Please pray for:

- · Our ministry team
- All who suffer as a result of conflict that God will bring peace
- Those who live in High Street and Hive Close
- 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
- Those who are ill or housebound (those known to you & an updated list will be read at each service)
- James Webster, who is leading the Open the Book assembly at Thorners on Thursday
- Sue, Elaine, Daphne & Pauline who are leading the Open the Book assembly at Burton on Friday
- ... & remember those who have died, & their families & friends.
- * We are asked to pray especially for the congregations of Akot Diocese and for Bishop Isaac as he leads them, Lainya Diocese and for Bishop Elioba as he leads them, Bor Diocese and for Bishop Ruben as he leads them and for Bishop Ismail of El Obeid diocese whose wife was killed in a car accident last week.

COLLECTS FOR HARVEST

- for use in the services or in private prayer

Eternal God, you crown the year with your goodness and you give us the fruits of the earth in their season: grant that we may use them to your glory, for the relief of those in need and for our own well-being; 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.

Creator God, you made the goodness of the land, the riches of the sea and the rhythm of the seasons; as we thank you for the harvest, may we cherish and respect this planet and its peoples, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Lord of the harvest,

with joy we have offered thanksgiving for your love in creation and have shared in the bread and the wine of the kingdom: by your grace plant within us a reverence for all that you give us and make us generous and wise stewards of the good things we enjoy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.



THIS WEEK:

Tues	14 th	9.00 am	Time for Prayer in the Church
Wed	15 th	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
		10.00 am	Holy Communion (order 1)
		7.30 pm	Benefice Meeting at Puncknowle

Thurs 16th 7.00 pm Bell ringing practice

PLEASE TAKE CARE AROUND THE SCAFFOLDING ON THE BACK OF THE CHURCH

SING OUT FOR MISSION

As a Church, we have supported the Pilsdon Community and Tearfund this year. The Missions Committee is hosting a final event for these charities on $\bf Saturday~29^{th}$

November when you are invited to 'Sing out for Mission' at 6.30 pm in the church and to enjoy a ploughman's supper in the interval.

The musical programme will include excerpts from your favourite hymns. To make this possible, please complete a form (near the hymn books) to tell us your hymn choices and place your completed forms in the box by the font and your £1 in the wall-safe nearby, by **Sunday November 2^{nd}**.

BIBLE SUNDAY AND THE BIBLE SOCIETY

We will be celebrating Bible Sunday on **26th October**. The contents of the boxes in which kind supporters of the Bible Society have made donations throughout the year will be blessed at the services on that day. There is a great need in our world for the message of the Bible. The work of the Bible Society in translating at least the New Testament into the multitude of languages is all important. Hilary Mousley, on behalf of the Society, thanks all our box-holders for their support and invites others to take a box in order to help the Society in this way

THE POSADA

With harvest time almost over, thoughts turn all too soon to Advent and Christmas – and the planning required for these events. The knitted figures of Mary and Joseph are available for their Advent journey from house to house again this year. If you would like to welcome them to your home for one night, please add your name to the list by the door and indicate which periods of time are not convenient.

LET'S GROW VOUCHERS

Please collect the vouchers with your shopping at Morrisons and leave them in the container by the font for the School.



SERVING THE CHURCH: VACANCIES

The Church will require a new treasurer from January 2015. Please contact Ian (2898484) for more information. More Holy Dusters are required to ensure the Church is clean for everyone to use. Please contact Irene (2898603) for more information.

Next

8.00 am Holy Communion

Sunday

...led by Revd Ryder Rogers
Epistle: 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10 Gospel: Matthew 22: 15-22

19th Oct

9.30 Family Service with Baptism

...led by Revd Ryder Rogers and followed by coffee

6.30 pm Harvest Festival at CHILCOMBE

Trinity 18

... led by Revd Ryder Rogers

Psalm: 65 Old Testament: Deuteronomy 28: 1-14 Gospel: Luke 17: 11-19

NOVEMBER DATES FOR THE DIARY

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2 nd	Valley Lunch in the Village Hall (12.30 pm)			
3 rd	Julian Prayer Group at Swyre (10.00 am)			
5 th	Deanery course on Hearing Impairment at Beaminster (3.00 pm)			
6 th	Deanery Bereavement Visiting Course starts (7.00 pm at Chesil Court)			
14 th	Tots and Prams Service (2.15 pm)			
29 th	Sing out for Mission (6.30 pm)			

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 Gift Aid envelopes for your offering. Those **using orange envelopes on a regular basis** might prefer to use a numbered envelope (no fixed weekly or total amount required) or a standing order. Please ask Irene Piper (2898603) 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 Pauline Woodford (\$\alpha\$898327) or Christine Lawrence (\$\alpha\$898616). If there is someone that you would like to be included in our prayers for the sick, please contact Pauline Woodford (\$\alpha\$898327) 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

The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin Burton Bradstock

October 12th, 2014

Harvest Celebration



11.00 am Celebration of Harvest

...led by Mike Read

Old Testament: Deuteronomy 8: 7-18 New Testament: Luke 12: 16-30

6.30 pm Holy Communion with Healing

... led by Revd Philip Ringer

Old Testament: Proverbs 3: 1-18 Epistle: 1 John 3: 1-15 Gospel: Mark 10: 17-31

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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. 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.

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Thought for the Week:

'Instead, seek his kingdom, and these things will be added to you.'

(Luke 12: 31)