup>18</sup> At once they left their nets and followed him.

<sup>19</sup> When he had gone a little farther, he saw James son of Zebedee and his brother John in a boat, preparing their nets. <sup>20</sup> Without delay he called them, and they left their father Zebedee in the boat with the hired men and followed him.

