

## Please pray for:

- All who suffer as a result of conflict – that God will bring peace
- Our ministry team: Stephen, Sue, Peter, Mike, James, & Yvonne
- All the churches in our Benefice – serving Christ in the Valley
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan\*
- Those who live in *Hive Close* and *Howarth Close*
- Our mission partners, Doug and Jacqui Marshall, Ethan and Chloe
- Bishops Nicholas and Edward <http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest>
- Those taking the Open the Book assemblies this week:
  - Revd Ryder and Heather Rogers at Thorners on Thursday
  - Vicky, Ian, Stephen and Daphne at Burton on Friday
- 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 Beryl Perry & their families & friends.

*\* We are asked to pray especially for the congregations of the Kadugli Diocese and for Bishop Andudu (on sabbatical) and Assistant Bishop Hassen as they lead them and for the Church in South Sudan continuing to provide a "neutral space" to people, where they can feel safe and share the pains they have suffered due to the conflict in the country.*

## LETTERS OR CARDS TO THE MARSHALLS:

Ann and Mike Read, and Ryder and Heather Rogers will be going to Malta in October. Please give them any letters/cards which can be given to Doug, Jacqui, Ethan and Chloe Marshall, our CMS link missionaries, to encourage them in their work with the refugees in Malta. Information about their work is available: just Google '*Doug Marshall CMS*'.

## COLLECTS FOR TRINITY 17

### - for use in the services or in private prayer

**Almighty God**, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you 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.

### **Gracious God**,

you call us to fullness of life:  
deliver us from unbelief  
and banish our anxieties  
with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Lord**, we pray that your grace  
may always precede and follow us,  
and make us continually to be given to all good works;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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## THIS WEEK:

Mon	28 <sup>th</sup>	11.00 am	Funeral of the late Beryl Perry followed by burial
Tues	29 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am	Time for Prayer in the Church
		6.30 pm	Friends of the School meeting
		7.00 pm	Benefice Meeting at PUNCKNOWLE
Wed	30 <sup>th</sup>	3.00 pm	Home Group at Westfield, Shipton Ln. (see below)
Thurs	1 <sup>st</sup>	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
		10.00 am	Holy Communion led by Canon Stephen Batty
		7.00 pm	Bell ringing practice

## HOME GROUP, BRIDE VALLEY WEST END

Continuing the theme of **Colourful Ladies Of The Bible** for the next few weeks, all are welcome to the next meeting at 3.00 pm on **Wednesday**, 30<sup>th</sup> September, at Westfield, Shipton Lane. The study will be more about Rahab (of doubtful character), then followed by others like Tamar and Bathsheba which should engender some interesting discussions! Further details are available from Mike/Ann (☎897445).

## SERVICE TO REMEMBER THE DEPARTED

All are welcome to the service on 31<sup>st</sup> October at 4.00 pm. The churchwardens would welcome the names of those you wish to be remembered and named at this service (it does not matter when they died). Please let Ian (☎898484) or Chrissie (☎897603) know as soon as possible. There will be refreshments after the service.

**HARVEST** Our Village Harvest Service is on October 11th at 11am (communion at 6.30pm that day) and will be followed at 12.30 by a 2 course lunch in the village hall. This year we will be joined by the vocal group Kwarts from the Netherlands who will be singing for us. Tickets are £5, which includes a complimentary drink, and are now on sale in the Post Office **until October 8th**.

Please note - **no ticket sales at the door**.

**KWARTS CONCERT** On Monday 12th October there will be a vocal and organ concert by Kwarts in the church at 6.30pm. This is a return visit to the village by the group, led by organist and conductor Jac Peeters, and will feature both classical and traditional songs as well as some interesting organ pieces. Admission is free but donations towards the running of the church will be welcome.

**THE POSADA** During Advent it has been the custom for the figures of Joseph and Mary to travel round the Village from house to house staying for just one night in each place. For this to happen, we need an organiser. Please talk with Heather (☎897780) if you could help.

## DORSET HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST ANNUAL RIDE & STRIDE

Howard wishes to thank:

- Clare, Liz and Linda for taking part.
- All those who generously sponsored them.
- The folk who manned the Church to welcome visiting riders and striders.
- Ian for the loan of his gazebo.

The estimated sponsorship amounts to £400, of which 50% goes to St. Mary's. An accurate figure will be published once all sponsorship money has been received.

**Next  
Sunday**

**4<sup>th</sup> October**

**Trinity 18**

**8.00 am Holy Communion**

...led by Canon Stephen Batty  
Epistle: Hebrews 1:1-4; 2: 5-12 Gospel: Mark 10: 2-16

**9.30 am Family Service**

... led by Canon Stephen Batty and followed by coffee

**6.30 pm Evensong**

... led by James Webster  
Psalm 125 Old Testament: Joshua 3: 7-17  
New Testament: Matthew 10: 1-22

**ADVANCED DATES FOR THE DIARY**

9 <sup>th</sup> October	School Harvest Festival Service (9.15 am)
11 <sup>th</sup> October	Harvest Festival (11.00 am) followed by lunch
24 <sup>th</sup> October	'Farmers and Sailors' missions event in the Village Hall (6.30 pm)
31 <sup>st</sup> October	Service to remember the departed (4.00 pm)

**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 *orange* Gift Aid envelopes for your offering. Those using orange 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 Ian Ibbotson.

*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.

Supporting material suitable for children for each Sunday's service is available, and please ask if you would like soft toys for use with young children/babies during the service.

**Pew  
News**

**Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> September 2015  
Trinity 17**



**St Mary's Church**

**11.00 am Holy Communion  
by Extension**

...led by James Webster  
Old Testament: Esther 7: 1-6, 9-10; 9: 20-22  
Epistle: James 5: 13-end Gospel: Mark 9: 38-end

**6.30 pm Evensong**

... led by James Webster  
Psalm 120 Old Testament: Exodus 24  
New Testament: Matthew 9: 1-8

**Thought for the week:**

"For truly, I say to you, whoever gives you a cup of water to drink because you belong to Christ will by no means lose his reward"

(Mark 8: 41)

**Rector:** Canon Stephen Batty, The Rectory, Church Street, Burton Bradstock **Churchwardens:** Chrissie Bailey & Ian Ibbotson