

From Source to Sea, through the Bride Valley

Sunday 28th February 2021
Second Sunday of Lent

COLLECTS (For use in the services or private prayer)

Almighty God, you show to those who are in error the light of your truth, that they may return to the way of righteousness: grant to all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may reject those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Almighty God, by the prayer and discipline of Lent may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings, and by following in his Way come to share in his glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

READINGS for today

Psalm: Psalm: 22: 23-31
Old Testament: Genesis 17: 1-7, 15-16
New Testament: Romans 4: 13-25
Gospel: Mark 8: 31-38

Evening

Psalm: Psalm 135
Old Testament: Genesis 12: 1-9
New Testament: Hebrews 11: 1-3, 8-16

VALLEY NOTICES:

In the interest of safety, we are not gathering in person at the moment, but we continue with our weekly telephone service and we will also be holding a Sunday Service online via Zoom at 9.30, everyone is welcome to join us.

TELEPHONE SERVICE

This has been prepared this week by the Reverend Jane Williams and can be accessed by telephoning **01308 293062**. Depending on your package, the call will either be cost free or charged at local rate.

SUNDAY'S ZOOM SERVICE

We will be holding a Sunday Service at 9.30 on Zoom* throughout February.

It is really encouraging to see so many at the Zoom service each week, if you are unsure about using Zoom, but would like to have a go, please let Jane know and she will do a practice run with you.

DEANERY COMMISSIONING OF NEW Lay Pastoral Assistants (LPA) AND Lay Worship Leaders (LWL)

Bishop Karen will be commissioning our new LPAs Cathryn Johnson, Jenny Malyon and Liz Orza and LWLs Paul Cheater and Heather Goffee and recommissioning Vicky Thomas **TODAY**, Sunday 28th February, at 4pm on Zoom*. Please support them if you are able.

THIS WEEK:

LENT COURSE 2021 We are continuing to run the **Bible Course** throughout Lent on Zoom* on **Monday** evenings at 7pm and then repeated on **Tuesday** mornings at 10am.

LENT CHALLENGE Our Rector, Jane will be walking and praying through the Bride Valley from church to church throughout Lent following the route which Freddie Spicer describes in his booklet 'A walk round the Bride Valley' and posting photos on <https://www.facebook.com/BrideValleyChurches> If you would like to buy the booklet it is available from Modbury Farm Shop, Burton Bradstock Post Office and Freddie himself. Proceeds will benefit the Bride Valley Churches.

ONGOING PRAYER MINISTRY

If you would like us to pray for someone, something in particular, please do not hesitate to make contact. If the request is not for you personally please ask the person's permission.

*ZOOM: The code for Zoom services and meetings is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/82338601240?pwd=dW93QnJ4M1p5b1c1M1hzTWN4VjhBQT09>

Meeting ID: 823 3860 1240 Passcode: 180461

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From
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To the sea