

The Benefice of Pimperne, Stourpaine and Durweston with Bryanston
With the churches of Tarrant Hinton, Tarrant Gunville and Tarrant Monkton



Pews News for 7th January 2024

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Services for the next week

Day	Time	Service	Location	
7 th January	08:00	Holy Communion (BCP) *	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	
	09:15	Morning Service	St Peter, Pimperne	
	10:30	Family Service Communion	St Mary, Tarrant Hinton	
		Durweston Holy Communion – joining with Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	
	18:00	Evensong	St Mary, Tarrant Gunville	
Monday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom	
Wednesday	10:00	Holy Communion	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine	
Thursday	20:00	Compline	Zoom	
Friday	09:00	Morning Prayer	Zoom	
14 th 2nd Sunday of Epiphany	09:00	Holy Communion (BCP)	All Saints, Tarrant Monkton	
	09:15	Holy Communion	St Peter, Pimperne	
		10:00	Informal Service	Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
		10:30	Breakfast Together	St Mary, Tarrant Gunville

- **Service rescheduled to facilitate joint service with Durweston at 11am due to boiler failure.**

Collect for the 7th January Week

Eternal Father,
who at the baptism of Jesus
revealed him to be your Son,
anointing him with the Holy Spirit:
grant to us, who are born again by water and the Spirit,

that we may be faithful to our calling as your adopted children;
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**

Sunday's Readings

Isaiah 60.1-6

The Ingathering of the Dispersed

60 Arise, shine; for your light has come,
and the glory of the Lord has risen upon you.

² For darkness shall cover the earth,
and thick darkness the peoples;
but the Lord will arise upon you,
and his glory will appear over you.

³ Nations shall come to your light,
and kings to the brightness of your dawn.

⁴ Lift up your eyes and look around;
they all gather together, they come to you;
your sons shall come from far away,
and your daughters shall be carried on their nurses' arms.

⁵ Then you shall see and be radiant;
your heart shall thrill and rejoice,
because the abundance of the sea shall be brought to you,
the wealth of the nations shall come to you.

⁶ A multitude of camels shall cover you,
the young camels of Midian and Ephah;
all those from Sheba shall come.
They shall bring gold and frankincense,
and shall proclaim the praise of the Lord.

Matthew 2.1-12

The Visit of the Wise Men

2 In the time of King Herod, after Jesus was born in Bethlehem of Judea, wise men from the East came to Jerusalem, ²asking, 'Where is the child who has been born king of the Jews? For we observed his star at its rising, and have come to pay him homage.' ³When King Herod heard this, he was frightened, and all Jerusalem with him; ⁴and calling together all the chief priests and scribes of the people, he inquired of them where the Messiah was to be born. ⁵They told him, 'In Bethlehem of Judea; for so it has been written by the prophet:

⁶ "And you, Bethlehem, in the land of Judah,
are by no means least among the rulers of Judah;

for from you shall come a ruler
who is to shepherd my people Israel.” ’

7 Then Herod secretly called for the wise men and learned from them the exact time when the star had appeared. ⁸Then he sent them to Bethlehem, saying, ‘Go and search diligently for the child; and when you have found him, bring me word so that I may also go and pay him homage.’ ⁹When they had heard the king, they set out; and there, ahead of them, went the star that they had seen at its rising, until it stopped over the place where the child was. ¹⁰When they saw that the star had stopped, they were overwhelmed with joy. ¹¹On entering the house, they saw the child with Mary his mother; and they knelt down and paid him homage. Then, opening their treasure-chests, they offered him gifts of gold, frankincense, and myrrh. ¹²And having been warned in a dream not to return to Herod, they left for their own country by another road.

Notices

As there are still issues with the boiler at St Nicholas Church, Durweston, a decision has been made to have a joint Stourpaine and Durweston service next week at Holy Trinity Church, Stourpaine at 11am.

This means that the usual 1st Sunday in the month 8am service at Holy Trinity is being rescheduled to 11am.

Durweston congregation will be joining with Stourpaine for the 11am service.
We look forward to seeing you all at the service.

Warm Hub: Village Hall Stourpaine

The Warm Hub at Stourpaine Village Hall is open every Tuesday morning from 10 – 12. The Post Office is available during this time. Why not come down and have a chat over coffee and use the post office as well if you want to.

Jean Palmer.

We have a mid week communion on Wednesday at 10am at Holy Trinity Church,



Stourpaine. This has developed into a fantastic fellowship opportunity with coffee and biscuits and chat afterwards. I hope that you can see that there was also an amazing cake on the table, as yesterday we celebrated Henriët's birthday, which was just before Christmas. It's always good to spread out the celebrations. Please feel free to join us during this service or if you are passing by at around 10:40, come in and join us for coffee at the end.



PSD MUSIC
2023 to 2024
St.Peter's, Pimperne
Holy Trinity, Stourpaine
and
St.Nicholas, Durweston

Three Sunday Soirées at 7.15

Sunday 14th January 2024

Holy Trinity Stourpaine

A January Indulgence / Wash away those Winter Blues
Poetry and song with Catherine Murray and Chris and Pauline Dowie

Sunday 4th February 2024

St.Peter's, Pimperne

Music for Violin, Viola and Piano
Naomi Brenton, Richard Willetts & Dr.Richard Hall

Sunday 3rd March 2024

St.Nicholas, Durweston

Britten – Serenade for Tenor, Horn and Strings
Dowie – Missa Brevis
Michael Aitkenhead - Tenor / Fiona Brockhurst - Horn
The Parry Strings

Admission Free / Retiring Collection
(Profits to be donated to the churches)