

The Parish of The Isles of Scilly

Welcome on this
**First Sunday
of Christmas**
30th December 2018



All who usually receive Holy Communion in their home church are warmly invited to do so at our services. If you would prefer to receive a blessing, please bow your head as a signal to the minister. If you require a gluten free wafer at Holy Communion, please advise the Chaplain or sides person on duty at the door before the Service begins.

St Mary's: *White*

11.00 am. Holy Communion in the Parish Church

St Agnes: No Service Today

St Martins: No Service Today

All Saints Bryher: No Service Today

St Nicholas Tresco: 11.00 am. Holy Communion

Psalm Response: from Psalm 148.

“Praise, O praise the name of the Lord.”

Collect for Today

Almighty God, who wonderfully created us in your own image and yet more wonderfully restored us through your Son Jesus Christ: grant that, as he came to share in our humanity, so we may share the life of his divinity; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Old Testament Reading

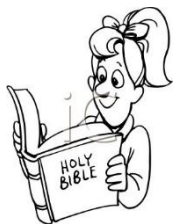
1 Samuel 2: 18-20, 26

New Testament Reading

Colossians 3: 12-17

Gospel Reading

Luke 2: 41-52



Post Communion Prayer

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son shared at Nazareth the life of an earthly home: help your Church to live as one family, united in love and obedience, and bring us all at last to our home in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

All are welcome to share coffee and conversation
in the Garden Pavilion after the Sunday 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.

*Please take this pew-sheet home
with you to keep abreast
of the week's events.*



Tuesday to Saturday

8.00 am. Morning Prayer in the Parish Church

Monday 31st December

New Year's Eve

Any visiting ringers wishing to
ring the new year in at 11.40 pm.

please contact David on 07775 903872

Come and join us for a ring and a wee dram.



Wednesday 2nd January

7.00 – 8.30 pm. Bell Ringing Practice



Visiting ringers welcome. If you would like to learn to ring you are very welcome to come along and see what goes on and how the exercise is done.

Thursday 3rd January

10.00 a.m. Holy Communion in the Parish Church

Next Sunday in the Parish

6th January 2019

St Mary's: **The Epiphany**

7.00 am. Morning Prayer in the Parish Church

11.00 am. Holy Communion in the Parish Church

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St Martins: No Service Today

All Saints Bryher: No Service Today

St Nicholas Tresco: No Service Today



Church Hall Charity Shop

Open weekly

Tuesday 2.00 - 4.00 pm

Saturday 10.00 - 12.00 pm

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