

## *Blessing*

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.

**Amen.**

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

**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.

**Amen.**

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

**Amen.**

## *Conclusion*

Go in peace to love and serve the  
Lord

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

## *Ticehurst & Flimwell Parishes*

# *Online Morning Worship*

## *in the Season of Epiphany*

### *The Greeting*

The peace of Jesus Christ be with you.

**All And also with you.**

Jesus is the light of the world:

**All a light no darkness can overcome.**

Lord, let your light scatter the darkness:

**All and fill your Church with your glory.**

### *Words of Welcome*

### *Hymn*

### *Introduction to the Service*

### *Prayers of Penitence*

*The invitation to say sorry to God is extended:*

The spirit of the Lord fills the world  
And knows our every word and deed.  
Let us then open ourselves to the Lord  
and confess our sins in penitence and faith.

*A moment of silence is allowed; then:*

Christ came in humility to share our  
lives: forgive our pride.

Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

Christ came with good news for all  
people: forgive our silence.

Christ, have mercy.

**All Christ, have mercy.**

Christ came in love to a world of  
suffering: forgive our self-centredness.

Lord, have mercy.

**All Lord, have mercy.**

#### *Sources:*

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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.  
**Amen.**

### *Psalm*

### *First Reading*

Reader: This is the word of the Lord

**All Thanks be to God**

### *Hymn*

### *Second Reading*

Reader: This is the word of the Lord

**All Thanks be to God**

### *Sermon*

### *Affirming our Faith*

Leader: Let us declare our faith in God:

Do you believe and trust in God the Father, source of all being and life, the one for whom we exist?

**All We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Son, who took our human nature, died for us and rose again?

**All We believe and trust in him.**

Do you believe and trust in God the Holy Spirit, who gives life to the people of God and makes Christ known to the world?

**All We believe and trust in him.**

Leader: This is the faith of the Church

**All This our faith.  
We believe and trust in one God,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit.  
Amen.**

### *Hymn*

### *Notices*

### *Prayers of Intercession*

Each prayer will end with this or a similar response:

Leader: Lord in your mercy:

**All Hear our prayer.**

The prayers may end with the following:

Merciful Father,

**All Accept these prayers for the sake of your Son, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.**

### *The Collect*

### *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.**

### *Offertory*

Offerings are taken - with thankfulness for all our blessings - and committed to the glory of God:

All things come from you, O Lord, and of your own do we give you. May your will on earth be done. **Amen.**

### *Hymn*

### *Closing Prayer*

Great God, you are one God, and you bring together what is scattered and mend what is broken. Unite us with the scattered peoples of the earth that we may be one family of your children. Bind up all our wounds and heal us in spirit, that we may be renewed as disciples of Jesus Christ, our Master and Saviour. **Amen.**