

From Source to Sea

with the churches of the Bride Valley



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.

More information about the churches is available on the village websites.

Our ministry team:

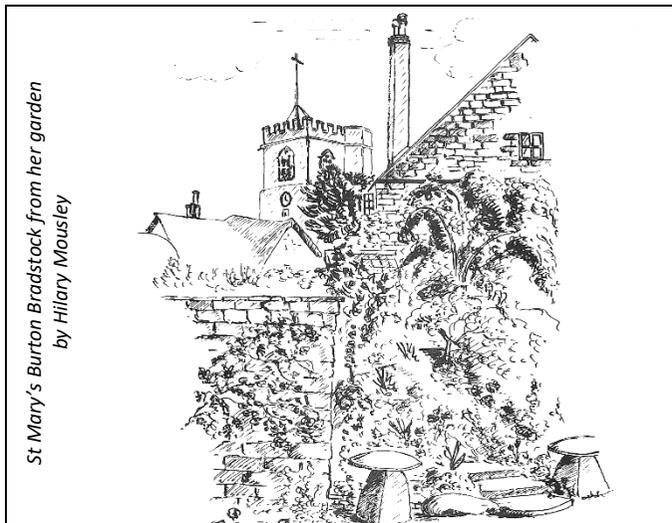
- *The Reverend Liz Howlett*
- *The Reverend Ryder Rogers*
- *LLM James Webster*
- *LWL Vicky Thomas*
- *LWL Paul Cheater*
- *LWL Heather Goffee*

Visiting Clergy:

- *The Reverend David Wilson*
- *The Reverend John Wood*
- *The Reverend Jacquie Shaw*

Weekly News

13th August 2023
Trinity 10



St Mary's Burton Bradstock from her garden
by Hilary Mousley

Services Today

9.30 am **Shipton Gorge** Morning Worship
Litton Cheney Holy Communion

11.00 am **Littlebredy** Holy Communion
Burton Bradstock Holy Communion

Ps: 105: 1-6, 16-22, 45b OT: Genesis 37: 1-4, 12-28
NT: Romans 10: 5-15 Gospel: Matthew 14: 22-33

6.00 pm **Swyre** Songs of Praise*
*in memory of the Reverend Sue Linford

6.30 pm **Burton Bradstock** Festival Evensong

The **telephone service**, provided by the Reverend Liz Howlett will be available on 01308 293062

Call to worship and thought for the week:

Thank God! Pray to him by name! Tell everyone you meet what he has done! Sing him songs, belt out hymns, translate his wonders into music!

(Psalm 105: 1,2 from *The Message*)

For our prayers:

We have much to celebrate this week, including:

- the continued learning and fun enjoyed by our new bell ringers at Shipton Gorge alongside support from other local ringers and visitors from further afield

We are grateful for:

- all our musicians who support worship across the Valley

Your kingdom come, here and now:

- In decisions made about the future of the Benefice
- In the process leading up to the appointment of a new Rector
- In the continuing life of all our churches as we look towards the future

Please pray for:

- Our ministry team as they plan and prepare our worship
- Lay Pastoral Assistants: Pauline, Cathryn, Jenny and Liz
- Bishops: Stephen, Karen, and Andrew, Archdeacon: Penny
- Bishop Rufus and the diocese of Lainya in Sudan during this time of unrest
- Tourists and visitors to the area
- West Bexington and all who live and work there
- Those struggling with mental or physical health issues
- Those struggling with a long term condition and those who care for them
- All concerned with the refugee crisis

... remembering the families of those who have recently died, among them *Pat Lepine, Mary Burr and Bryan Wycks*

COLLECTS FOR TRINITY 10

- for use in the services or for private prayer

Let your merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of your humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please you; 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

Lord of heaven and earth,

as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

(Post communion prayer)

God of our pilgrimage,

you have willed that the gate of mercy should stand open for those who trust in you: look upon us with your favour that we who follow the path of your will may never wander from the way of life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen



REGULAR WEEKLY EVENTS:

Tuesday 10.30 am Life Group **in the churchyard**, Burton Bradstock
6.00 pm Bell ringing practice (Litton Cheney ☎482312*)
Wednesday 7.00 pm Bell ringing practice (Long Bredy ☎482270*)
7.30 pm Bell ringing practice (Shipton Gorge ☎07799751130*)
Thursday 7.00 pm **NO** Bell ringing practice (Burton Bradstock)

** Please phone to check if practice is taking place*

ADDITIONAL EVENTS THIS WEEK

Mon 14th Burton Bradstock Festival Concerts all week
to Fri 18th in the church. (Art exhibition in the Village Hall)

BURTON BRADSTOCK FESTIVAL OF MUSIC AND ART

Weather permitting, there will be the traditional tea party (entry free) in the Rectory Garden from **3.00 pm today**, with live music. **Please bring a (folding) chair with you.** The formal concerts begin with a special Evensong in the Church **at 6.30 pm.** The minister is Revd. Canon John Wood from Poundbury and Paul Cheater will be playing the organ for the Litton Cheney Choir - no entry cost and no tickets required. Tickets for the many following concerts are on sale from Bridport TIC and, if available, from the door. The art display in the Village Hall runs until 19th August.

www.burtonbradstockfestival.com

FETE RESULTS AND THANKS

The weather impacted on all our Village/Church fetes this year but that didn't generally prevent locals and visitors from having a good time. We thank all those who organised and took part in these important annual events which help to secure funding in support of our communities and our church buildings.

Puncknowle Fete raised £3069 for the church, Swyre church and the Village Hall

Litton Cheney Fete in spite of the high winds on the day, £4900 was raised for the church and the school.

Shipton Gorge Fete: despite the very poor weather forecast, a much smaller fete & show was held in the Village hall where approx £120 was raised on the cake stall and a further £250 was donated from sales of refreshments.

Burton Bradstock Church Fete after a damp morning which, fortunately, dried out for the afternoon, c£6400 was raised towards on-going improvements to the building.

THE LATE MRS PAT LEPINE

The funeral for Pat Lepine, who lived in Shipton Gorge and Burton Bradstock, will take place at the care home in Surrey where she lived latterly on Tuesday 15th August. There will also be a thanksgiving service and burial of ashes at Burton Bradstock on 7th October. The family have requested information about numbers at either event - please let Helen Fry know if you are planning to attend (☎897260)

Information about the funeral and cremation and an opportunity to leave a tribute and/or donation are available at <https://patricialepine.muchloved.com/>

Next Sunday

20th August

Trinity 11

8.00 am **Burton Bradstock** Holy Communion

9.30 am **Burton Bradstock** Café Church
Long Bredy Morning Worship

11.00 am **Puncknowle** Holy Communion[‡]
[‡]*by extension*

Psalms: 133

NT: Romans 11: 1-2a, 29-32

OT: Genesis 45: 1-15

Gospel: Matthew 15: 10-28

6.00 pm **Litton Cheney** Evensong
Swyre Songs of Praise*

**celebrating the birthday of the church*

The **telephone service**, provided by the Reverend
Ryder Rogers will be available on **01308 293062**

DATES FOR THE DIARY

14th Burton Bradstock Festival concerts (various times each day until 18th August)

15th Funeral: Pat Lepine (11.30 am at Lingfield, Surrey)

24th Cream teas in Burton Bradstock Churchyard (2.30 pm)

25th Come Along Inn (5.30 pm in Long Bredy Village Hall)

Please check the **Bride Valley News** for further information and events.

LIFE GROUP THIS WEEK

The Life Group will meet in the churchyard behind the church at Burton Bradstock this week *if the weather is fine* as the church is in use for the Festival. Please bring chair/rug/flask/Bible.

HOLY COMMUNION

As per the Bishop's request across the whole Diocese, we will no longer be offering intinction (dipping of the wafer into wine) at Holy Communion, either by the priest or *an individual*. The common cup will be in place and, if you prefer, just receiving the host (wafer) is sufficient.

GENEROUS GIVING:

Thank you to everyone who supports the work of our churches through their financial giving, through the various ways that are now possible. We also recognise the time and talent we are fortunate to share. "Yours Lord is the greatness, the glory, the splendour and the majesty. Everything in heaven and on earth come from you and of your own do we give you." 1 Chronicles 29:14

Please use this leaflet for reference and prayer. Each week's copy is at:

<http://www.burtonbradstockvillage.org>

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<http://www.facebook.com/bridevalleychurches>

and on A Church Near You: www.achurchnearyou.com

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