



# The Mid-Wyedean Churches

serving Coleford, Broadwell, Clearwell, Newland, Redbrook, Staunton and surrounding areas.



1<sup>st</sup> January 2017

## Naming & Circumcision of Jesus

Welcome!

Time	Place	This Week	Next Week
09:30	All Saints Newland	United Parish Eucharist	9.30am Eucharist <b>BC</b>
09.30	All Saints Staunton	<b>10.30am</b>	No Service
09:30	St J's @ St MM Coleford	Good Shepherd	9.30am Word <b>AW</b>
11.00	Good Shepherd B'well	Broadwell	11am Eucharist <b>AW</b>
11.00	St Peter's Clearwell	<b>AW</b>	11am Word/Baptism <b>SB</b>
15:00	St Saviour's Redbrook	NB this is the only service in the parish today	No Service

### Readings

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Numbers 6.22-27	134	Isaiah 60.1-6	717
Psalms 8	522	Psalms 72.[1-9]10-15	563
Galatians 4.4-7	202	Ephesians 3.1-12	206
Luke 2.15-21	62	Matthew 2.1-12	1

### Prayers:

**In your prayers this week, please pray for:** Those who are known to you that need our special prayers at this time.



✠ **For the sick, anxious and housebound:** Please let Sarah know names of anyone who would be happy to be added to the list. Names on this list will be removed after four appearances unless someone asks for them to remain listed. Thank you.

✠ **For those who mourn,** especially for the families & friends of Ada Beddis who has recently died and also of Violet Barrow whose anniversary of death falls around this time.

*Do please let Sarah know of any prayers answered, or any changes to the lists that might be needed. Thanks.*

### Collect for today:

Almighty God, whose blessed Son was circumcised in obedience to the law for our sake and given the Name that is above every name: give us grace faithfully to bear his Name, to worship him in the freedom of the Spirit, and to proclaim him as the Saviour of the world; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

### Post Communion

Eternal God, whose incarnate Son was given the Name of Saviour: grant that we who have shared in this sacrament of our salvation may live out our years in the power of the Name above all other names, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

## News and notices...

**Don't forget to hand in your Quiz sheet:** Jean Smith has put together a fun quiz sheet to help raise funds. Cost is £2 and prize £25. So why not buy one (or two) and have some fun over the Christmas period. Available in your local Church. If there is a tie then names will be put in a hat. Closing date

**Birthdays:** Many Happy Returns & may God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

**Banns: SPC Gemma Laskey & Sean Smith.** (First time of asking) (Read at Good Shepherd)

**New Service pattern:** Please note that we have now started our new service pattern. Today is a United Parish Service. Next week there are Eucharist services at All Saints, Newland and The Good Shepherd, a service of the Word (non Eucharist) at St Margaret Mary and a Baptism service at St Peter's Clearwell.

### This week's regular meetings:

Mon 2<sup>nd</sup> Bank holiday

Tues 3<sup>rd</sup> 8.15am @ All Saints, Newland. Morning Prayer. All Welcome  
2:30pm CAMEO meets at the Good Shepherd

Weds 4<sup>th</sup> 8.30am @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell. Morning Prayer. All welcome.  
12 noon Meet and Eat @ White Horse, Staunton. All welcome.

Thurs 5<sup>th</sup> 7.30pm House Group at Alis and Edwina's home

Fri 6<sup>th</sup> 2pm @ GSB/Coleford Funeral of Ada Beddis

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