From Source to Sea, through the Bride Valley

Sunday 23 August 2020 Trinity 11

COLLECT & POST COMMUNION

For use in the services or private prayer

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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.

Lord of all mercy, we your faithful people have celebrated that one true sacrifice which takes away our sins and brings pardon and peace: by our communion keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel and preserve us from all sin; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

READINGS for today

Psalm: 124

Old Testament: Exodus 1 v 8 - 2 v 10 New Testament: Romans 12 v 1-8

Gospel: Matthew 16 v 13-20

Evening

Psalm 95

Old Testament: 2 Kings 6 v 8-23 New Testament: Acts 17 v 15-end

VALLEY NOTICES

Services in Church this Sunday (23rd August)

8.00am St Mary's Burton Bradstock (Holy Communion)

9.30am Holy Trinity Swyre & St Mary's Litton Cheney (both Holy Communion), St Mary's Puncknowle (Family Service)

11.00am St Marys Burton Bradstock (Morning Worship) & St Michael & All Angels Littlebredy (Holy Communion)

5.30pm St Martin's Shipton Gorge (Evensong)

FACE COVERINGS – it is now compulsory to wear face coverings for public worship, unless you are exempt.

SUNDAY'S TELEPHONE SERVICE - has been prepared this week by the Reverend Ryder Rogers and can be accessed by telephoning 01308 293062. Depending on your package, the call will either be cost free or charged at local rate. The service will be available from Sunday morning.

NEXT SUNDAY (30th August) We will be holding a **UNITED SERVICE** at 11am at LATCH and are intending to be outside with a picnic afterwards, please bring your own refreshments. Toilet facilities will be available.

LAY MINISTRY – we are fortunate across the Bride Valley to have the benefit of our lay ministry team. In the Autumn I, (Jane the Rector) along with colleagues from across the deanery team are planning to run a course for Lay Pastoral Assistants and Lay Worship Leaders. If you feel God is calling you to this type of ministry please talk to me, or any of the ministry team, we will be happy to listen and pray with you. We are planning to hold a taster session on 29th September at LATCH.

PRAYER SUPPORT

If you would like us to pray for someone/something specific then the ministry team, including our Lay Pastoral Assistants, are ready to add any prayer requests to their daily prayers, please do not hesitate to contact one of us. If the request is not for you personally please ask the person's permission where possible.

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Benefice Churches

From the source

Littlebredy

Long Bredy

Litton Cheney

Puncknowle

Swyre

Chilcombe

Shipton Gorge

Burton Bradstock

To the sea