

Please pray for:

- Our ministry team: Stephen, Sue, Peter, Mike, James, & Yvonne and also for Ryder
- All the churches in our Benefice – serving Christ in the Valley
- Those who live in *Barr Lane* and *Barrowfield Close*
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan*
- Our mission partners, Doug and Jacqui Marshall, Ethan and Chloe
- All who suffer as a result of conflict – that God will bring peace
- The refugee crisis: for those risking their lives to flee conflicts across the world and for those endeavouring to provide for them in other countries.
- Bishops Nicholas and Edward <http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest>
- Those taking the Open the Book assemblies in our schools this week:
Revd Canon Stephen Batty at Thorner's on Thursday
Revd Canon Stephen Batty 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 Gemma Dove, & their families & friends.



* We are asked to pray especially for the congregations of Lui Diocese and for Bishop Stephen as he leads them, Juba Diocese and for Assistant Bishop Fraser, and for Kadugli Diocese and Assistant Bishop Hassen as he leads them while Bishop Andudu is on sabbatical

COLLECTS FOR 2ND BEFORE ADVENT

- for use in the services or in private prayer

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope: bring us at the last to that fullness of life for which we long; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.



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THIS WEEK:

Tues	17 th	9.00 am	Time for Prayer in the Church
		6.30 pm	Friends of the School meeting
		7.00 pm	Home Group meets at 16 Northover Close
Thurs	19 th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
		10.00 am	Holy Communion led by Revd Sue Linford
		7.00 pm	Bell ringing practice
Sat	21 st	2.30 pm	Salisbury Diocesan Guild of Ringers AGM

LAST SUNDAY'S OFFERTORY

The loose cash from the services last Sunday for the Royal British Legion was £339.06 in total (£311.26 am & £27.80 pm).



HOME GROUP, BRIDE VALLEY WEST END

Continuing the theme of **Colourful Ladies Of The Bible**, all are welcome to the next meeting at 7.00 pm on **Tuesday, 17th November**, at 16 Northover Close. The following week, the meeting will be held on Wednesday 25th November at 3.00 pm at Westfield, Shipton Lane. The studies will be more about Bathsheba.

REMINDER: HOLY DUSTERS

Please let Pauline Tompkins (☎897043) know if you can help by joining the new rota.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY

Most boxes have now been returned but any others please return to The Bramleys, Annings Lane or a sidesperson as soon as possible. Our Christingle, led by Canon Stephen Batty, is on Friday December 11th at 3.30pm. Children from the school will be taking part and we welcome members of the congregation to support this service. If anyone is willing to donate food, either bought or home-cooked, for the party that follows, this will be most gratefully received. Further information from Pauline Woodford (☎898327)

Advance notice : Monday December 21st is carol singing night.

WALLPAPER PLEASE!

Do you have a spare roll (or part) of wallpaper, unglued, that you could donate to the Tiny Tots? If so, please give it to Audrey, Ryder or Heather or leave it, labelled, at the Church and they will be most grateful.

SALISBURY DIOCESAN GUILD OF RINGERS

We welcome members of the West Dorset Branch who will be holding their AGM on Saturday here in the Church and the Village Hall. It will start with bell ringing from 2.30 pm to be followed by a service in the Church at 4.30 pm. The business of the AGM follows after a tea in the Village Hall.

Next Sunday

11.00 am Holy Communion

...led by Revd Ryder Rogers

Old Testament: Daniel 7: 9-10, 13-14

New Testament: Revelation 1: 4b-8 Gospel: John 18: 33-37

22nd November

6.30 pm Evensong

... led by Revd Stephen Batty

Psalm 72 Old Testament: Daniel 5

New Testament: John 6: 1-15

Christ the King

FRIENDS OF THE SCHOOL: Supporting our Church School

There are still a few numbers left in the Friends' 100 Club. Information is on the top of the bookcase by the door of the Church.

The Friends' Christmas Fayre is on **12th December** from 10.00 am to 12 noon. Gifts of toiletries (unwanted presents?) for the pamper hampers would be much appreciated as would contributions to the chocolate tombola or 'Jolly Jars'.

Further information is available from Heather or Julian.

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*

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Burton Bradstock Parish Church

Part of the Bride Valley Benefice

Pew News **Sunday 15th November 2015**
2nd before Advent



St Mary's Church

8.00 am Holy Communion

...led by Revd Canon Stephen Batty

Epistle: Hebrews 10: 11-14, 19-25 Gospel: Mark 13: 1-8

9.30 am Family Service

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

6.30 pm Evensong

... led by James Webster

Psalm 95 Old Testament: Daniel 3

New Testament: Matthew 13: 24-30, 36-43



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.

Thought for the week:

"See that no one leads you astray. Many will come in my name, saying, 'I am he!' and they will lead many astray."

(Mark 13: 5,6)

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Churchwardens: Chrissie Bailey & Ian Ibbotson