#### Please pray for:

- For all who suffer as a result of conflict that God will bring peace
- For those who live in *Bindbarrow* and *Bredy Lane*
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan
   (see February's Sarum Link)
- Our new mission partners and their three children serving in North Africa
- Bishops Nicholas, Graham and Edward
   <u>http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest</u>
- Those who are ill or housebound (those known to you & an updated list will be provided at each service)
- Revd Bob Thorn taking the assembly at Thorner's on Thursday morning
- Vicky Thomas and Julian Piper taking the assembly at our local school on Friday morning
- ... & remember those who have died, & their families & friends

#### **KESWICK IN DEVON – SIDMOUTH 4-8 MARCH**

The 33<sup>rd</sup> Annual Bible Week takes place in Sidmouth with morning sessions at 10.45 am entitled 'Digging up the Bible' and evening sessions at 7.45 pm on 'The Christian Manifesto'. Further details are available at www.keswickindevon.org.uk

#### **COLLECTS FOR THE SUNDAY BEFORE LENT** - for use in the services or in private prayer

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

#### Holy God,

you know the disorder of our sinful lives: set straight our crooked hearts, and bend our wills to love your goodness and your glory in Jesus Christ our Lord

#### Holy God,

we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. © Archbishops' Council of the Church of England 2000-2004



# THIS WEEK

Mon11th5.00 pmParochial Church CouncilWed13th9.30 amMorning Prayer10.00 amHoly Communion with the imposition of ashesThurs14th11.30 amChesil Court Lunch7.00 pmBell ringing practice

#### DAILY BIBLE READING NOTES - LAST CALL FOR INFORMATION

If you use daily Bible reading notes (eg New Daylight, Daily Bread, Every Day with Jesus & others) please fill in the form by the door of the Church so that ways of linking other aspects of the life of the Church to daily Bible study can be actively considered

#### "SING A NEW SONG!"

If you would like to join a small group to sing something for Easter Day please let David know as soon as possible (2898327).

#### **BEETLE DRIVE**

The Friends of our Church School wish to thank all those who supported the Beetle Drive on Friday evening. Information about the amount raised will be published next week.

#### **CONGRATULATIONS AND JOY!**

Susie Hart, our former Mission Partner, has been awarded the MBE for services to disabled people during her ten years in Tanzania. Hilary Mousley has written to express congratulations from all her friends at St Mary's as well as herself.

## **ROPE INFORMATION: MOSQUITO NETS IN USE**

Many will remember the event held in celebration of Heather Rogers' special birthday last year when donations were forwarded to the charity, Rope, in support of their appeal for mosquito nets to help improve health chances in third world countries. There is an update on the use of the nets in the porch for everyone to read.

## MISSION EVENT – WITH A WELSH TASTE!

Please book the date of the first event in aid of our two new mission charities this year: **March 1<sup>st</sup>** (St David's Day) at 7.00 pm when a light supper will be served in the Village Hall with entertainment organised by David Powell and Elaine Colbert. There are no tickets but you are asked to confirm your attendance with Ian Ibbotson (ian.ibbotson@btconnect.com **2**898484) or Celia Cummins (celia.cummins@hotmail.co.uk **2**898196)

This year's charities are the Footprints Project (Dorset) and The Leprosy Mission



Next Sunday	<b>8.00 am Holy Communion</b> led by Revd Ryder Rogers Old Testament: Deuteronomy 26: 1-11 Gospel: Luke 4: 1-13
17 <sup>th</sup> February	9.30 am All Age Service led by Revd Jean Thorn and followed by coffee 11.00 am Holy Communion
Lent 1	led by Revd Jean Thorn and Sue Linford Old Testament: Deuteronomy 26: 1-11 Epistle: Romans 10: 8b-13 Gospel: Luke 4: 1-13
Fighting poverty through trade	<b>6.30 pm Evensong</b> led by Revd Bob Thorn Old Testament: Jonah 3 New Testament: Luke 18: 9-14

## DATES FOR THE DIARY VALLEY LUNCHES

The dates for the Valley Lunches in the Village Hall for 2013 are as follows: March  $10^{th}$ , May  $5^{th}$ , July  $7^{th}$ , September  $1^{st}$  and November  $3^{rd}$ .

## **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 envelopes for your offering.

## **PASTORAL ASSISTANTS & PRAYERS FOR THE SICK:**

Pastoral Assistants are here and available for visiting. If you, or anyone you know, would like such a visit, please contact Ann Read (2897445) If there is someone that you would like to be included in our prayers for the sick, please contact Pauline Woodford (2898327) 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, Howard Bongers or Basil Dent.

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 9am Thursday, please 
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# The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin Burton Bradstock

February 10<sup>th</sup>, 2013 Sunday before Lent

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9.30 am All Age Service

... led by Yvonne Buckland and followed by coffee

# 11.00 am Holy Communion by Extension

... led by Yvonne Buckland Old Testament: Exodus 34: 29-end Epistle: 2 Corinthians 3:12-4:2 Gospel: Luke 9: 28-36

# 6.30 pm Evensong

... led by Revd Bob Thorn Old Testament: Exodus 3: 1-6 New Testament: John 12: 27-36a

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## 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/purchase items of interest.

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## Thought for the Week:

Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. (2 Corinthians 3, 17)