



'Sparklers' for those under school age
Sparklers is now happening in the hall every
Sunday except the first Sunday in the month.



**If you know of anyone who is ill, at home or in
Hospital or has been missing from church for a
few weeks**, could you please contact Alison on
01493 656948 and she will arrange for someone to visit.



PRAYER REQUESTS. Please put names on the Prayer
Board, so that we can pray for the people concerned during
the services. May we ask you please to date the cards so that
we can monitor the requests. Please use the cards whenever
you need us to pray for you or a loved one.



**If you would like a lift to church services, please
contact Keith Nicholls on 01493 601736**

Church Phones Hall 07548928631 Church 07548952804
Chris 01493 663219 Sue and Martin 01493 668184
Matthew 01493 298313

PRAYER CORNER

Please pray for all who live on Alder Close, Grebe Close and
Pinecot Avenue.

Please pray for our Digging Deeper Groups as they begin again this
week. Give thanks for the good fun and fellowship that happens
within these groups and that our understanding of the Bible would
be deepened too!

Pray for those known to you who will begin a new venture or face a
particular challenge during 2017.

Items for future "News in the Pews" need to be given, or sent by e-mail to
Sue sue-upton@talk21.com By Wednesday of each week please



ST NICHOLAS
Bradwell

SUNDAY 8th JANUARY 2017

Epiphany

Creator of the heavens,
who led the Magi by a star
to worship the Christ-Child:
guide and sustain us,
that we may find our journey's end
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

8.00 Holy Communion

Hebrews 8:7-13 p 1206
Matthew 3:13-17 p 967

*9.50 Prayer for the service in front of the organ,
all are welcome to come to pray.*

10.00 Family Communion

Ephesians 1:1-14 p 1173
Matthew 13:31-35 p 979

6.30 Evening Prayer

Hebrews 8:7-13 p 1206
Matthew 3:13-17 p 967

**We extend a warm welcome to any visitors today.
We invite you to join us after the 10.00 am service
for refreshments in the Hall**

Website: www.stnicholasbradwell.co.uk



News in the Pews

>>THIS WEEK<<

Tuesday	1.45 pm	Little Pearls for toddlers and their carers in the hall.
	8pm	Digging Deeper at the Rectory
Wednesday	9.00 am	Holy Communion in church Church open until 1.00
	10.00 am	Pop Pin in the hall
	2.00 pm	Digging Deeper in the hall
	7.30 pm	Central Meeting in the hall
Thursday	7.30 pm	Digging Deeper at 27, Curlew Way and 19, Chestnut Avenue
Friday	4.30 pm	New Venture in the hall

NEXT SUNDAY 15th JANUARY

8.00 am	HOLY COMMUNION
10.00 am	MORNING WORSHIP with Thanksgiving service for Sebastian Alan King
6.30 pm	HOLY COMMUNION

COFFEE at 10.00 Service
Donna and Lesley

JANUARY DATES

Monday 16th	PCC
Monday 23rd	Meeting of Music Makers at 40 King's Drive
Wednesday 25th	Friendship Lunch Wedding Fayre
Friday 27th	Film Night
Tuesday 31st	Prayer for the Future

Digging Deeper

Digging Deeper Groups begin again this week. That New Year's resolution to get to know your Bible more would be helped by being a member of one of these groups. You don't need to be a Bible expert already, but if you are an expert there is always more to learn and it's great to do that as part of a group. Until Lent we are looking at different **Christian Virtues**, beginning with **Hope** – a good place to begin any New Year. If you need more information do talk to a member of the staff team – or just turn up, you would be very welcome.

Music at St Nicholas

We are thinking about how we might proceed with music this coming year for our services at 10.00 and 6.30 and beyond. So if you enjoy singing, or play any sort of instrument please come along, *even if at this stage you feel nervous at the thought of joining in*, we're looking to think about music in church, pool ideas and dream dreams, with no pressure! The meeting is on **Monday 23rd January at 7.30 at 40, King's Drive**. If that date is impossible for you, but you would like to be involved or offer any thoughts, then please talk to Chris or another staff member.

Christmas Collections

The brilliant sum of £591.76 was paid to Embrace the Middle East Christmas appeal which you will remember was to buy winter survival packs for refugees. This amount was raised from collections at the main Christmas services and from donations made in lieu of sending Christmas cards.

What do you want to remember from today's service?
Space for notes