



# Mid-Wydean Churches

Serving Coleford, Broadwell, Clearwell, Newland,  
Redbrook, Staunton and surrounding areas



20<sup>th</sup> March 2016 - Palm Sunday

Welcome!

Time	Place	This week	Next week
09:30	All Saints Newland	United Parish Palm Sunday Eucharist <b>10.30AM</b> <b>All Saints, Newland</b> Please note that this is the only service today	SB
09:30	All Saints Staunton		No Service
09:30	St J's @ St MM Coleford		No Service
11:00	Good Shepherd B'well		AW
11:00	St Peter's Clearwell		BC
11:00	St Saviour's Redbrook		SB Pse note new time

### Readings

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<b>Liturgy of the Palms:</b> Luke 19.28-40; Psalm 118.1-2,19-29* <b>Liturgy of the Passion:</b> Isaiah 50.4-9a; Psalm 31.9-16* Philippians 2.5-11 Luke 22.14 - 23.56 or Luke 23.1-49		Acts 10.34-43	
		Psalm 118.1-2,14-24*	
		1 Corinthians 15.19-26	
		John 20.1-18 or Luke 24.1-1	

### Prayers: In your prayers this week, please pray for:

☩ **For the sick, anxious and housebound:** especially David Jones.

*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 and friends of Raymond McCarthy and Queenie Burton who have recently died and also of any 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 and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever..

**Amen**

Or

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. **Amen**

### Post Communion Prayer:

Lord Jesus Christ, you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant, and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation: give us the mind to follow you and to proclaim you as Lord and King, to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

### News and notices...

#### Holy Week Services in the Parish

**Mon 21<sup>st</sup>:** 7pm Eucharist at the Good Shepherd, Broadwell

**Tues 22<sup>nd</sup>** 12noon Eucharist at St Peter's Clearwell

7pm final Tuesday lent group at Christchurch

**Wed 23<sup>rd</sup>** 1.30pm Redbrook School Easter Service at St Saviour, Redbrook

2pm Clearwell School Easter Service at St Peter's, Clearwell

7pm Eucharist at St Margaret Mary, Coleford

**Thurs 24<sup>th</sup>** **Maundy Thursday: 11am** Chrism Service at Gloucester Cathedral

2pm St John's Academy Easter Service at Coleford Baptist Church

7pm Service with Foot Washing @ Christchurch

**Fri 25<sup>th</sup>** **Good Friday: 11am** Churches together service on the Tump.

2pm: Last hour at the Cross service @ The Good Shepherd

**Sat 26<sup>th</sup>** 7.30 Service of Story-telling and Reflection @ St Margaret Mary

**Sun 27<sup>th</sup>** **Easter Sunday** – Please see service times. **Please note that there are no Easter Services at All Saints Church, Staunton and St Margaret Mary.**

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> March** – Easter Monday @ 10 – 12noon Hot Cross buns and coffee at the Good Shepherd. Church open all day to view Easter Flowers.

**Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April @ 7pm.** Quiz night at Clearwell Memorial Hall, £5 to include ploughman's supper. Please come along to support this Parish fund raiser and bring your friends and families to what will be a fun evening!

**Birthdays:** 22<sup>nd</sup> Mar Lilian Worgan GS; 23<sup>rd</sup> Mar Terry Bovill StJ; 26<sup>th</sup> Mar Jane Kidger StJ; 26<sup>th</sup> Mar Pat Shuttleworth StS. Many Happy Returns & may God bless you on your birthday, and in the year to come!

**Banns:** ASN Bethanie BURFORD & William HOBBS (Third time of reading).

### This week's regular meetings

Mon 21

Tues 22 7pm Lent Group at Christchurch – King David

Weds 23 8:30am @ GS Morning Prayer - all welcome

14:30 Funeral of Raymond McCarthy at FODC

Thurs 24 14:30 Funeral of Queenie Burton at FODC

Faith Group Supper

Fri 25

### Advance dates (for more info please ask):

**23 April - 10am-Noon:** St George's Day Coffee Morning, Church of the Good Shepherd, Broadwell. Proceeds to Parish Funds

**Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April @ ASN** – United Parish Eucharist followed by APCM

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