From Source to Sea, through the Bride Valley

Sunday 14 May 2017 Fifth Sunday of Easter

COLLECT & POST COMMUNION

For use in the services or private prayer

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

READINGS for today

Psalm: 31 v 1-5 1st reading: Acts 7 v 55-end 2nd reading: 1 Peter 2 v 2-10 Gospel: John 14 v 1-14

DURING THE WEEK

Tuesday 16 May 9.00 Prayers at St Mary's Burton Bradstock
Tuesday 16 May 9.00 Prayers at Holy Trinity Swyre
Thursday 18 May 10.00 Holy Communion by extension at BB led by James Webster
Thursday 18 May 19.00 Reflect & Study with Holy Communion at St Mary's Puncknowle

VALLEY NOTICES

Ascension Day (Thursday 25 May) – there will be a Holy Communion service at St Mary's Burton Bradstock at 7.00pm. Stephen will lead this service.

Benefice Council AGM – this will take place in the Rectory on Monday 22 May at 7.00pm. Please send only ONE representative from each parish please due to limited space.

Burton Bradstock Village Fete – will take place on Bank Holiday Monday 29 May from 2.00pm in the Rectory Gardens and Village Hall.

A Fundraising Cream Tea – will take place in Shipton Gorge village hall on Wednesday 31 May from 3.00pm till 5.00pm in aid of St Martin's Church.

St Peter's Festival at Long Bredy on Trinity Sunday, 11 June, in and around the church 2.00pm.

Gospel Choir Day with Jo Sercombe in St John's West Bay 10.00am-4.00pm Saturday 17 June.

Fundraising Bingo Night in PSWB hall on Friday 30 June in aid of Swyre church funds. Time TBC.

Benefice Churches

