Please pray for:

- All who suffer as a result of conflict that God will bring peace
- Those who live in Annings Lane and Barr Lane
- All the churches in our Benefice serving Christ in the Valley
- Our mission partners, Doug and Jacqui Marshall, Ethan and Chloe
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan*
- Bishops Nicholas, Graham and Edward http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest
- For those taking the assemblies at the schools this week: Heather Goffee at Thorners on Thursday and Julian and Chrissie at Burton on Friday.
- Those who are ill or housebound (those known to you & an updated list will be read at each service)

Marion Dewey continues to be seriously ill. If any of her friends would like to visit her please contact Pauline Woodford for information (2898327)

- ... & remember those who have died, especially Revd Bob Thorn, Jim Rogers, & their families & friends.
- * We are asked to pray especially for all in Renk as fighting escalates throughout Unity, Upper Nile and Jonglei States. Renk town was taken by the rebel forces on Thursday last. Fr Jacob Panchol confirms that he and Chief Bior fled and are, for the moment, safe. We are asked to 'pray as never before for our brothers and sisters in harm's way'.

COLLECTS FOR EASTER 2

- for use in the services or in private prayer

Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification:

grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness

that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth;

through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Risen Christ,

for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father.

Lord God our Father,

through our Saviour Jesus Christ you have assured your children of eternal life and in baptism have made us one with him: deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in your love, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ © Archbishops' Council of the Church of England 2000-2004



THIS WEEK

| Mon | 28 th | 10.30 am | Screwtape Letters discussion group |
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| Tues | 29 th | 9.00 am | Time for Prayer (in the Church) |
| Wed | 30^{th} | 9.30 am | Morning Prayer |
| | | 10.00 am | Holy Communion (order 1) |
| Thurs | 1^{st} | 7.00 pm | Bell ringing practice |
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LENT LUNCH (POSTPONED)

Please remember the new date for the postponed Lent Lunch which was to be held on 11th April and which is rescheduled to **Tuesday 13th May** from 12 noon to 2.00 pm at Manor Farm. There are no tickets or charge, but donations for our 2014 charities (the Pilsden Community or Tearfund) will be most welcome. It would be helpful to let Peter and Pauline Tompkins (2897043) know if you are attending.

UNITED VALLEY LUNCH

Everyone is welcome to join us for this 'Bring and Share' event in the Village Hall at 12.30pm **next Sunday**.



ADDRESS BY VEN PAUL TAYLOR AT BOB THORN'S FUNERAL

The 'homily' from the funeral service is now available from the Burton Bradstock website along with the order of service at www.burtonbradstock.org.uk/BOB.html or via the Pew News section of the site.

CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL

Please note that the newly revised Church Electoral Roll is now displayed in the church porch

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

Please see the notice in the porch about this meeting on 7th May 2014 at 7.00 pm

SALE OF PLANTS AND MARMALADE

A sale of plants (perennial and bedding plants – some unusual ones) and home-made marmalade will be held at The Red House, Middle Street, Burton Bradstock on Friday 16th May from 10.00 am to 1.00 pm. The proceeds will be divided equally between the *Bible Society and the [†]Church Mission Society. All from Burton Bradstock and beyond are welcome. This will be a good opportunity to replace plants which did not survive the winter. (*Charity No 232759 [†]Charity No 220297)

VISITING BELL RINGERS

A team of visiting ringers will be ringing the bells from 6.30 pm on Tuesday 6th May.

| Next Sunday | 8.00 am Holy Communion led by Revd Ryder Rogers Epistle: Acts 2: 14a, 36-41 Gospel: Luke 24: 13-35 | |
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| 4 th May | 9.30 am Family Service led by Revd Ryder Rogers and followed by coffee. 12.30 pm United Valley Lunch in the Village Hall | |
| Easter 3 | 6.30 pm Evensong led by Revd Sue Linford Psalm: 23 Old Testament: Isaiah 40: 1-11 New Testament: 1 Peter 5: 1-11 | |

DATES FOR THE DIARY ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

The annual meeting will be held in the Church at **7.00 pm** on **Wednesday 7th May** when the Archdeacon of Sherborne, Ven Paul Taylor, will be in the chair.

DEANERY DISCUSSION GROUP: Screwtape Letters

Starting on **Monday 28th April**, there will be a weekly discussion group looking at the Screwtape Letters in our Church at 10.30 am (NB in addition to the evening session in Bridport).

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

April 27th, 2014

Easter 2

11.00 am Holy Communion by extension

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...led by Yvonne Buckland New Testament: Acts 2: 14a, 22-23 Gospel: John 20: 19-end

6.30 pm Evensong

... led by Revd Sue Linford Psalm: 5 Old Testament: Joshua 1: 1-9 New Testament: Ephesians 6: 10-20

Welcome!

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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. Supporting material suitable for children for each Sunday's service is available, and please ask if you would like soft toys for use with young children/babies during the service.

Thought for the Week:

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Then the disciples were glad when they saw the Lord (John 21: 20)