

Please pray for:

- For all who suffer as a result of conflict – that God will bring peace
- Those who live in *Church Street* and *Cliff Road*
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan. See <http://twitter.com/#!/sudanlink>
- Bishops Nicholas & Graham: <http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest>
- Those who are ill or housebound (those known to you & an updated list will be provided at each service)



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

THANKS FOR YOUR SUPPORT

Nia and Amy want to thank everyone for the tremendous support provided at the charity event in the Village Hall. They especially want to thank those who helped, those who donated, those who baked cakes & all who came. The grand **total of over £700** will be split equally between Diabetes UK and The Multiple Sclerosis Society.

COLLECTS FOR PALM SUNDAY

- for use in the services or in 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 our Lord.

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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Post Communion



THIS WEEK – HOLY WEEK

Mon	2 nd	6.30 pm	Eucharist
Tues	3 rd	6.30 pm	Eucharist
Wed	4 th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
		10.00 am	Holy Communion (Order 1)
		6.30 pm	Eucharist
Thurs	5 th	2.30 pm	Thanksgiving Service for John Surry
		6.30 pm	Agape at the Rectory (Bring and Share)
		7.00 pm	NO Bell ringing practice
		8.00 pm	Watch in the Church
Fri	6 th	10.00 am	Contemplation before the cross
		12-3 00pm	Devotional Service (including Stations of the Cross in Art 12-1)
		12-3.00 pm	Walk (Chilcombe to Litton Cheney)

FAITH AND PRAISE ON THE WEB

From noon on Good Friday until 11.00 pm on Easter Sunday, every hour on the hour, the Bible Society will be Tweeting 72 of the Bible's surprising stories. Limited to 140 characters, these will challenge people's preconceived ideas about what the Bible contains.

Check out <https://twitter.com/#!/biblesociety> to keep in touch with the stories.

DUCK RACE AND STALLS

The Friends of the School are holding the annual Duck Race on Easter Sunday. The race takes place from the timber bridge near the school to the High Street Bridge near the playground and starts at 2.00 pm. The stalls and refreshments will be in the recreation ground and open at 1.00 pm. If you've not bought your duck yet, please do so from the Post Office as soon as possible (entry £1)!

THE NOTICE BOARDS

The number of notices to be displayed is increasing but the space isn't! If you are able to print your notice on A5 instead of A4 or trim notices to a smaller size, it would be very helpful so that we can find room for them all and keep them tidy.

Next Sunday

6.00 am Holy Communion
...at the Chapel in the Wood, Ashley Chase

8th April

11.00 am Holy Communion
Old Testament: Isaiah 25: 6-9
New Testament: Acts 10: 34-43
Gospel: Mark 16: 1-8

Easter Sunday

6.30 pm Evensong
Old Testament: Ezekiel 37: 1-14
New Testament: Luke 24: 13-25

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Good Friday Walk (Friday 6th April)

James Webster and Mike Read will lead a walk from Chilcombe to Litton Cheney with Stations of the Cross from **12 noon to 3.00 pm** with the last three quarters of an hour in the Church.

Annual Parochial Church Meeting

This will be held on **16th April** at 7.00 pm

GIFT AID

If you are a tax payer , please use one of the orange envelopes at the end of the pew (after writing your name and postcode on the front) for your offering rather than putting loose cash into the plate. Irene Piper is the new Gift Aid Officer and will be happy to offer advice if required (☎898603)

PASTORAL ASSISTANTS:

Pastoral Assistants are here and available for visiting. If you, or anyone you know, would like such a visit, please contact Ann Read (☎897445)

FLOODLIGHTING:

If you would like to have St. Mary's floodlit for a baptism or wedding, or in memory of someone, please speak to Howard Bongers or Basil Dent.

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 9am Thursday, please*

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The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin Burton Bradstock

April 1st, 2012

Palm Sunday

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8.00 am Holy Communion

Epistle: Philippians 2: 5-11
Gospel: Mark 15: 1-39

9.30 am Family Service

... followed by coffee

11.00 am Songs of Praise

Old Testament: Isaiah 50: 4-9a
New Testament: Mark 15: 1-39

6.30 pm Evensong

Old Testament: Isaiah 5: 1-7
New Testament: Mark 12: 1-12

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Welcome

We extend a warm welcome to all those worshipping with us today and during the week, especially to 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/purchase items of interest.

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Thought for the Week:

As the Messiah, Jesus enters Jerusalem, knowing that he rides towards rejection and death in order to save his people.