

St Mary's Church Burton Bradstock Palm Sunday Service
Sunday 28th March 2021 @ 11:00 am
led by The Reverend Jane Williams

Welcome to our 2021 Palm Sunday Service – a special celebration of the beginning of Holy Week celebrating the journey of Jesus to Jerusalem

held under Covid-secure guidelines for your safety and well-being.

Please help us to ensure the safety of all those attending by wearing masks and observing social distancing at all times especially when arriving or leaving.

- Please bring warm/waterproof clothing depending on the forecast.
- **Stewards** are available outside the church to point you in the right direction for seating and to help you when required.
- **Masks** are required to be worn by all those attending – both inside and out.
- It is now *permitted to sing* outdoors (change of guidance 26th March) but please keep your masks on.
- It is preferred that everyone should be **seated** throughout the service to maintain social distancing. *Please bring your own (garden) chair if possible.*
- Words for the hymns and the order of service are downloadable from the Village website: <http://www.burtonbradstockvillage.org> so that you can view them on your mobile phone or tablet. (Some printed copies will be available.)
- You may want to talk to others attending – please ensure you observe social distancing around you *at all times*.
- Please wait until the stewards direct you to leave after the service

A collection will be taken in aid of Church Funds.

ORDER OF SERVICE

Organ Prelude (by Stephen Beardshall)

Procession with donkey from the Rectory Garden to the Church

Hymn Make Way (sung by David Jenkins)

Make way, make way, for Christ the King in splendour arrives;
Fling wide the gates and welcome him into your lives.

Refrain:

Make way, make way, for the King of Kings;

Make way, make way, and let his kingdom in!

He comes the broken hearts to heal, the pris'ners to free;
The deaf shall hear, the lame shall dance, the blind shall see. *Refrain*

And those who mourn with heavy hearts, who weep and sigh,
With laughter, joy and royal crown he'll beautify. *Refrain*

We call you now to worship him as Lord of all,
to have no gods before him, their thrones must fall! *Refrain*

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Welcome and Notices

Introduction and opening prayer

Hymn Ride on ride on in majesty!

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Hark, all the tribes hosanna cry;
Thy humble beast pursues his road
With palms and scattered garments
strowed.

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die;
O Christ, thy triumphs now begin
O'er captive death and conquered sin.

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
The winged squadrons of the sky

Look down with sad and wond'ring eyes
To see th'approaching sacrifice

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
Thy last and fiercest strife is nigh;
The Father, on his sapphire throne,
Awaits his own anointed Son

Ride on, ride on in majesty!
In lowly pomp ride on to die;
Bow thy meek head to mortal pain,
Then take, O God, thy pow'r, and reign.

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The Passion Reading

Song: 'Sorry' by Justin Bieber *(which includes the following words)*

You gotta go and get angry at all of my honesty
You know I try but I don't do too well with apologies
I hope I don't run out of time, could someone call a referee?
Cause I just need one more shot at forgiveness
I know you know that I made those mistakes maybe once or twice
By once or twice I mean maybe a couple a hundred times
So let me, oh let me redeem, oh redeem, oh myself tonight
Cause I just need one more shot at second chances

Yeah, is it too late now to say sorry?
Cause I'm missing more than just your body
Is it too late now to say sorry?
Yeah I know that I let you down
Is it too late to say I'm sorry now?

I'm sorry, yeah. Sorry, yeah. Sorry
Yeah, I know that I let you down
Is it too late to say I'm sorry now?

I'll take every single piece of the blame if you want me to
But you know that there is no innocent one in this game for two
I'll go, I'll go and then you go, you go out and spill the truth
Can we both say the words and forget this?

Response

Prayers followed by **The Lord's Prayer**

**Our Father, who art in heaven,
Hallowed be thy name;
Thy kingdom come, thy will be done,
On earth, as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
And forgive us our trespasses,
As we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation,
But deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power and the glory
For ever and ever. Amen**

Hymn: **Were you there when they crucified my Lord**

Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?
O, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they crucified my Lord?

Were you there when they nailed him to a tree?
Were you there when they nailed him to a tree?
O, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they nailed him to a tree?

Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?
O, sometimes it causes me to tremble, tremble, tremble.
Were you there when they laid him in the tomb?

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Blessing

EASTER SUNDAY (4th April)

Please join us as we celebrate Holy Communion in church on Easter Sunday – at 8.00 am or 11.00 am. Both services will be conducted in accordance with the current Covid-secure guidance.

We want to thank all those who have helped to make this service possible including the stewards, the Litton Cheney choir (for the recorded hymns) and those who have helped set up the sound systems so that we can all enjoy the special celebration in a new way this year.

To help maintain social distancing: please wait until the stewards direct you to leave.



There will be collecting buckets at the gates as you leave for our retiring collection. Alternatively, you may wish to give through:
<https://givealittle.co/campaigns/65ef9e1e-4d8d-4c8c-8a96-219a8ebe1068>