



The Benefice of Pimperne, Stourpaine and Durweston with Bryanston

Pews News for 17th May 2020

Our Priest-in-Charge is Reverend Belinda Marflitt. Tel: 03330118088

Daily Prayer

Prayers will be said by our Vicar, Belinda, every morning and evening at the Vicarage. If there is anything specific you would like her to pray for please email her on beneficerevb@outlook.com or phone her on 0333 0118088

Additional Zoom Service this week

Ascension evening service via Zoom **Thursday 21st May 7.00pm.**

Weekly Services 17th - 24th May 2020

Sunday	10.00 am	Morning Service	Zoom*
(see p6)	5.30 pm	BCP** Evening Prayer	Zoom*
Monday	9.30 am	Daily Prayer for the Easter Season	Zoom*
Wednesday	9.30 am	Daily Prayer for the Easter Season	Zoom*
Thursday (see p7 & 8)	7.00 pm	Ascension Evening Service	Zoom*
Friday	9:30 am	Daily Prayer for the Easter Season	Zoom*
Sunday	10.00 am	Morning Service	Zoom*
	5.30 pm	BCP** Evening Prayer	Zoom*

**BCP Evening Prayer Service Sheet can be downloaded from the Benefice Website

Night Prayer and some other Services are recorded and are available on the Benefice Website to be listened to and/or watched

Future items for the news sheet should be forwarded to the Team Administrator by Monday 12.00 midday to office@psdbenefice.org.uk

Pews News will continue to be produced weekly. It is available from the benefice website or can be emailed to you weekly by sending an email to office@psdbenefice.org.uk Only a few paper copies will be produced for those who have no access to the Internet.

Collect for the Week

God our redeemer,
you have delivered us from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us to eternal joy;
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. **Amen**

Readings for the Week

Day	Morning	Evening
Sunday 17th May 2020	Acts 17.22-31 Psalm 66.7-end John 14.15-21	Psalm 73.21-28 Job 14.1-2, 7-15, 19.23-27 I Thessalonians 4.13-end
Monday 18th May 2020	Psalm 65 Numbers 16.1-35 Luke 6.24-38	Psalm 121 Deuteronomy 26 1 Peter 4.1-11
Tuesday 19th May 2020	Psalm 126 Numbers 16.36-end Luke 6.39-end	Psalm 128 Deuteronomy 28.1-14 1 Peter 4.12-end
Wednesday 20th May 2020	Psalm 132 Numbers 17.1-11 Luke 7.1-10	Psalm 15 2 Samuel 23.1-5 Colossians 2.20-3.4
Thursday 21st May 2020 Ascension Day	Psalm 110 Isaiah 52.7-end Hebrews 7.26-end	Acts 1.1-11 Psalm 47 Luke 24.44-end
Friday 22nd May 2020	Psalm 81 Numbers 20.1-13 Luke 7.11-17	Psalm 145 Deuteronomy 29.2-15 1 John 1.1-26
Saturday 23rd May 2020	Psalm 47 Numbers 21.4-9 Luke 7.18-35	Psalm 85 Deuteronomy 30 1 John 2.7-17
Sunday 24th May 2020	Acts 1.6-14 Psalm 68.1-10, 32-end John 17.1-11	Psalm 104.26-35 Isaiah 65.17-end Revelation 21.1-8

Weekly Reflection

Certainty at a time of uncertainty

Last Sunday evening there was a ministerial address, that left many people bewildered as to what they should or should not: stay in or go to work; stay alert or stay at home. By the time you read this there may be more concrete advice or it may still be very muddled. Jesus, however, is very clear in his advice, "If you love me, you will keep my commandments and my Father in heaven will give you an advocate, who will be with you for ever." And, "those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them."

Jesus also said that "I am the way the truth and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me." In this time of uncertainty, there is certainty in Jesus and his promise of being with us now and for always. He can bring you peace of mind, comfort in times of trouble and certainty for the future.

Martin Richley

NOTICES

Help is being offered to those who are self-isolating or unable to get to the shops;

Pimperne Village – Age Concern Kath Oxlee main office 07984 744310

Stourpaine Village – Age Concern Jackie Arnold 07545 212989

Chris and Ali, - White Horse Inn are keeping the village shop open and will be able to provide basic food provisions eggs, cheese, milk and bread for collection, plus take away meals such as cottage pies. Meals must be heated before consuming.

Contact the White Horse Inn 01258 453535

Food Bank

Food bank items can be put in the plastic bins located outside the Vicarage or in St Peter's Church porch. A big thank you to all who have contributed. A large bin of donated food items was taken to the food bank last week and was received with grateful thanks.

Please see the Poster on page 5, outlining a new initiative to supply hot meals. If you feel you might benefit from this offer of help, please contact me on 0333

0118088 *Revd Belinda*

Collection plate

Our churches may be closed, but they still need to be maintained and insured so that they will be ready for worship when the doors do finally open. Many of you normally support the church by putting money into the collection plate. Could I ask, if you are able to, that you continue your support by putting the amount you would normally give to one side and to bring it to church when we are able to gather again. With grateful thanks.

Revd Belinda

Used Stamp Appeal and Collection Point for bone cancer research. Please continue to collect your stamps and keep them until the present crisis is over. Every single stamp helps. Thank you everyone, *Jacqui x*

Prayer Spaces

Our churches are closed but our church porches are open. If you would like us to pray for someone or a situation, you are welcome to write it down (it can be anonymous), place it in an envelope provided and put it in the basket which can be found in the Church porches of St Peter, Pimperne, Holy Trinity, Stourpaine and St Nicholas, Durweston. I will collect them on Saturday morning. Unfortunately, due the current restrictions, we are not able to provide pens and paper. Information about our services, morning and evening prayer can be found on our website

<http://www.psdbenefice.org.uk>

Revd Belinda

NEWS

Other Resources - on our Website. <http://www.psdbenefice.org.uk>

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The Church of England website has some useful resources. If you have access to the web the link is www.churchofengland.org.

The Church of England now have a 24 hour free phone line for hymns, reflections and prayers called 'Daily Hope' 0800 8048044.

BBC Radio is also a great resource, particularly if you unable to access the websites:

- The Daily Service on BBC Radio 4 Longwave Mon - Fri at 09.45,
- Sunday Worship on BBC Radio 4 at 08.10 and on BBC Local Radio following the 8am News.
- Choral Evensong on BBC Radio 3 on Wednesdays at 15.30 and Sundays at 15.00.



**The
Langton Arms,
Tarrant Monkton**

Blandford Foodbank

01258 456 093 –blandfordfood@faithworkswessex.org.uk

Freshly Cooked Meal

**Working alongside Blandford Parish Church
and The Langton Arms, Tarrant Monkton**



For the really vulnerable

**Orders Tuesday by 12o'clock
Delivered Wednesday 12 o'clock onwards**

**Orders Thursday by 12 o'clock
Delivered Friday 12 o'clock onwards**

PLEASE SPECIFY ANY ALLERGIES



Entitlement: 3 orders of hot food to families/ couples/individuals within a 6 month period



Read more on page 3

**Sing along during Morning Service
on Sunday 17th May 10am**



1 **I, the Lord of sea and sky,**
I have heard my people cry.
All who dwell in dark and sin
my hand will save.
I who made the stars of night,
I will make their darkness bright.
Who will bear my light to them?
Whom shall I send?
*Here I am, Lord.
Is it I, Lord?
I have heard you calling in the night.
I will go, Lord, if you lead me.
I will hold your people in my heart.*

2 I, the Lord of snow and rain,
I have borne my people's pain.
I have wept for love of them.
They turn away.
I will break their hearts of stone,
give them hearts for love alone.
I will speak my word to them.
Whom shall I send?
Chorus

3 I, the Lord of wind and flame,
I will tend the poor and lame.
I will set a feast for them.
My hand will save.
Finest bread I will provide
till their hearts be satisfied.
I will give my life to them.
Whom shall I send?
Chorus

**Evening service for Ascension Day
Thursday 21st May 7pm**

Please bring with you;

Paper and pencil

A candle

A glass of something for after the service

Gathering Music – Ascension Oratorio by Bach

Welcome

Silence

Responses

God has gone up with a shout

the Lord with the sound of a trumpet

Sing praises to God, sing praises;

sing praises to our King, sing praises.

For God is the king of all the earth;

sing praises with a psalm. *Psalms 47: 5-7*

Opening prayer

God of height and depth,

God of length and breadth,

give us power to comprehend your fullness,

give us love that surpasses knowledge,

open our minds, our hearts, our whole selves,

to worship you in spirit and in truth.

Amen.

The Readings

First Reading **Acts 1: 1-11**

Second Reading **Luke 24: 44-end**

Music Veni Sancte Spiritus

Reflection

Silence

Prayers of Recognition

Ascension Vision

Pen and paper will be needed to write our hopes and dreams for ourselves, our church, our community, our nation and our world. Keep them safe, so you can bring them to church when the doors are open again.

Intercessions

The response to 'Holy Spirit come upon us' is

Hear our prayer

The Lord's prayer

Music Be thou my vision – cello and piano

The Peace

Responses

Now to him who by the power and work within us

is able to accomplish abundantly

far more than all we can ask or imagine,

to him be glory in the church

and in Christ Jesus to all generations,

for ever and ever. Amen

Ephesians 3: 20-21