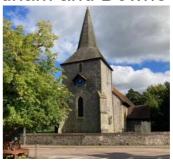
#### The United Benefice of Cudham and Downe







Welcome to our Church

# Sunday 12<sup>h</sup> January 2025

9.30am Downe Morning Worship

11.00am Cudham Holy Communion and Sunday Club

Both services led by Rev Canon Katrina Barnes

Isaiah 43:1-7, Luke 3:15-17,21,22

## The Baptism of Christ The First Sunday of Epiphany

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.

Refreshments are available and we invite you to stay and enjoy meeting others before you go home.

### **Upcoming services**

# **Tuesday 14th January**

10.00am Downe Holy Communion led by Canon Jane Winter

#### Sunday 19th January

9.30am Downe Holy Communion

11.00am Cudham Morning Worship and Sunday Club

Both services led by Ven Dr Paul Wright

#### Sunday 26th January

9.30am Downe Morning Worship *led by Mark Newman*11.00am Cudham Holy Communion and Sunday Club *led by Rev Vince Short* 

A Joint **PCC meeting** is taking place on **Monday 13<sup>th</sup> January** at

7.45pm in Cudham Church.

#### **Diocese of Rochester - Called Together**

**Deanery Synod** - everyone is invited to the next meeting at which the guest speaker will be the Bishop of Rochester, Rt Rev Jonathan Gibbs. It is on **Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> January** at St Mary's, Green St Green, with refreshments from 7.15pm for an 8pm start.

You are very welcome to come along to the following:

Ladies Fellowship - Tuesday 14th January, at 10am, at Sue's.

**Christian Meditation -** Thurs 16th January, 10am at St Mary's

admin@pcd.org.uk or call 01959 571515 for more details



Thank you for your generous support of the Nsumbi Trust Christmas Food Basket Appeal. 290 baskets of food were distributed to families and elderly people in Uganda in the two days before Christmas Day. They were received with much joy and appreciation.

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Premier Christian Radio and United Christian Broadcasters (UCB) are inviting you to join with them in praying the Lord's Prayer, this Sunday the 12th at noon.

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Our pastoral care team is available should you feel the need to speak to someone about anything, whether it's just for a chat or if something is troubling you. You can contact them on 07942 354533 or email pastoral.team@pcd.org.uk

Prayer points for this week:

- For the family of Audrey Sharpington who died recently
- and let us continue to pray for one another, our families, and our parishioners. This week we pray for
  - Dean and Karen Lockley (Cudham)
  - Julian and Val Benington (Downe)
  - residents in Jail Lane (Cudham)
  - residents in Farthing Street (Downe)

While our churches have a vacancy for a Vicar, please email <a href="mailto:admin@pcd.org.uk">admin@pcd.org.uk</a> or call the parish office on 01959 571515 to leave a message. Alternatively, contact one of the churchwardens below:

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