



St. Paul's Covingham  
 St. Timothy's, Liden  
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 10th January 2016

*Transforming lives and communities  
 Knowing Jesus and making Him known*



*A Voice came from heaven:  
 "you are my Son, the Beloved;  
 With you I am well pleased"*  
 (Luke 3:22)

## SERVICES - 10th January

### St. Paul's

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| 8.45am   | Holy Communion   | Rev'd Trudie Wigley<br>And Colin Parsons                                    |
| 10.30am  | All Age Worship  | Dan Jones - Diocesan children<br>& youth adviser<br>and Rev'd Trudie Wigley |
| 1.00pm   | Baptism          | Rev'd Trudie Wigley   |
| We welcome the friends and family of Phoebe Causton as she is baptised this morning. |                  |   |
| 4.00pm   | Informal Worship | Rev'd Andrew Wigley   |

### St. Tim's

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| 10.30am | Morning Worship | Paul Tayler |
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This morning Alex Scott is at Bath Road, and Andrew Wigley is at queens Drive supporting the Methodist circuit.

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| Readings     | Isaiah 43: 1-7 | Acts 8: 14 - 17      |
| 10th January | Psalms 29      | Luke 3: 15-17, 21-22 |

**Welcome to the Dorcan Church**  
**If you are new, we would love to get to know you better.**  
**Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards.**

**What's on this week -**

Small groups and Cell Groups - please keep in touch with your leaders for dates and venues. If you would like to join one, please speak to one of the Ministers or Church Wardens.

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| Monday<br>11th January    | 2-4pm<br>7.45          | Monday Club - Lunch followed by Scrabble and Dominoes<br>CYP Meeting. Venue TBD       |
| Tuesday<br>12th January   | 7.30pm                 | Mebn's Fellowship Group<br>at 4 Hatherley - planning the calendar.                    |
| Wednesday<br>13th January | am<br>9.00am<br>1.30pm | Clergy chapter meeting<br>Tiny Tots at St Paul's<br>Tiny Tots at St Tim's             |
| Thursday<br>14th January  | 9.30am                 | Holy Communion at St. Paul's  |
| Friday<br>15th January    | 10.30am<br>2pm         | Funeral Lilla Jelliss @ Kingsdown<br>The Friday Club at St. Paul's - Social afternoon |
| Saturday<br>16th January  | 6-8pm                  | X:Site at St Pauls  |

**SERVICES 17th January****St. Paul's**

10.30am                      Baptism                      Rev'd Trudie Wigley

Welcome: *Anna & Brian*, Teas: *Murie & Diane*, Sunday Club: *Nathalie & Niki (& Cathy?)*

4.00pm                      Messy Church                      The Team

**St. Tim's**

10.30am                      Holy Communion                      Rev'd Andrew Wigley

### **For your prayers -**

- Preparations for Messy Church and X:Site next weekend, and those families and children who will come
- The gathering of senior leaders of the Anglican Communion this coming week, for good listening and gracious discussion
- World financial centres and economic leaders, for wisdom and stability
- For those bereaved, and those who are caring for them in their loss
- For ourselves in our walk with Jesus

### **An invitation for us all to this year's Lent course!**

Yes, we know Christmas has only just been, but we are thinking ahead because Easter is particularly early this year, with Lent beginning on Ash Wednesday on 10<sup>th</sup> February. We are looking to run another church-wide Lent course this year and before Christmas the ministry team were looking at various materials. We now have a course we would like to recommend and will be contacting Cell and house groups leaders over the next week.

We are looking at again offering additional courses on different days and at different times, so please look out for more information in the next couple of weeks and think about signing up and journeying together with the church family in learning and discipleship. More information very soon!



**X:Site** is a children's event supported and run by local churches in partnership with Scripture Union. It's a great couple of hours on a Saturday night of fun, games, crafts, worship and small groups. It's for children in school years 3-6 to meet other children and learn about God and it is held here!

The next event is **NEXT SATURDAY 16<sup>th</sup> January at St Paul's, Covingham, SN3 5BY**. If you have children in those school years, or know of friends and neighbours who do, why not pick up some of the leaflets and invite them along?

For more information see Facebook page "X:Site Swindon" or phone 07904 363 337. Look forward to seeing you!

All items for inclusion in the next notices should be sent to  
Anna Newman by Thursday 14th January  
Tel 695698 or email [anagram673@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:anagram673@hotmail.co.uk)  
(please let me know if you would like to receive notices by email)