

# Pews News

St Peter & St Paul's Cranfield

24<sup>th</sup> January 2021



## OUR MISSION STATEMENT

"We are a community church, bringing the good news of Jesus Christ and serving this community in His love."

### Epiphany 3

#### Readings

Genesis 14:17-20

John 1:15-34

#### 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.

#### Week Ahead

Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> 7:30PM – The Bible  
Course

#### Next Sunday – 31<sup>st</sup> January

10:30am Morning Service (on Zoom and  
Phone)

#### Motto text

"These were written that you may believe  
that Jesus is the Christ, the Son of God,  
and that by believing you may have life in  
his name."

*John 20:31*

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## Church on Zoom

With the current national lockdown we have made the decision to have our church services over Zoom for the time being. We're also taking this opportunity to hold this as a benefice-wide service together with Hulcote and Salford. If you are unable to use Zoom then you can also join over the phone. If you would like to receive the details of how to join please contact Isaac.

## Covenant Renewal Service

This week as part of our service we will include a liturgy of 'covenant renewal'. This is an opportunity at the beginning of the year to re-commit ourselves to the Lord.

## Kids Activity Sheet

Each Sunday while we're unable to have our kids group in the church building we're providing a kids activity sheet for the children to do during the sermon. We provide these on the Facebook group, but if you would like to be emailed a copy then please let us know.

## Prayers

Please pray for our local schools, the pupils, teachers, and the opportunities we have to share the love of Jesus with them all. Pray for parents juggling home-schooling and working from home. Pray for Isaac as he begins to get involved with the schools and shares the gospel with children and staff.

Mark 10:13-16

People were bringing little children to Jesus for him to place his hands on them, but the disciples rebuked them. When Jesus saw this, he was indignant. He said to them, "Let the little children come to me, and do not hinder them, for the kingdom of God belongs to such as these.

Truly I tell you, anyone who will not receive the kingdom of God like a little child will never enter it." And he took the children in his arms, placed his hands on them and blessed them.