



# Welcome to St John the Evangelist East Dulwich

## 13 January 2019 The Baptism of Christ

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### 8am: Said Mass

### 10am: Sung Mass

Introit	<i>A Song of Ezekiel</i> – Webber
Processional	52
Gradual	58
Offertory	374
Anthem	<i>Come, Holy Ghost</i> – Attwood
Communion	310
Recessional	40
Voluntary	<i>Concerto in A minor (iii)</i> – Vivaldi
Organist	John Webber

### Collect

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  
as your adopted children;  
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 for ever.  
**Amen.**

**We welcome** Tallulah Peach Lang who will be baptised at this morning's Mass.

**Gluten Free** communion wafers are available from the Altar in the Lady Chapel.

**Gift Aid your donations.** If you are a UK taxpayer, please make your donation using a yellow Gift Aid envelope. We can reclaim 25p for every £1. Thank you.



## **A reading from the book of the prophet Isaiah 43: 1-7**

But now thus says the Lord, he who created you, O Jacob, he who formed you, O Israel: Do not fear, for I have redeemed you; I have called you by name, you are mine. When you pass through the waters, I will be with you; and through the rivers, they shall not overwhelm you; when you walk through fire you shall not be burned, and the flame shall not consume you. For I am the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel, your Saviour. I give Egypt as your ransom, Ethiopia and Seba in exchange for you. Because you are precious in my sight, and honoured, and I love you, I give people in return for you, nations in exchange for your life. Do not fear, for I am with you; I will bring your offspring from the east, and from the west I will gather you; I will say to the north, 'Give them up', and to the south, 'Do not withhold; bring my sons from far away and my daughters from the end of the earth – everyone who is called by my name, whom I created for my glory, whom I formed and made.'

## **Psalm 29** *(8am Mass only)*

**R\:** The Lord shall give his people the blessing of peace.

## **Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to St Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22**

As the people were filled with expectation, and all were questioning in their hearts concerning John, whether he might be the Messiah, John answered all of them by saying, 'I baptize you with water; but one who is more powerful than I is coming; I am not worthy to untie the thong of his sandals. He will baptize you with the Holy Spirit and fire. His winnowing-fork is in his hand, to clear his threshing-floor and to gather the wheat into his granary; but the chaff he will burn with unquenchable fire.' Now when all the people were baptized, and when Jesus also had been baptized and was praying, the heaven was opened, and the Holy Spirit descended upon him in bodily form like a dove. And a voice came from heaven, 'You are my Son, the Beloved; with you I am well pleased.'



### **The Revd Preb Rose Hudson-Wilkin QHC**

We welcome the Revd Rose Hudson-Wilkin as our guest preacher at the 10am Mass on Sunday 27 January.

Rose is Priest-in-Charge of St Mary-at-Hill, City of London and additionally holds the roles of Chaplain to the Speaker of the House of Commons, priest vicar at Westminster Abbey and chaplain to the Queen.

Please put this in your diary and invite your friends!

## This week's services and events

<b>Weekdays</b>	9am	Morning Prayer
<b>Wednesday 16 January</b>	10.30am	Goose Green Coffee Morning
	7.30pm	Said Mass <i>followed by meeting of PCC</i>
<b>Thursday 17 January</b>	12pm	Said Mass
	12.30pm	Goose Green Lunch Club
	8.15pm	Choir practice
<b>Sunday 20 January</b>	<b>Epiphany 3</b>	
	8am	Said Mass
	10am	Sung Mass

**Goose Green Coffee Morning.** On Wednesday 16 January we look forward to a talk by the Goose Green Safer Neighbourhood Team. All welcome.

**St John's Burns' Night Ceilidh:** Friday 25 January from 7pm. £5 (donation) for tickets which you can get from: [www.SJED-Ceilidh.eventbrite.co.uk](http://www.SJED-Ceilidh.eventbrite.co.uk) (booking fee); [curate@stjohnseastdulwich.org](mailto:curate@stjohnseastdulwich.org); or sign up at the back of church. Bring a bottle (wine and soft drinks on sale on the night). We'll be serving a light supper of haggis (vegetarian option available), neeps and tatties.

**The Robes project night shelter** will run from 26 January until 14 April.

**The Southwark Sinfonietta** will be giving a concert at St John's on Sunday 10 February, at 3.30pm. Music will include Haydn's London Symphony No. 95; an overture by Cimarosa; and Haydn's Trumpet Concerto. Tickets at the door: £12, concessions £10, children free. Contact: [swksinf@gmail.com](mailto:swksinf@gmail.com) 07811 769 969

**Donations to schools in India.** On 7 February Raymond is going on a pilgrimage to India organised through MEAC and led by Bishop Christopher. Part of the pilgrimage includes visiting a couple of schools (St Paul's School, Palampur, and the Kangra Mission Hospital and School). Visitors are encouraged to take pens, pencils, notepads, etc. for the children. If you would like to donate stationery please speak to Raymond or leave your donations in the box at the back of church. Thank you.

**John Webber will be giving a recital** at St Stephen Walbrook, on Friday 15 February at 12.30pm. The programme will include music by Vaughan Williams, Vivaldi, Franck, Guilmant, Harold Darke and others. On Friday 1 March at 12.30pm he will be playing a shorter version of the programme at St George's, Beckenham. All welcome. Admission free for both events - retiring collection.

**Hymn Society of Great Britain and Ireland.** There will be a regional conference of at All Saints, West Dulwich on Saturday 9 March from 10.30am to 4.30pm. Talks on the English Hymnal tradition, music of Billy Graham's crusades, the hymn "How great thou art" and Catholic Hymnody since Vatican II. John Webber is organising the event; booking not essential, but helpful: [maggielandjohn1@gmail.com](mailto:maggielandjohn1@gmail.com)

God of truth,  
you are faithful to the covenant you have made with us;  
look in mercy on your people.  
From all our sins, O Lord:  
**wash us, and we shall be clean.**

We have broken the pledges of our baptism,  
and failed to be your disciples.  
From all our sins, O Lord:  
**wash us, and we shall be clean.**

We have shown indifference to those in need  
and have been afraid to stand up for justice and truth.  
From all our sins, O Lord:  
**wash us, and we shall be clean.**

We have been slow to forgive,  
and have failed to remember your repeated forgiveness of our sins.  
From all our sins, O Lord:  
**wash us, and we shall be clean.**

Today we rejoice and give thanks  
because your Son humbled himself to be baptized in the Jordan.  
Through the waters you have given us the mystery of baptism  
for the remission of our sins.  
From all our sins, O Lord:  
**wash us, and we shall be clean.**

Through water and Spirit  
you give us new life as the people of God,  
and pour out upon us the gifts of your new covenant.  
From all our sins, O Lord:  
**wash us, and we shall be clean.**

Almighty God,  
in our baptism you have consecrated us  
to be temples of your Holy Spirit.  
May we, whom you have counted worthy,  
nurture your indwelling Spirit with a lively faith,  
and worship you with upright lives;  
through Jesus Christ.  
**Amen.**

