

The Parish of The Isles of Scilly

Welcome on this Sunday

1st January 2012

**The Naming and
Circumcision of Jesus**



All who usually receive Holy Communion in their own church are warmly invited to do so today. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please bow your head as a signal to the minister.

Sunday:

St Mary's:

11.00 a.m. Sung Eucharist in the Parish Church

St Agnes: No Service

St Martins: No Service

All Saints Bryher: 9:15 am Holy Eucharist

St Nicholas Tresco: 11.00 am Holy Eucharist

Collect for Today

Gold

Almighty God, whose blessed Son was circumcised in obedience to the law for our sake and given the Name that is above every name: give us grace faithfully to bear his Name, to worship him in the freedom of the Spirit, and to proclaim him as the Saviour of the world; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Old Testament Reading

Numbers 6: 22-27

New Testament Reading

Galatians 4: 4-7

Gospel Reading

Luke 2: 15-21



Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, whose incarnate Son was given the Name of Saviour: grant that we who have shared in this sacrament of our salvation may live out our years in the power of the Name above all other names, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



All are welcome to share **coffee and conversation** in the Garden Pavilion after this service.

If you are a U.K. tax payer, It would be very helpful to us if you could place any donations in one of our blue **gift aid** envelopes. Please don't forget to fill in your name and address – without it we cannot claim back the tax.

This Week:

Tuesday 3rd January

11.00 a.m. Eucharist at Park House. All welcome.



7.30 – 9.00 Tied Bell Ringing Practice for beginners. (Simulator in use) Come and join us.

Wednesday 4th January



7.00 – 8.30 p.m. Bell Ringing Practice
Visiting ringers welcome.

Thursday 5th January

10.00 a.m. Holy Eucharist in the Parish Church followed by coffee in the Chaplaincy.

Choir Notice



6.00 pm Choir Practice in the Parish Church.

If you would like to join the choir please contact Julia Mackenzie. Come and swell our numbers! The ability to sing in tune is important, but it is not necessary to be a music-reader.

The MEDITATION group meets again on 19th January 7.00 p.m. – 8.00 p.m. in the Chaplaincy. Newcomers and seekers welcome.

Next Sunday in the Parish

8th January 2012 **First Sunday of Epiphany
The Baptism of Christ**

10.30 a.m. UNITED Covenant Service with Holy Communion at the Methodist Church.

Preacher: Canon Peter

St Mary's : No 11.00 a.m. service in the Parish Church

St Agnes: 9.20 a.m. Family Service

St Martins: No Service

All Saints Bryher: No Service

St Nicholas Tresco: No Service



The January edition of the Diocesan Newsletter, *The Coracle*, is available at the back of the Church. **This issue contains a picture of Eve receiving the St.Piran's Cross** Please take one, or visit the website below.

www.trurodiocese.org.uk/news-and-links/the-coracle.php

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