

NOTICES

Tonight

Prayer for Christian Unity United Service will be taking place at 6.00 pm on Sunday 20th January, at Westbury Methodist Church, Station Road. The preacher will be the Revd Nigel Coles, Senior Regional Minister of the Baptist Church in the West of England. This is one of those few occasions when as Christians in Westbury we can share in united witness to the town ("Why are all those people going there on a Sunday evening?") and also come together to pray for that unity which was our Lord's challenge and expectation.

Change of service on 4th Sundays at All Saints Church as from 27th January

Please note that the 9.30am service on the 4th Sunday will now be Morning Praise. For those who wish to take Holy Communion there are three services on that day within the White Horse Team. 8.00am at All Saints Church. 10.00am at Holy Trinity Church and 11.00am at Holy Saviour Church.

Rhona's Farewell

Rhona's final service will be on Sunday 17th February. This will be a Team Service of Holy Communion at Holy Saviour Church but please note the start time of 10 am, so that those who have other lunch commitments have plenty of time to go on to them, while hopefully others will remain and enjoy lunch together. We're suggesting that contributions for lunch are invited from members of each church along the following lines. All Saints' - savouries, Holy Saviour - salads and breads, Holy Trinity/Brokerswood - desserts. There has been an offer of wine & soft drinks to be served with lunch.

Dates for your Diary

25th January—The **Fully Alive Group** will meet at Crosspoint from 2.30 - 4.00 pm. All are welcome to join us. For further details please contact Agnes Capes.

2nd February—**Scalextrix** afternoon at All Saints Church Parish Hall. 2pm—7pm. So many people enjoyed having a go at racing the Scalextric cars at the Westbury Model Railway Show that we decided to run a session. People can bring their own cars (raced at their own risk) or borrow one. Children must be accompanied by an adult. There will be a variety of tracks including micro Scalextric. There will be a small charge of £2.00 per adult and £1.00 per child.

Warminster & District Food Bank. Donations of

- cereals,
- Instant mashed or tinned potatoes
- tinned milk pudding

Please take items to All Saints' Church, Holy Trinity Church Or DIRECTLY TO Crosspoint.

'Pints of View' meet at 8pm on the second Tuesday of the month at the Prince of Wales, Dilton Marsh and on the third Wednesday at The Hollies, Westbury Leigh to discuss a variety of topics from spiritual themes to items in the news Contact Sharon Jones for details.

Exploring the Bible Group, meet at Crosspoint, in the Market Place. All are welcome. For further details please contact Lyn Weekley (tel 858361; e-mail lyn@wellheadh.plus.com)

Westbury Prayer Network. Telephone requests in confidence to Lynette Weekley (858361).

Dilton Marsh Prayer Group. If you would like to join the prayer group, or have a prayer request, in confidence, please contact Susan on 01373 672280 or email susandbell63@googlemail.com.

Fund Raising

Holy Trinity Church and All Saints Church would be happy to receive any Christmas presents that might not have been to your taste or are in excess to your needs. They can be used at future events and help to raise funds. For Holy Trinity please contact Garth or Sue Stanley or take them to the church. For All Saints please give them to Diane Perrett or drop them off at the Parish Office on Monday or Friday afternoon 1.45 --4.00pm

Worship next Sunday

8.00am	Holy Communion - A/S
9.30am	Morning Praise - A/S
10.00am	Holy Communion— H/T
11.00am	Holy Communion - H/S
6.00pm	Evening Prayer Methodist led — M/C
7.15pm	Silent Prayer—A/S

Key: A/S - All Saints, Westbury B/W - All Saints, Brokerswood
 H/S - Holy Saviour, Westbury Leigh H/T - Holy Trinity, Dilton Marsh
 WPH - Westbury Parish Hall Mem - Memorial Hall, Dilton Marsh
 M/C - Methodist Church, Westbury URC - United Reformed church,
 WEB - West End Baptist Church WJS—Westbury Junior School
 WLCH—Westbury Leigh Community Hall



WHITE HORSE TEAM MINISTRY

Notices for the week:

20th—26th January 2019

Welcome to Worship

There is some provision for children at each of our churches, please feel free to make use of the facilities provided.

8.00am	Holy Communion - A/S
9.00am	Holy Communion—H/T
9.30am	Holy Communion - A/S
9.45am	Café Church— Mem
11.00am	Holy Communion - H/S
6.00pm	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service — M/C
7.15pm	Silent Prayer—A/S

Tuesday:

9.30am	Morning Prayer—A/S
2.30pm	Town Prayers— WEB

Wednesday:

9.30am	First Steps to Worship –A/S
10.30am	Holy Communion – A/S
12.noon	Funeral—Betty Wheeler

There are a number of large print hymn books and service books available at all churches. If you would benefit from using one please ask the sides-people.

Offertory cards are available now in each of the churches. You are invited to place one in the collection plate during the service if you are giving by other means but wish to be included in the offertory.

NOTICES FOR PEWSHEET MUST BE EMAILED OR SUBMITTED TO OFFICE BY WEDNESDAY 2PM FOR INCLUSION THAT WEEK.

office@whtministry.org.uk

The office is open on Monday and Friday 1.30- 4.00pm .

3rd Sunday of Epiphany — 20th January 2019

Collect

God of all mercy,
your Son proclaimed good news to the poor,
release to the captives,
and freedom to the oppressed:
anoint us with your Holy Spirit
and set all your people free
to praise you in Christ our Lord.

Reading: Isaiah 62. 1-5

For Zion's sake I will not keep silent, and for Jerusalem's sake I will not rest, until her vindication shines out like the dawn, and her salvation like a burning torch.

The nations shall see your vindication, and all the kings your glory; and you shall be called by a new name that the mouth of the LORD will give.

You shall be a crown of beauty in the hand of the LORD, and a royal diadem in the hand of your God.

You shall no more be termed Forsaken, and your land shall no more be termed Desolate; but you shall be called My Delight Is in Her, and your land Married; for the LORD delights in you, and your land shall be married.

For as a young man marries a young woman, so shall your builder marry you, and as the bridegroom rejoices over the bride, so shall your God rejoice over you.

Gospel: John 2. 1-11

On the third day there was a wedding in Cana of Galilee, and the mother of Jesus was there. Jesus and his disciples had also been invited to the wedding.

When the wine gave out, the mother of Jesus said to him, "They have no wine." And Jesus said to her, "Woman, what concern is that to you and to me? My hour has not yet come." His mother said to the servants, "Do whatever he tells you."

Now standing there were six stone water jars for the Jewish rites of purification, each holding twenty or thirty gallons. Jesus said to them, "Fill the jars with water." And they filled them up to the brim. He said to them, "Now draw some out, and take it to the chief steward." So they took it.

When the steward tasted the water that had become wine, and did not know where it came from (though the servants who had drawn the water knew), the steward called the bridegroom and said to him, "Everyone serves the good wine first, and then the inferior wine after the guests have become drunk. But you have kept the good wine until now."

Jesus did this, the first of his signs, in Cana of Galilee, and revealed his glory; and his disciples believed in him.

Contemplative walking

Following our contemplative walking from last week
There are ways to develop the walking journey

This can be by opening the senses and heart to God whilst on your walk

Including a piece of scripture from the service, the words of a hymn that have stayed with you or anything that has captured your thoughts during the week can be a way for God to speak to you

Setting out as before crossing the threshold into the God space take the words or song with you on the walk and embrace it fully with your mind

How does it fit into the context of your surroundings, are there any phrases or words that shimmer brightly to you.?

What emotions come up as you walk are there connecting things in the landscape ?

What is God saying to you in this piece on this walk ?

As always after the walk or exercise write in your journal about the little things that occurred to you
For this is always the way our loving father speaks to us in the everyday small things.

Are you inspired to write a prayer or poem or even doodle a little sketch after your walk these are always lovely to look back on.

Happy walking

**All readings are taken from NRSV
Readings for next week**

**Reading: Nehemiah 8. 1-3, 5-6, 8-10
Gospel: Luke 4. 14-21**