

From Source to Sea, through the Bride Valley

Christmas 2020

COLLECT & POST COMMUNION

For use in the services or private prayer

Christmas Day

Almighty God, you have given us your only-begotten Son to take our nature upon him and as at this time to be born of a pure virgin: grant that we, who have been born again and made your children by adoption and grace, may daily be renewed by your Holy Spirit; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

God our Father, whose Word has come among us in the Holy Child of Bethlehem: may the light of faith illumine our hearts and shine in our words and deeds; through him who is Christ the Lord.

READINGS for Christmas

Psalm: 98

Old Testament: Isaiah 52:7-10

New Testament: Hebrews 1:1-12

Gospel: John 1:1-14

CHRISTMAS SERVICES

Christmas Eve	Christmas Day
Burton Bradstock – 16:00 Crib Service	Burton Bradstock – 11:00 Christmas Communion
Swyre – 21:30 Early Christmas Communion	Shipton Gorge – 09:30 Christmas Communion
Litton Cheney – 16:00 Crib Service and 23:30 Midnight Communion	Puncknowle – 11:00 Christmas Communion Long Bredy – 11:00 Christmas Communion Littlebredy – 11:00 Christmas Communion

SUNDAY 27th DECEMBER There will be a United Benefice Service of Holy Communion at 11am at St Mary's Church, Burton Bradstock

TELEPHONE SERVICE 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. The service will be available from Christmas morning.

ISAIAH REFLECTIONS on Zoom. The next reflection will be held on 4th January at 7pm. Follow the link:

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

Meeting ID: 823 3860 1240 Passcode: 180461

ADVENT WINDOWS

Thank you to everyone who has contributed to the wonderful displays throughout our communities, well done. It is hoped they will stay into the New Year so that we can all continue to enjoy them throughout the Christmas season.

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.*

Benefice Churches

From the source

Littlebredy

Long Bredy

Litton Cheney

Puncknowle

Swyre

Chilcombe

Shipton Gorge

Burton Bradstock

To the sea