

NOTICES

Easter lilies at All Saints. Lilies may be bought in memory of a loved one and will be used in the Easter flower arrangements. The cost is £2.50 per name and names may be given to the Administrator in the Team Office, John Prince or Wendy Wood.

All Saints' Church noticeboards. We are planning to refresh all the noticeboards on Easter Saturday 20th April between 10am and 12noon.

If you would like to help or have a noticeboard for which you are responsible please let Beth Thomas know (thomasbeth2003@gmail.com)

Church Councils Consultation morning 11th May 10am—12 noon in the Parish Hall, All Saints' Westbury Please join the profile group for our next consultation with the Revd Russell Chamberlain.

Dates for your Diary

Saturday 20th April—Children's Easter Craft Event at Holy Trinity Church 2-4pm

Friday 3rd May The Warminster Military Wives Choir together with Bitham Brook Primary School choir will be holding a concert in All Saints Church. Tickets £8 each or Family Ticket £14 [2 adults **plus** children] from the Team Office or call John on 01373 822949 or Sue Newell on 01373 825560

Tuesday 7th May 7-9pm Meet and Sing with the Director An opportunity to meet Hugh Morris, Director of RSCM at St John's Church, Devizes £5 ticket. NB You need to register by 23rd April Forms available from Ruth Hann

Saturday 25th May 7.30pm White Horse Community Choir present a **Musical Evening at West End Baptist Church.** Tickets £4. Proceed to Crosspoint and Wiltshire Air Ambulance

N.B The team office is closed on Good Friday and Easter Monday

Warminster & District Food Bank. Donations of **Jam, Biscuits, Rice and tinned goods** would be very welcome. 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.

All Saints' Church Lent Appeal 2019

Are you giving up something like chocolate, alcohol, tea or coffee this Lent? Why not donate what you have saved to the All Saints' Church Lent Appeal?

We are splitting the proceeds equally between the Heytesbury Deanery's support of the Chaima Christian Institute in South Sudan and All Saints' Church funds.

We have an online JustGiving page where you can donate or use the special Gift Aid Appeal envelopes at the welcome desk.

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaign/westburylent19>

Worship next Sunday

6.00am	Easter Morning Service on the Westbury White Horse
8.00am	Easter Holy Communion - A/S
9.30am	Easter Parish Communion—A/S
10.00am	Easter Holy Communion—H/T
11.00am	Easter Holy Communion - H/S
11.20am	Holy Communion—B/W
6.00pm	Film 'Risen' - URC
7.15pm	Silent Prayer—A/S

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



WHITE HORSE TEAM MINISTRY

Notices for the week:

14th—20th April 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
10.00am	Café Church—WJS
10.00am	Processions from A/S and H/T to H/S Team Service
11.00am	Team Service—Holy Communion - H/S
6.00pm	Evensong— M/C
6.00pm	Evening Prayer—B/W
7.15pm	Silent Prayer—A/S

Monday:

7.00pm Holy Week Meditation—H/T

Tuesday:

9.30am Morning Prayer—A/S
2.30pm Town Prayers— A/S
7.00pm Holy Week Meditation—H/T

Wednesday:

10.30am Holy Communion—A/S
7.00pm Holy Week Meditation—H/T

Thursday:

7.30pm Eucharist and Foot Washing—A/S
9.00pm -Midnight Gethsemane Vigil - A/S

Good Friday:

10.00am Walk of Witness WACT— Start M/C
12noon—3pm Good Friday Vigil

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.

N.B The office is closed on Good Friday and Easter

Palm Sunday — 14th April 2019

Collect

True and humble king,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you
on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory.

Reading: Psalm 118. 1-2, 19

O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good; his steadfast love endures forever!
Let Israel say, "His steadfast love endures forever."
Open to me the gates of righteousness, that I may enter through them and give thanks to the LORD.
This is the gate of the LORD; the righteous shall enter through it.
I thank you that you have answered me and have become my salvation.
The stone that the builders rejected has become the chief cornerstone.
This is the LORD's doing; it is marvellous in our eyes.
This is the day that the LORD has made; let us rejoice and be glad in it.
Save us, we beseech you, O LORD! O LORD, we beseech you, give us success!
Blessed is the one who comes in the name of the LORD.
We bless you from the house of the LORD.
The LORD is God, and he has given us light.
Bind the festal procession with branches, up to the horns of the altar.
You are my God, and I will give thanks to you; you are my God, I will extol you.
O give thanks to the LORD, for he is good, for his steadfast love endures forever.

Gospel: Luke 19. 28-40

After he had said this, he went on ahead, going up to Jerusalem. When he had come near Bethphage and Bethany, at the place called the Mount of Olives, he sent two of the disciples, saying, "Go into the village ahead of you, and as you enter it you will find tied there a colt that has never been ridden. Untie it and bring it here. If anyone asks you, 'Why are you untying it?' just say this, 'The Lord needs it.'"
So those who were sent departed and found it as he had told them. As they were untying the colt, its owners asked them, "Why are you untying the colt?" They said, "The Lord needs it."
Then they brought it to Jesus; and after throwing their cloaks on the colt, they set Jesus on it. As he rode along, people kept spreading their cloaks on the road.
As he was now approaching the path down from the Mount of Olives, the whole multitude of the disciples began to praise God joyfully with a loud voice for all the deeds of power that they had seen, saying,
"Blessed is the king who comes in the name of the Lord! Peace in heaven, and glory in the highest heaven!"
Some of the Pharisees in the crowd said to him, "Teacher, order your disciples to stop."
He answered, "I tell you, if these were silent, the stones would shout out."

Holy week prayer practice

Creating a small sacred space or altar at home is a valuable tool to aid prayer and contemplation. Having got through the weeks of lent we find ourselves at the beginning of Holy week, an intense time for thoughtfulness about the life of Christ and the reflection of his story in our lives. I think it is a good time to keep things simple as so much is going on in church life, try to attend as much as you can of the church services and journey with Christ daily. Find a spot the best place is close to where you would sit quietly to pray, or if a busy home where there is no chance for that pick a place where you can catch a glance at what you have made as you work etc. All that is needed is a candle, a cross if you have one, or make a simple one from some twigs from the garden you can add things as you go. The most important thing is your intention for this space, as you come to it daily light the candle to welcome the light of Christ into your home, its a special space where you can write a little prayer and leave it there or place the names from your prayer pot there for the day. When it catches your eye you will be reminded of the presence of God in your home.

Recommended readings for Holy week are from the diocese booklet "Praying together" available in church.

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

Reading: Acts 10. 34-43

Gospel: John 20. 1-18