

From Source to Sea, through the Bride Valley

Sunday 4 October 2020

Trinity 17

COLLECT & POST COMMUNION

For use in the services or 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.

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.

READINGS for today

Psalm: 19

Old Testament: Exodus 20: 1-4, 7-9, 12-20

New Testament: Philippians 3: 4b-14

Gospel: Matthew 21: 33-end

Evening

Psalm 136

Old Testament: Proverbs 2: 1-11

New Testament: 1 John 2: 1-17

VALLEY NOTICES

SUNDAY'S TELEPHONE SERVICE - has been prepared this week by the Reverend Sue Linford and can be accessed by telephoning 01308 293062. Depending on your package, the call will either be cost free or charged at local rate. The service will be available from Sunday morning.

FACE COVERINGS – it is now compulsory to wear face coverings for public worship, unless you are exempt.

HARVEST – Burton Bradstock Please consider donating financially to the Bridport Foodbank 'Cupboard Love' details are available via the separate flyer.

HARVEST – Litton Cheney Non-perishable contributions will be donated to the Pilsdon Community

PRAYER SUPPORT

If you would like us to pray for someone/something specific then the ministry team, including our Lay Pastoral Assistants, are ready to add any prayer requests to their daily prayers, please do not hesitate to contact one of us. If the request is not for you personally please ask the person's permission where possible.

ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE - This year our service to remember loved ones will be held at St Mary's Church in Burton Bradstock on Sunday 1st November at 3pm. As in previous years we will read out the names of those who have died during the preceding year. If you intend to come and would like the name of your loved one remembered please let our new administrator, Jessica know. And of course, let Jessica know too if you are unable to attend for any reason, but would still like your loved one to be remembered. We will be lighting a candle for each person. Contact Jessica via email at: bridevalley.benefice@hotmail.com

A MESSAGE FROM LESLEY DOVE – 'A sincere thank you for your kind words in the lovely card presented to me at the Benefice Council meeting last Monday evening along with the beautiful basket of flowers and delicious homemade gluten free chocolate cake to mark my retirement. I appreciate your kindness very much indeed.'