13th March 2022 Second Sunday of Lent

READINGS

Philippians 3 v 17- 4v1 **P196** Luke 13 v 31- end **P73**



PRAYER FOR THE DAY

Almighty God,

by the prayer and discipline of Lent may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings, and by following in his Way come to share in his glory;

through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Almighty God,

you see that we have no power of ourselves to help ourselves: keep us both outwardly in our bodies,

and inwardly in our souls;

that we may be defended from all adversities

which may happen to the body,

and from all evil thoughts which may assault and hurt the soul; through Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.

Please PRAY for:

- Peace between Russia and the Ukraine pray for all those who have died in the war, those who mourn, those who seek refuge and wisdom for all who lead.
- The Anglican Church of Melanesia.
- ❖ The Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan, especially for Rt Revd John Gattek, Bishop of Malakal - Bentiu Area.
- all the parishes in the Marlborough and Pewsey Deaneries.
- all Lay Pastoral Assistants.
- the Harnham Water Meadows Trust.
- all involved with Messy Church today.
- those who live in Chichester Close and Newbridge Road.
- all the staff and volunteers continuing to administer the Covid vaccinations and the hospital staff, paramedics, care workers, key workers, schools and businesses who are still under a lot of pressure at the moment. All who are suffering from Covid or who are isolating.
- those who are sick, and all who care for them, especially Ann Baker, Neil, Caroline, Revd Simon Wilkinson, Ann Parry, Kath Glover, Molly Hawksworth, Bill, Enid McLaughlin, Diane Eagles, Richard Thomson and Tessa Bremner Macdonald.
- those who have died, especially Millie.

UKRAINE

Donations towards the Disasters Emergency Committee appeal fund for Ukranian refugees can be made in both churches or via https://donation.dec.org.uk/ukraine-humanitarian-appeal £30 provides essential hygiene supplies for three people for a month, £50 provides blankets for four families, £100 can provide emergency food for two families for a month.

PARISH DIARY

Saturday 12 th March	10.00am	Coffee and Chat in the Meeting Room.
Sunday 13 th March	8.00am	Communion at All Saints.
	9.30am	Communion at St George's.
	11.00am	Service of the word at All Saints.
	3.00pm	Messy Church in the Parish Hall.
Tuesday 15 th March	9.00am	Morning Prayer outside at All Saints.
	8.00pm	Lent Talk: Liberation & Justice & Compline at All Saints.
Wednesday 16th March	9.00am	Morning Prayer at St George's.
Saturday 19th March	10.00am	Coffee and Chat in the Meeting Room.
Sunday 20 th March	9.30am	Communion at St George's.
-	11.00am	Service of the Word at All Saints.

FOR INFORMATION

Please note between 21st and 24th March, Harnham Gate will be closed to all cars, bicycles and pedestrians, so that some filming can take place.

Fundraising Talks for Hall Transformation. Places still available.

They will be held in the hall at 7.30pm and the cost will be £7.50 to include a glass of wine.

Wednesday 6th April, Matt Dean - "The Trouble with Novichok".

Wednesday 27th April, "My Mad Moscow Adventure: to Red Square in a red London Double Decker Bus" by David Callard.

Wednesday 18th May, Charles Woodd, "Afghanistan – crossroads of central Asia"

To book a place contact Linda 07925 108856 or email: harnhamparish@btinternet.com.

MOTETS, BLUES AND RIFFS

St John Singers' Spring Concert on Saturday 19 March at 7.30 pm in Salisbury Methodist Church, St Edmund's Church Street. The programme includes motets and anthems by Bruckner, Rachmaninov, Mendelsohn and others, four spirituals arranged by Richard Shephard, two new pieces by Salisbury's Esther Bersweden, an organ solo and contributions by the Close Consort of Recorders. Tickets: £12, including tea, coffee and home-made cakes in the interval. Tickets from Musicroom, Salisbury, or Charles Woodd.

Embracing Iustice

LENT TALKS 2022 – all at 8.00pm in All Saints Church.

Lent talks this year are based on the book Embracing Justice by Isabelle Hamley. 'In a world where justice is so often about power, we learn that God's justice brings transformation, healing and hope for us all.' Archbishop Justin Welby. A simple compline (night prayer) will follow the talks. All are welcome.

Tuesday 15th March Liberation and Justice - Canon David Durston.

<u>Tuesday 22nd March</u> **Building Communities of justice** - Neil Turpin.

<u>Tuesday 29th March</u> **Justice and Jesus** - Canon David Callard.

<u>Tuesday 5th April</u> **Justice and Communion** - Father Michael Camp.

EASTER

We would really like to keep both churches open on Saturday in Holy week (the day before Easter Sunday) for prayer. If you could offer to be in either church as a warden for that day to welcome anyone who comes in please contact the wardens who are putting together a rota of 2 people for each hour slot. The focus will be prayers based around Easter and prayers for PEACE.

If you would like to remember a loved one at Easter by donating towards the cost of a lily flower. Please contact Helen Evans or Val Overton at St George's or Jean Mercer and the flower arrangers at All Saints.

QUEEN'S PLATINUM JUBILEE

- 1. The Parish is planning to hold an **Open Air Service of Commemoration** for the Jubilee on Sunday 5th June at 10.00am on Parsonage Green (tbc). Volunteers are needed to help organise, sing in a scratch choir, and/or steward. If you are interested, please contact Revd Julian on revdjulian@gmail.com.
- 2. Harnham Community Network is planning a **Big Jubilee Picnic** on Sunday 5 June on the Parish Hall field (or in the Hall if wet). Volunteers are needed to help organise in advance and on the day. If you can help, contact Charles Woodd on harnhamcommunity@gmail.com or on 07900 815605.
- 3. **Open Meeting** on Thursday 17th March at 6.30 at Harnham Community Sports and Social Club, to share information about what's being planned. ALL WELCOME, especially if you are planning something in your street, or for Harnham as a whole.

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