

St Mary's Church, Thorpe

FAMILY SERVICE

EPIPHANY SEASON

This service booklet, together with a printed song sheet contain everything you need for this service.

In Church, please keep 2 metres apart from other individuals/households. Place the coloured sticky note on top of the chair where you sit. Please don't sing out loud.

Please do join in within the singing from home!

Online please use the DONATE button in place of the usual financial collection / offering; thank you for your generosity.

In Church, please place your donation in a basket as you leave. If you pay UK income tax, please gift-aid your donation by completing the front of a yellow envelope with your details and placing your donation inside.

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(Opening Song)

At the end of the song please sit.

Introduction and Welcome

In the name of the Father, and of the Son,
and of the Holy Spirit.

All Amen.

The Lord be with you

All and also with you.

The minister will introduce the service and then invite us to :

We say 'sorry' to God

This or another sentence may be used:

The grace of God has dawned upon the world through our Saviour Jesus Christ, who sacrificed himself for us to purify a people as his own. Let us confess our sins.

A time of quiet reflection is kept



God be gracious to us and bless us,
and make your face shine upon us: Lord, have mercy.

All **Lord have mercy.**

May your ways be known on the earth,
your saving power among the nations: Christ, have mercy.

All **Christ have mercy.**

You, Lord, have made known your salvation,
and reveal your justice in the sight of the nations:
Lord, have mercy.

All **Lord have mercy.**

May God, who loved the world so much
that he sent his Son to be our Saviour,
forgive us our sins and make us holy
to serve him in the world,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.



All **Amen.**

The Prayer of the Day (Collect)

The Prayer is said by the minister and we all respond:

All **Amen**

The Reading from the Gospel

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to *N*.

All **Glory to you, O Lord**

At the end of the reading:

This is the Gospel of the Lord

All **Praise to you, O Christ**

(Song)

The Talk

Simple Prayers

At the end of the prayers the minister says:

Merciful Father

All **accept these prayers for the sake of your Son
our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen.**



The Lord's Prayer

All Our Father, who art in heaven,
 hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come.
 Thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven.
 Give us this day our daily bread.
 And forgive us our trespasses,
 as we forgive those who trespass against us.
 And lead us not into temptation.
 But deliver us from evil. For thine is the kingdom,
 the power and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen.



The Welcome and Peace

We Stand

The parents (& God parents) bring those recently baptised to the front of church for their special welcome into the family of faith.

There is one Lord, one faith, one baptism:
N, by the one Spirit we are all baptised into one body.

All **We welcome you into the fellowship of faith.**
 We are children of the same heavenly Father,
 we welcome you.

The minister introduces the Peace with a suitable sentence, and then says:

The peace of the Lord be always with you

All **and also with you**

Let us offer one another a sign of peace.

All may exchange a sign of peace with a Covid-secure nod saying, 'Peace be with you'.



Notices

The Blessing & Sending Out

The Lord be with you

All **And also with you**

May God the Father, who led the wise men by the shining
of a star to find the Christ, the Light from Light, lead you
also in your pilgrimage to find the Lord.

All **Amen.**

May God the Son, who turned water into wine at the wedding feast at Cana, transform your lives and make glad your hearts.

All **Amen.**

May God the Holy Spirit, who came upon the beloved Son at his baptism in the river Jordan, pour out his gifts on you who have come to the waters of new birth.

All **Amen.**

and the blessing of God almighty, the + Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit be among you and remain with you always.

All **Amen.**

Go in peace to love and serve the Lord.

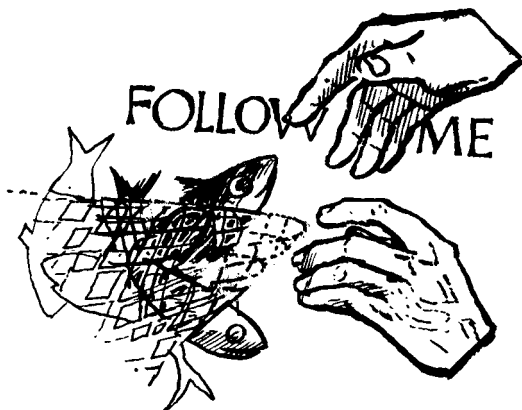
All **In the name of Christ. Amen.**



(Concluding Song)

Thank you for joining us at St Mary's Church today. We hope you will come back next time – first, third & fifth Sunday of the month!

Retiring Collection *There is a basket by the door as you leave.*



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