



## The Windmill United Benefice

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# Sunday 4 January 2026 Epiphany and Plough Sunday

### *Collect Prayer*

O God,  
who by the leading of a star  
manifested your only Son to the peoples of the earth:  
mercifully grant that we,  
who know you now by faith,  
may at last behold your glory face to face;  
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.

**Old Testament: Isaiah 60:1-6**

**Gospel: Matthew 2:1-12**

### *Post Communion Prayer*

Lord God,  
the bright splendour whom the nations seek:  
may we who with the wise men  
have been drawn by your light  
discern the glory of your presence in your Son,  
the Word made flesh, Jesus Christ our Lord.

**PLEASE TAKE THIS LEAFLET AWAY WITH YOU**

# **Praise the Lord, my soul and heart**

## **Psalm 72**

Enemies shall bow before him,  
Kings of Sheba lick the dust;  
Kings of Tarshish, and the islands,  
Bring their tribute and their trust;  
Princes here kneel in fear;  
All will serve him and revere.

He will save the poor and needy,  
Help the folk who have no aid.  
Freeing them from pain and violence,  
He will keep them unafraid,  
Pity sighs, hear their cries,  
Who are precious in his eyes.

He receives his gold from Sheba,  
Their eternal praise and prayer.  
While he lives the land will flourish,  
And like Lebanon grow fair.  
Tree and tower thrive and flower,  
In his land through sun and shower.

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## Services in Church

*This Sunday, 4 January – Epiphany*

<b>8am</b>	BCP Holy Communion	<b>St Mary the Virgin, Horne</b>
<b>9:30am</b>	Holy Communion	<b>St Bartholomew, Burstow</b>
<b>10am</b>	Family Service	<b>St Mary the Virgin, Horne</b>
<b>11am</b>	Holy Communion	<b>St John the Baptist, Outwood</b>

*Next Sunday, 11 January – Baptism of Christ and Plough Sunday*

<b>9:30am</b>	Holy Communion	<b>St Bartholomew, Burstow</b>
<b>10am</b>	Morning Prayer	<b>St Mary the Virgin, Horne</b>
<b>11am</b>	Holy Communion	<b>St John the Baptist, Outwood</b>
<b>3pm</b>	Café Church	<b>Smallfield Church Hall</b>

## Followers of the Way

The next Followers of the Way meeting is **tomorrow** (Monday 5 January) at 7:30 pm in Smallfield Church Hall. All are welcome.

## Midweek Services

There are no midweek services this week; they will restart next week, on **12 January**.

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Please send **items for the next notice sheet** to Peter Nye  
([peternye44@gmail.com](mailto:peternye44@gmail.com)) by 6pm on **Wednesday 7 January**