

From Source to Sea

with the churches of the Bride Valley Benefice



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.

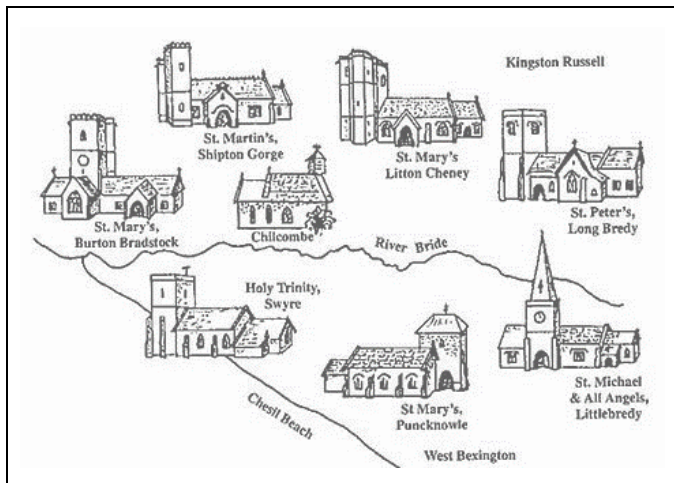
More information about the churches is available on the village websites.

Our ministry team:

- *The Reverend Jane Williams*
- *The Reverend Sue Linford*
- *The Reverend Liz Howlett*
- *The Reverend Ryder Rogers*
- *LLM Mike Read*
- *LLM James Webster*
- *LWL Janet Lane*
- *LWL Vicky Thomas*
- *LWL Paul Cheater*
- *LWL Heather Goffee*

Weekly
News

5th June 2022
Pentecost Sunday



Services today:

- 8.00 am **Burton Bradstock** Holy Communion
9.30 am **Litton Cheney** Morning Worship
Puncknowle Holy Communion
10.30 am **Burton Bradstock** Songs of Praise*
11.00 am **Long Bredy** Holy Communion

Psalm: 104: 26-end

OT: Genesis 11: 1-9

NT: Acts 2: 1-21

Gospel: John 14: 8-27

*Outdoor service - please bring folding chairs & suitable clothing

- 6.00 pm **Swyre** Evening Prayer

Psalm 33: 1-12 OT: Exodus 33:7-20 NT: 2 Cor 3: 4-18

The **telephone service**, prepared by The Reverend Jane Williams, will be available on **01308 293062**

Call to worship and thought for the week:

What a wildly wonderful world, God! You made it all, with Wisdom at your side, made earth overflow with your wonderful creations. Oh, let me sing to God all my life long, sing hymns to my God as long as I live! (*Psalm 104: 24, 33 from The Message*)

Rector: The Reverend Jane Williams, The Rectory, Church Street, Burton Bradstock (☎898799)

Please pray for:

- Our ministry team: Jane, Sue, Liz, Ryder, Mike, and James
- Bishops Karen, Andrew and Stephen as he prepares to join us
- Bishop Matthew Peter and the Diocese of Wonduruba, South Sudan
- Oliver and Sally who were married last Friday at Long Bredy
- Will and Steph who are to be married at Burton Bradstock on Saturday
- National Trust staff and volunteers especially during the busy holiday season
- Those who are ill or housebound (especially those known to you)
... remembering the families of those who have recently died, including *Bernard Watts*



WEBINARS ON LAND AND NATURE FOR CHURCHES

From 4-12 June 2022, [Churches Count on Nature](#) brings local people together to discover the wildlife in their local church yard. Search 'webinars land and nature'.

COLLECTS FOR PENTECOST SUNDAY

- for use in the services or for private prayer

God, who as at this time

taught the hearts of your faithful people
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:
grant us by the same Spirit to have a right judgement in all things
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,

ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Faithful God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter

by sending us your Holy Spirit
and opening to every race and nation
the way of life eternal:
open our lips by your Spirit,
that every tongue may tell of your glory;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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DURING THE WEEK:

Mon	6 th	3.30 pm	Big Q Church (LATCH)
Tues	7 th	7.30 pm	Bell ringing practice (Litton Cheney)
Wed	8 th	11.30 am	Holy Communion & light lunch (Burton Bradstock) [†]
		7.00 pm	Bell ringing practice (Long Bredy ☎482270*)
Thurs	9 th	7.00 pm	Bell ringing practice (Burton Bradstock☎898603*)
Fri	10 th	2.00 pm	Tots Time at Burton Bradstock
Sat	11 th	2.00 pm	Wedding of Will Joynes & Steph Gape (BB)

* Please phone to check if practice is taking place †Please note change of date

WELCOMING CHURCHES

Members of the Benefice Council are beginning a project looking at the welcome our churches give. This will include our online welcome – on Facebook and on A Church Near You – our welcome to tourists and our welcome to local people who might come to our services or are thinking about getting married or baptised. Please visit our Facebook page and have a look at your particular page on A Church Near You to see what sort of welcome you think that gives – what message do we give to people? What else could we include? Maybe have a think about a time you have visited a church for a service and been made to feel welcome. What did people do? How did it feel? What about if you have visited a church at a time when a service wasn't being held? Please share your ideas!

JUBILEE BOOKS FOR OUR SCHOOLS

Cheeky Pandas cartoons are Christian, fun-filled, and Bible-based. For the Jubilee, all the children at Burton Bradstock and Thorner's received a copy of: *Queen CJ and the Bouncy Castle*. The Cheeky Pandas – CJ, Lulu, Benji, Rory, and Milo - have a fun time on a bouncy castle at their treehouse studio. They all love bouncing!

After a long go on the bouncy castle, CJ promises the others a turn to bounce, but instead she wants a go again. CJ imagines herself as queen of the castle, but can she be faithful like the best queens, kings, and rulers? How do Lulu, Benji, Rory, and Milo end up in the bushes? Will CJ keep her promise and look out for the other Cheeky Pandas? Based on the free online animation, Cheeky Pandas Queen CJ and The Bouncy Castle encourages children to think about faithfulness and how this can be shown to others. You can find cartoons by searching Cheeky Pandas on YouTube.

CELEBRATION AND GRATITUDE

We have much to celebrate this week, including:

- the opportunity across our communities to honour HRH Queen Elizabeth II and get together with our neighbours

We are grateful for:

- all those who have taken the time to decorate our lovely churches and welcome people to our services

Next Sunday

9.30 am **Shipton Gorge** Breakfast Church
Litton Cheney Holy Communion

12th June

11.00 am **Burton Bradstock** Holy Communion
Littlebredy Holy Communion
Swyre Holy Communion

**Trinity
Sunday**

Psalm 8 OT: Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31
NT: Romans 5: 1-5 Gospel: John 16:12-15

The **telephone service**, prepared by The Reverend
Liz Howlett, will be available on **01308 293062**

DATES FOR THE DIARY

JUNE

17th Julian Prayer Group (10.00 am at Swyre)

21st Puncknowle Lunch Club (1.00 pm in PS&WB Village Hall)

Please check the **Bride Valley News** for further information and events.

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, you might use one of the Gift Aid envelopes for your offering. There are various ways of donating to each church, including QR codes – please check with the church treasurer 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 Jane Williams ☎ 01308 898799

If there is someone that you would like to be included in our prayers for the sick, please contact Liz Howlett ☎ 07851032454 or a Churchwarden.

CHURCH FLOODLIGHTING:

If you would like to have a church floodlit for a baptism or wedding, or in memory of someone, please speak to the following: **Burton Bradstock** (Chrissie Bailey ☎897603 or Peter Broomhead ☎897408) **Shipton Gorge** (Phyl Webster ☎898657) **Litton Cheney** (Freddie Spicer ☎482617)

Please take this leaflet home with you for reference and prayer. Each week's copy is at:

<http://www.burtonbradstockvillage.org>

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and on A Church Near You: www.achurchnearyou.com

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is available on **0800 804 8044**

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