

**Please pray** for those deceased, especially the family and friends of those whose funerals will take place during this week.



Bookings for Baptisms and Weddings can be made by attending St John's Vestry between 6.15 and 7.00 pm on the 1st and 3rd Mondays of the month (except Bank Holidays)

**To contact the Vicar: Vacant at present, please contact**

Roger Basing 01405 761280 or Ken Sykes 01405 765760 who may be able to help you with your enquiry.

Parish Website: [www.gooleparish.org.uk](http://www.gooleparish.org.uk)

**Spire Community Centre - Bookings** - If you would like to book the Spire please contact Sue Nicholson on 01405 763194.

## Parish of St John the Evangelist, Goole



### **If you are a Visitor to our Church ... Welcome**

The services today will last about an hour, and there is opportunity to sing, hear the bible, offer prayers for our world and anyone for whom you are concerned. If it is your custom to receive communion you are welcome to do so today. If it is not, please come forward as directed to receive a blessing.

Children of all ages are very welcome. Please don't feel embarrassed if your baby cries or you need to remain seated during the service.

**Please make yourselves known to us at the end of the service over refreshments in the Spire Centre.  
We would love to get to know you.**

***Sunday 6 January 2018***

**Epiphany**

10:00 : Communion Service

Readings : Ephesians 3 v 1- 12 Pg 1174

Gospel : Matthew 2 v 1 - 12 Pg 966

**Reader :**

**Prayers :**

**Sidespersons :** Julia Walton

**Thursday 10:00 Holy Communion (said Service)**

# The News

## What's Happening This Week

|          |         |                                |
|----------|---------|--------------------------------|
| Tuesday  | 10.00am | No Companions until 15 January |
| Thursday | 10.00am | Communion (said Service)       |

## HYMNS Mission Praise

- 31 O worship the Lord  
No gloria
- 29 We three kings
- 130 I will come & bow down x 2  
*(in Carol Praise)*
- 30 As with gladness
- 32 Earth has many a noble city



The induction loop for hearing aids has been looked at and should be working.

Living God, Jesus calls his followers to seek first your Kingdom. Renew us as we make your love known; Release us to share freely together in mission; and Rejuvenate us to be fruitful in your service. Give us courage, wisdom and compassion, that strengthened with the grace of the Holy Spirit, we may, as the Diocese of Sheffield, both flourish and grow through Christ our Lord. Amen.

# Happy New Year

**Volunteers are needed** - If you would like to be trained to help serve in the Communion Service or help set up the service please have a word with John or Shaun.

**Pie & Peas Lunch** - A Big Thank you must go to Sylvia for making the Pies for the Pie & peas lunch we had on Friday. Thanks to all who helped with this event. We had a lovely lunch.

**Rotas** - New rotas have been printed for Sidesperson, Baptism, Coffee. These are on top of the piano. If you are on any of these rotas, please take a copy.

**Volunteers wanted** - Would you like to help during the service, help give communion, help set up, do collection etc. If so please have a word with John / Shaun.

**Could you help with Baptisms , sidesperson or make coffee / tea after morning service ?** If so have a word with anyone on the lists who will point you in the right direction. These are not hard jobs and they are not every week.

**Flowers on the Altar** - are in Loving Memory of Barrie Andrews.

## Sundays @7

**Tonight - Spire Centre - 7.00pm** A time to pray and reflect on Epiphany.

**Sunday 13 January 7.00pm - Spire Centre** - Mandy Gillen of Serve Afghanistan is coming to speak about her work just before she returns to that very dangerous place. Everyone welcome.