Our worship today

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION at St Cuthbert's

(Book of Common Prayer)

President Liz Strafford

The collect and readings for The First Sunday after Epiphany are on p.67-68.

9.15am HOLY COMMUNION at St Aidan's

(Common Worship)

President and Preacher Liz Strafford

Please join us for refreshments afterwards in the Parish Hall

11.00am COME AND PRAISE at St Cuthbert's

(Common Worship)

President and Preacher Tom Glover

Please join us for refreshments afterwards in the Community Room

Farewell for Remi

We are having a team farewell service for Remi followed by refreshments on 19th January at 6pm at St. Aidan's. We are also collecting for a gift for Remi, today is the **last Sunday** for this.

Tom's January Dryathalon

To sponsor Tom please visit: http://www.justgiving.com/Thomas-Glover-dryathlete. Or see sheet at back of church

Christian Unity Prayer Breakfast

There will be a prayer breakfast to mark the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity on 24th January at 8am at Elvet Methodist Church. Everyone is welcome, but please speak to Kirsty Thomas if you intend to go.

Bible Study

Continuing from our successful study group during Advent, we are having another bible study, this time on the 17th January at 12pm at St Cuthbert's Community Room. Part of this will be to help our reader-in-training Alison prepare for her assessed sermon at the end of the month. Please come, and we will have a bring and share lunch.

This pew slip and a calendar for St Cuthbert's & the Community Room are available on-line http://cuthbertandaidan.durhamnorthteam.org or find us on facebookhttps://www.facebook.com/#!/stcuthbertsdurham

For your prayers this week

The Collect for The Baptism of Christ

Eternal Father, who at the baptism of Jesus revealed him to be your Son, anointing him with the Holy Spirit: grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit, that we may be faithful to our calling 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 forever. **Amen**

Parish Community: we pray for all preparing to be married in our churches this year.

Diocesan Family: we pray for St John Hebburn with Jarrow Grange Christ Church.

Anglican Communion: we pray for the Anglican Church of Australia, and for Archbishop Dr Philip John Aspinall.

Methodist Connexion: we pray with and for Christians in Belieze, Honduras, the Bahamas, Turks and Caicos Islands, and the South Caribbean District, and the Cornwall District in England.

Among those for whom our prayers are asked we pray for Elizabeth Boyd, Norman Blackburn, Edith Wells, Anne Gordon, Brian Rowell, Glynis Pearce, Nigel Petrie, Zoe and Dave, and for those in our intercession books and anyone unable to be with us today through ill-health or infirmity.

The Blessed departed: we remember Antony Myers, Jean Lambert and Sylvia Musgrove who have recently died, and Thomas William Hardy, George Herbert Lawrence Nimmins, Jean Brass, Ethel Lees, Eva Biggins, Anne Thompson, Leslie Wardle, Frederick Ernest Modral, Lilian Brunskell and Shirley Sefton Britain Annand, whose anniversaries fall this week

The Post Communion Prayer: Lordof all time and eternity, you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

If you have any notices for the pew slip or would like someone included in the list of the sick, or of the blessed departed, please contact the Team Office by telephone 0191 384 7825 or email durhamnorthteam@gmail.com

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 13th Hilary, Bishop of Potiers, 367, Kentigo (Mungo), Bishop, 603 and George Fox, 1691

8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's

Tuesday 14th 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Michael's Witton Gilbert

Wednesday 15th 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's

9.30am Holy Communion at St Cuthbert's Liz Strafford2.00pm Pastoral Prayer Meeting at 4 Lichfield Road7.00pm Wedding Class in the Community Room

Thursday 16th 8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's

10.00am Holy Communion at Sacriston *Liz Strafford* **10am-11.30am Aidan's Kitchen** in The Parish Hall

Friday 17th Antony of Egypt, Hermit, 356

8.30am Morning Prayer at St Aidan's

12.00pm Bible Study in the Community Room **5.00pm Holy Communion** at Bearpark *Tom Glover*

Saturday 18th Beginning of the Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

SUNDAY 19th The Second Sunday after Epiphany

8.00am Holy Communion at St Cuthbert's Caroline Dick
9.15am Holy Communion at St Aidan's Liz Cummings
11.00am Holy Communion at St Cuthbert's Tom Glover
6.00pm Farewell Evensong for Remi Omole at St. Aidan's

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The Parish of St. Cuthbert with St. Aidan Durham

The Baptism of Christ 12TH JANUARY 2014



Come and share the Bread of Life!

Readings

Isaiah 42:1-9 Psalm 29 Acts 10:34-43 Matthew 3:13-end

