

Please pray for:

- All those continuing to be affected by the plane crash in France
- Our ministry team: Ryder, Sue, Philip, Peter, Mike, James, & Yvonne and Canon Stephen Batty and his wife Frances preparing for service.
- All who suffer as a result of conflict – that God will bring peace
- Those who live in *Bredy Lane* and *Burton Road*
- All the churches in our Benefice – serving Christ in the Valley
- Our mission partners, Doug and Jacqui Marshall, Ethan and Chloe
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan*
- Bishops Nicholas, Graham and Edward <http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest>
- All those on holiday – that they may travel safely and be refreshed
- 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 Geoffrey Seward, & their families & friends.

* *We are asked to pray especially for the congregations of Ayod Diocese and for Bishop Thomas as he leads them, Malek-Rup Diocese and for Bishop Marial as he leads them and for the newly inaugurated Area Diocese of Abyei and for Bishop Elect Michael*

ADVANCE NOTICE – HOME GROUPS RE-START

It is proposed to re-start regular home groups commencing on Wednesday 29th April at 7.00 pm with the following meeting on Tuesday 5th May at 3.00 pm etc

COLLECTS FOR EASTER 2

- for use in the services or in private prayer

Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification:
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth;
through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts,
that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,
to the praise of God the Father.

Lord God our Father, through our Saviour Jesus Christ
you have assured your children of eternal life
and in baptism have made us one with him:
deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in your love,
in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit,
by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ.



THIS WEEK:

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| Tues | 14 th | 9.00 am | Time for Prayer in the Church |
| | | 10.30 am | Coffee for missions at Greenwich Cottage |
| Wed | 15 th | 9.30 am | Morning Prayer |
| | | 10.00 am | Holy Communion (order 1) |
| | | 7.00 pm | Annual Parochial Church Meeting |
| Thurs | 16 th | 1.00 pm | Funeral service for the late Geoffrey Seward |
| | | 7.00 pm | Bell ringing practice |
| Fri | 17 th | 2.00 pm | Drop in for under 5s and their parents/carers |

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

The meeting takes place in the church on **Wednesday evening** at 7.00 pm. An agenda and papers for the meeting are available in the south aisle of the church.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE GEOFFREY SEWARD

The funeral of the late Geoffrey Seward will be held on **Thursday, 16th April, at 1.00 pm** in the church. The family request no flowers but donations to the Welmar Hospice, the Donkey Sanctuary or the RNLI (via Wakeleys).

FAREWELL SERVICE FOR RT REVD DR GRAHAM KINGS

All are invited to the farewell service for the Bishop of Sherborne which is to be held at Salisbury Cathedral next **Sunday, 19th April, at 4.30 pm**. If you would like to attend, please let Audrey Smith know and she will respond collectively on behalf of the church.

FOOD BANK

Whilst thanking all those who have contributed items to the box in the church for those in need, the organisers of the Bridport food bank would prefer future donations to match the need of their clients more closely and avoid current surpluses. To that end, they have provided a list of required/preferred items which is on top of the box by the door.

COFFEE MORNINGS ETC. FOR OUR MISSIONS CHARITIES

The next coffee morning (and 'knit and natter' for those who wish to) is on **Tuesday, 14th April**, at Greenwich Cottage (courtesy of Noreen Short). The next will be on Tuesday 28th April at 2 Bindbarrow. Thanks to all who have contributed. If you aren't able to knit but would like to donate wool for others to use, that would be most welcome.

THE KNITOMETER OF HATS FOR THE SAILORS' SOCIETY!

52

100

52 hats received so far and 1 neckwarmer. Thanks to Muriel Stroud for storing all the hats for us until Sea Sunday (12th July). Please give any finished items to Muriel.



Next Sunday

8.00 am Holy Communion

...led by Revd Ryder Rogers

New Testament: Acts 3: 12-19 Gospel: Luke 24: 36b-48

19th April

9.30 am Family Service

...led by Revd Ryder Rogers and followed by coffee

Easter 3

6.30 pm Evensong at CHILCOMBE

... led by Mike Read

Ps 142 Old Testament: Deuteronomy 7: 7-13

New Testament: Revelation 2: 1-11

APRIL DATES FOR THE DIARY

14th Missions Coffee Morning at Greenwich Cottage (10.30 am)

29th Home Groups re-start (7.00 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, 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 9.00 am **Thursday**, please*

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**The Parish Church
of
St Mary the Virgin
Burton Bradstock**

**Pew
News**

April 12th, 2015

Easter 2

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11.00 am Holy Communion

...led by Revd Philip Ringer

New Testament: Acts 4: 32-35 Epistle: 1John 1:1-2:2

Gospel: John 20: 19-end

6.30 pm Evensong

... led by James Webster

Ps 143: 1-11 Old Testament: Isaiah 26: 1-9, 19

New Testament: Luke 24: 1-12

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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/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.

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Thought for the Week:

Jesus said to him, "Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have believed. (*John 20: 29*)