

From Source to Sea, through the Bride Valley

Sunday 6th December 2020 The Second Sunday of Advent

COLLECT & POST COMMUNION

For use in the services or private prayer

O Lord, raise up, we pray, your power and come among us, and with great might succour us; that whereas, through our sins and wickedness we are grievously hindered in running the race that is set before us, your bountiful grace and mercy may speedily help and deliver us; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, to whom with you and the Holy Spirit, be honour and glory, now and for ever. Amen

READINGS for today

Psalm: 85:8-end

Old Testament: Isaiah 40:1-11

New Testament: 1 Thessalonians 5:16-24

Gospel: John 1:6-8, 19-28

Evening

Psalm: 40:12-end

Old Testament: 1 Kings 22:1-28

New Testament: Romans 15:4-13

VALLEY NOTICES

Services in Church this Sunday (6th December)

Burton Bradstock: 08:00 – Holy Communion

10:30 – Songs of Praise

Puncknowle: 09:30 – Holy Communion

Littlebredy: 11:00 - Holy Communion

Shipton Gorge: 11:00 – Holy Communion

Swyre: 15:00 – Evening Prayer

Litton Cheney : 09:30 – Holy Communion

SUNDAY'S TELEPHONE SERVICE

Has been prepared this week by the Reverend Sue Linford 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.

JULIAN PAYER GROUP

The Julian group will be convening at 1030am at Holy Trinity in Swyre on Monday 7th December

TEA AND CRUMPETS ON ZOOM

We have decided to continue meeting on Sundays, but at the later time of 5.30pm, hence the change of refreshments! Please join us this week if you'd like to, the link is:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85239670812?pwd=alBPVzVVRjVLZkt3Q1lEakNOdTIRZz09>

Meeting ID: 852 3967 0812 Passcode: 282947

ADVENT REFLECTIONS On Monday 7th December we will begin a series of 5 Weekly Reflections on ZOOM at 7pm. Here is the link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81181028026?pwd=RmlabEZhbRjaGc1QTQvRkM0anBWUT09>

Meeting ID: 811 8102 8026 Passcode: 916481

BRIDE VALLEY CHURCHES WALK BOOKLET

Many thanks to Freddie Spicer who has produced a booklet of guided walks around all our churches. It costs £2.50 and will be sold in aid of the Valley Churches. It is currently available to buy from Modbury Farm although it is hoped to be available at other locations soon. We are planning to use the guide for pilgrimages from church to church during Lent 2021.

Benefice
Churches

From
the source

Littlebredy

Long Bredy

Litton
Cheney

Puncknowle

Swyre

Chilcombe

Shipton
Gorge

Burton
Bradstock

To the sea

ADVENT WINDOWS

Watch out for window and garden displays throughout the community in several villages as we proceed through the season of Advent. It is hoped to build up the anticipation as we prepare to celebrate Christmas. You can follow progress from 1st December via our Facebook page at www.facebook.com/BrideValleyChurches

ONGOING PRAYER MINISTRY

If you would like us to pray for someone, something in particular, please do not hesitate to make contact. If the request is not for you personally please ask the person's permission where possible