

Please pray for:

- Our ministry team: Stephen, Sue, Peter, Mike, James, & Yvonne and also for Edward
- All the churches in our Benefice – serving Christ in the Valley
- Those who live in *Howarth Close* and *Lower Townsend*
- Our Salisbury Diocesan Link with the Sudan
- Our mission partners, Doug and Jacqui Marshall, Ethan and Chloe
- Bishops Nicholas, Edward & Karen <http://www.salisbury.anglican.org/thought-for-the-month/latest>
- Those caught up in the aftermath of terrorist attacks and wars
- The refugee crisis: for those risking their lives to flee conflicts across the world and for those endeavouring to provide for them in other countries
- Those who have lost loved ones in the earthquake in Italy
- Those on holiday that they may stay safe and be refreshed and renewed
- Those who are ill or housebound (those known to you & an updated list will be read at each service)
- ... & remember those who have died, & their families & friends



CHURCH FINANCES

July 2016 receipts:	£4,351
July 2016 payments:	£3,903
Average monthly receipts Jan-July 2016:	£3,895
Average monthly payments Jan-July 2016:	£5,441

FAMILY WORSHIP IN THE VALLEY

Today's family service takes the form of All Age Holy Communion at PUNCKNOWLE at 11.00 am. Next week, there is a family service here at 9.30 am.

COLLECTS FOR TRINITY 14

- for use in the services or in private prayer

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence:
give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth;
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.

Merciful God, your Son came to save us
and bore our sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy and know your love,
rejoicing in the righteousness
that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Lord God, the source of truth and love,
keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship,
united in prayer and the breaking of bread,
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

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THIS WEEK:

Tues	30 th	9.00 am	Time for Prayer in the Church
Thurs	1 st	9.30 am	Morning Prayer
		10.00 am	Holy Communion with Revd Canon Stephen Batty
		7.00 pm	Bell Ringing Practice

RIDE AND STRIDE

The Dorset Historic Churches Trust Annual Ride and Stride event takes place on Saturday 10th September. Clare Viney will be riding and Jane Stubbs and Linda Bongers will be striding on the day around a number of churches and would welcome your encouragement through sponsorship. Forms are at the back of the Church. Half the money raised comes directly to the Church whilst the other half goes to the Trust which provides grants towards maintenance of churches of all denominations in the County.



MISSION COFFEE MORNINGS AND SALES

Thanks to all those who supported the coffee mornings and sales through the summer. The last sale raised a magnificent £215 for our two mission charities: CMS (mission partners) and the Sudan Medi-Link. The total raised by all three sales amounts to £640.52.

SONGS OF PRAISE

The August cycle of weekly Songs of Praise services ends today, **28th August**, at 7.30 pm at **SWYRE**

LICENCING SERVICE

Revd Sue Linford will be Licensed as Associate Priest at a special Eucharist Service on **Sunday 18 September** at 6.00pm in St Martin's Shipton Gorge. This will be the only evening service in the Valley that day and it is hoped that as many as possible will be able to attend to show their support for Sue's ministry throughout the benefice. The evening service at Chilcombe will take place on **25th September** (not 18th).

VISITING RINGERS

There will be a team of ringers from Malvern visiting our tower to ring the bells on **Wednesday 21st September** from 4.00 to 4.45 pm

CHURCHYARD MAINTENANCE

In the last couple of weeks, volunteers have been working to clear areas of the churchyard, especially around the small memorial stones, the compost heap and the shed. There is a good deal of compost available free to a good home for those who would like to bag it and take it away. Please see Peter Broomhead for further details of the ongoing work or if you are able to volunteer to help.

Next Sunday

4th Sept

Trinity 15

8.00 am Holy Communion

... led by Revd Sue Linford
Old Testament: Jeremiah 18: 1-11
New Testament: Philemon, 1-21; Gospel: Luke 14: 25-33

9.30 am Family Service

...led by Revd Sue Linford and followed by coffee

12.30 pm United Benefice Lunch in the Village Hall

6.30 pm Evensong

... led by Revd Canon Stephen Batty
Psalm 121; Old Testament: Isaiah 43:14-44:5
New Testament: John 5: 30-end

SEPTEMBER DATES FOR THE DIARY

4th United Benefice Lunch in the Village Hall (12.30 pm)
5th Julian Prayer Group at Swyre (10.00 am)
9th Tots and Prams Service (2.15 pm)
10th Dorset Historic Churches Ride and Stride
18th Licensing of Revd Sue Linford at Shipton Gorge (6.00 pm)
25th Chilcombe Evensong (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 (☎898603) 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 (☎898327) or Christine Lawrence (☎898616). If there is someone that you would like to be included in our prayers for the sick, please contact Pauline Woodford (☎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, Chrissie Bailey or Peter Broomhead.

Please take this leaflet home with you for reference and prayer. Each week's copy is at:
<http://www.burtonbradstock.org.uk/PEWNEWS.html>

*Items for next week/requests for email copy to Julian Piper by 9.00 am **Thursday**, please*
☎ 01308 898603 e: julian@jipiper.co.uk

Burton Bradstock Parish Church
Part of the Bride Valley Benefice



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 or purchase items of interest.

Please take advantage of:

- supporting material suitable for children for each service
- soft toys for use with young children/babies during the service
- music for the sung communion services.

Pew News

Sunday 28th August 2016
Trinity 14



St Mary's Church

11.00 am Holy Communion

... led by Revd Sue Linford
Old Testament: Jeremiah 2: 4-13
NT: Hebrews 13: 1-8, 15-16; Gospel: Luke 14: 1, 7-14

6.30 pm Evensong

... led by Revd Sue Linford
Psalm 119: 81-96; Old Testament: Isaiah 33: 13-22
New Testament: John 3: 22-36

Thought for the week:

My heart is steadfast, O God! I will sing and make melody with all my being! ...For your steadfast love is great above the heavens; your faithfulness reaches to the clouds.

(Psalm 108: 1,4)

Rector: Revd Canon Stephen Batty, The Rectory, Church Street, Burton Bradstock (☎898799)
Churchwardens: Chrissie Bailey (☎897603) & Peter Broomhead (☎897408)