

Team News

Exploring the Bible Group is meeting again, on Monday at 7.30pm in Crosspoint, picking up our study of Isaiah again as promised. All welcome. Ring Lyn Weekley on 01373 858361 for further details.

Licensing Service on Wednesday 5 February 2020 at 7pm. All are welcome to this service which will be led by Bishop Nicholas. Additional sides people are required. Please speak to Beth Thomas if you are available. Ruth Hann is coordinating the refreshments after the service please speak to her with offers of food and help.

Safeguarding training

C1, training provides a little more information and anyone with a leadership role or working with young people or vulnerable adults should attend this course. This will be held on Saturday 29th February from 9.30am - 12.30pm in the Parish Hall. Contact Susan Bell, Caroline Husband or Beth Thomas for more information.

Last few tickets left for White Horse Team Social Event Friday 14th February 2020 at Holy Saviour Community Hall, Westbury Leigh. 7pm for 7.30pm Valentine's Supper with music - Tickets £10.00. See Jean Jane (AS), Lily or Mavis (HS) or Cliff, Liz or Sue (HT) on Sunday!"

All Saints Church News

Fund raising quiz. There is a new quiz to help while away the long winter nights and wet winter days. The quiz sheet is available from Ruth Hann at All Saints Church and Lily Munday at Holy Saviour Church. £2 per entry. Closing dates for entries is the 1st March.

All Saints volunteer needed. Our current treasurer is stepping down from his role at the end of this year and we are looking for a volunteer interested in becoming treasurer. This role is essential in the effective running of a parish. Being Treasurer will not commit you to having to be at regular PCC meetings, but will require regular reporting as to our financial status. If you are interested in standing and being nominated for this role, please speak to The Revd Caroline Husband who will share with you more of what is involved.

Holy Trinity Church News

NB. Closing date TODAY

ELECTORAL ROLL 2020

Under the provisions of rule 2(1) of the Church Representation Rules NOTICE is hereby given of the ANNUAL REVISION of the Electoral Roll prior to the Annual Parochial Church Meeting on February 23, 2020 at 11.45am. All those intending to vote at the APCM should ensure that their names are on the roll or complete an application form and return it to the Electoral Roll Officer on or before January 26, 2020 after which date no further additions will be made to the roll. A copy of the current roll is displayed in Holy Trinity Church.

C P R Hill Electoral Roll Officer

Saturday 1st February is the next **Meet the Village coffee morning and table top** sale at Holy Trinity Church. 10am—noon. Traidcraft product will also be on sale. Contact Garth 0373 822414 or 01373 229618 for details

Baby Bundles Scheme

Baby Bundles Scheme is run by Ruth Brooks-Martin a Together for Families Worker The aim is to provide some essential items that new mothers might need in their first few weeks of having a baby. There will be a box put out at the 1st Sunday Praise and Worship Service at Holy Trinity to collect items for the Baby Bundles Scheme. Items that are most needed are, Maternity Pads
Breastpads (about £1.50 – 70 in most supermarkets)
Muslin cloths (currently £2.99 for a pack of 3 in Aldi)
Scratch mittens
Shower gel, chocolate treat etc to treat the Mum
For those that can knit or crochet, newborn/0 – 3 month neutral-coloured cardigans, booties and mittens, and small blankets.

Prayer Groups

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

WHT Ministry e-prayer Group. If you would like prayers of thanksgiving or help, for yourself or others, please contact Prayer chain co-ordinator Sue Stanley at suestanley.whtministry@gmail.com or 01373 229618 for details



WHITE HORSE TEAM MINISTRY

Notices for the week:

26th January—1st February 2020

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

Tuesday:

2.30pm Town Prayers— WEB

Wednesday:

9.30am First Steps to Worship—A/S
10.30am Holy Communion—A/S

Gift Aid

If you are making a cash offering please use the white Gift Aid envelopes so that we can take advantage of the Gift Aid scheme where we receive an additional 20p for every pound you give from HM Government.

Worship next Sunday

8.00am	Holy Communion - A/S
9.30am	Holy Communion - A/S
10.00am	Praise and Worship— H/T
11.00am	Praise and Worship - H/S
6.00pm	Evening Prayer—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

3rd Sunday of Epiphany — 26th January 2020

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.

Psalm 27. 1-11

The LORD is my light and my salvation; whom shall I fear? The LORD is the stronghold of my life; of whom shall I be afraid?
When evildoers assail me to devour my flesh— my adversaries and foes— they shall stumble and fall.
Though an army encamp against me, my heart shall not fear; though war rise up against me, yet I will be confident.
One thing I asked of the LORD, that will I seek after: to live in the house of the LORD all the days of my life, to behold the beauty of the LORD, and to inquire in his temple.
For he will hide me in his shelter in the day of trouble; he will conceal me under the cover of his tent; he will set me high on a rock.
Now my head is lifted up above my enemies all around me, and I will offer in his tent sacrifices with shouts of joy; I will sing and make melody to the LORD.
Hear, O LORD, when I cry aloud, be gracious to me and answer me!
“Come,” my heart says, “seek his face!” Your face, LORD, do I seek.
Do not hide your face from me. Do not turn your servant away in anger, you who have been my help. Do not cast me off, do not forsake me, O God of my salvation!
If my father and mother forsake me, the LORD will take me up.
Teach me your way, O LORD, and lead me on a level path because of my enemies.

Reading: Isaiah 9.1-4

But there will be no gloom for those who were in anguish. In the former time he brought into contempt the land of Zebulun and the land of Naphtali, but in the latter time he will make glorious the way of the sea, the land beyond the Jordan, Galilee of the nations.
The people who walked in darkness have seen a great light; those who lived in a land of deep darkness— on them light has shined.
You have multiplied the nation, you have increased its joy; they rejoice before you as with joy at the harvest, as people exult when dividing plunder.
For the yoke of their burden, and the bar across their shoulders, the rod of their oppressor, you have broken as on the day of Midian.

Gospel: Matthew 4. 12-23

Now when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the sea, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:
“Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali, on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles— the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned.”
From that time Jesus began to proclaim, “Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.”
As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, said to them, “Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.” Immediately they left their nets and followed him.

As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him.
Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

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

Psalm 24. [1-6]7-10

Reading: Malachi 3.1-5

Gospel: Luke 2.22-40