

Please pray for:

- Our ministry team: Stephen, Sue, Mike, James, & Yvonne and for Ryder & Edward, praying especially at this time for Stephen, Frances, Evie and the wider family
- All the churches in our Benefice – serving Christ in the Valley
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan
- Our mission partners, Doug and Jacqui Marshall, Ethan and Chloe
- Bishops Nicholas, Edward & Karen <http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest>
- Those caught up in the aftermath of terrorist attacks and wars
- The refugee crisis: for those risking their lives to flee conflicts across the world and for those endeavouring to provide for them in other countries including the UK
- Those on holiday that they may stay safe and be refreshed and renewed



Those who are ill or housebound (those known to you & an updated list will be read at each service)

... & remember those who have died, especially & their families & friends

FAMILY SERVICES IN THE VALLEY

This week the Family Service is at 11.00 am at Puncknowle and followed by a Passover Meal. Please let Yvonne Buckland know in advance (☎898492) if you are attending, for catering purposes (see BVN p9). Next week, the family communion service is here at 10.30 am

COLLECTS FOR PALM SUNDAY

- for use in the services or for private prayer

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; 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.

True and humble king,

hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory

Lord Jesus Christ,

you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant,
and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation:
give us the mind to follow you
and to proclaim you as Lord and King,
to the glory of God the Father.



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DURING THE WEEK:

Tues	11 th	9.00 am	Time for Prayer in the church
Thurs	13 th	10.00 am	Morning Prayer with the Churchwardens
		7.00 pm	Holy Communion for Maundy Thursday NO bell ringing practice
Fri	14 th	12 noon	Three Hours at the Cross

EASTER SUNDAY (CHILCOMBE)

Please note that the Easter Sunday service at CHILCOMBE has been **cancelled**. The next scheduled service at Chilcombe will be at 6.30 pm on **Sunday May 21st**.

THREE HOURS AT THE CROSS

This service of quiet meditation will take place on Good Friday from 12 noon to 3.00 pm and will be led by Revd Sue Linford and Revd Canon Stephen Batty. Everyone is welcome to come for all or part of the time – generally people come and go at each hour but this is not necessary. Please enter/leave the church quietly so as to avoid disturbing the peace of the service.

CLERGY

Please note that the clergy will be in Salisbury Cathedral during the day on Maundy Thursday (13th April)

All the clergy will be taking a post-Easter break from Monday 17th to Friday 21st April so there will be no midweek services in the Valley during that week.

CONCERT OF BAROQUE CHAMBER MUSIC

There will be a concert performed by the Rossignol Ensemble at St Martin's, Shipton Gorge, at 7.30 pm on Friday 5th May. The concert will include works by Scarlatti and Locatelli. Proceeds will go towards church repairs. Tickets (£10) are available from Hugh King (☎898511).

ONE OF SEVERAL REFLECTIONS ON EASTER AND SALVATION

(by children from our School read at the School Easter Service)

I see people watching me from down below

I notice they're fighting over my clothes

I hear the cock crow twice

I want to say, "Everyone soon will betray me."

I smell the threat of death floating in the air

What will the world be like when I am gone?

I feel pain from the nails going through my hands

It reminds me of why I am doing this

I feel the pain from being whipped

It is like the ultimate torture

I wonder how you felt when I was being crucified

It makes me think that no-one cares about me

Next Sunday

16th April

**Easter
Sunday**

10.30 am Family Communion

... led by Revd Canon Stephen Batty

Old Testament: Jeremiah 31: 1-6;

New Testament: Acts 10: 34-43; Gospel: John 20: 1-18

**NB 11.00 am Holy Communion at CHILCOMBE
has been cancelled**

6.30 pm Holy Communion at SWYRE

...led by Revd Sue Linford

DATES FOR THE DIARY

22nd Visiting ringers

30th United Valley Service at Long Bredy (11.00 am)

ADVANCED NOTICES

7th May Valley Lunch in the Village Hall (12.30 pm)

17th June Gospel Choir Workshop at West Bay (10.00 am)

UNITED VALLEY SERVICE

The next United Valley Service will be at Long Bredy on Sunday 30th April at 11.00 am. Everyone is invited to attend.

DEDICATION OF GIFTS AND GIFT AID

In dedicating our offertory, we not only recognise those gifts donated through the offertory plate but also those given through standing orders and by any visitors to their home churches as we all dedicate ourselves in God's service. If you are a tax payer and are able to do so, please use one of the Gift Aid envelopes for your offering. Those using Gift Aid envelopes on a regular basis might prefer to use a numbered envelope (no fixed weekly or total amount required) or a standing order. Please ask Irene Piper (☎898603) for more information.

PASTORAL ASSISTANTS & PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:

Pastoral Assistants are available for visiting. If you or anyone you know would like such a visit, please contact Pauline Woodford (☎898327) or Christine Lawrence (☎898616).

If there is someone that you would like to be included in our prayers for the sick, please contact Pauline Woodford (☎898327) or a Churchwarden.

FLOODLIGHTING:

If you would like to have St. Mary's floodlit for a baptism or wedding, or in memory of someone, please speak to the Churchwardens, Chrissie Bailey or Peter Broomhead.

*Please take this leaflet home with you for reference and prayer. Each week's copy is at:
<http://www.burtonbradstock.org.uk/PEWNEWS.html>*

*Items for next week/requests for email copy to **Julian Piper** by 9.00 am **Thursday**, please
☎ 01308 898603 e: julian@jipiper.co.uk*

Burton Bradstock Parish Church

Part of the Bride Valley Benefice



Welcome!

We extend a warm welcome to all those worshipping with us today and during the week, especially newcomers and visitors on holiday. Please make yourselves known to us and let us know if there is anything we can do to help you enjoy your time in the Village and Valley.

Information about the church is on the stand in the south aisle – please browse and take or purchase items of interest.

Please make use of:

- *supporting material* suitable for children for each service
- *soft toys* for use with young children/babies during the service
- *music* for the sung communion services
- *large print editions* of hymn & service books

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**9th April 2017
Palm Sunday**



St Mary's Church

**11.00 am Holy Communion
by extension**

... led by James Webster
Gospel: Matthew 21: 1-11

6.30 pm Evensong

...led by Mike Read and Revd Canon Stephen Batty
Psalm: 80; Old Testament: Isaiah 5: 1-7;
Epistle: Matthew 21: 33-end;

Call to worship and thought for the week:

Oh! – Raise a joyful shout! Clap your hands and dance – let your feelings out.
Oh! - Hear what it's about: Christ the Lord has come to set us free!
(from one of the songs sung by children from our School at their service on Friday)

Rector: Revd Canon Stephen Batty, The Rectory, Church Street, Burton Bradstock (☎898799)
Churchwardens: Chrissie Bailey (☎897603) & Peter Broomhead (☎897408)