



The Mid-Wydean Churches

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



26th February 2017 – Next Before Lent

Welcome!

Time	Place	This week	Next Week
09:30	All Saints Newland	No Service	No Service
09.30	All Saints Staunton	9.30am Euch AW	4pm Evening service SB
09:30	St J's @ St MM Coleford	9.30am Word WW/SB	9.30am Eucharist SB
11.00	Good Shepherd B'well	11am Euch BC	11am Word AW/DH
11.00	St Peter's Clearwell	11am Word CY/AW	11am Euch BC
16:00	St Saviour's Redbrook	4pm Euch SB/MB	No Service

Readings

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Exodus 24.12-18	75	Genesis 2.15-17; 3.1-7	2
Psalms 2 or Psalm 99	519/581	Psalms 32	536
2 Peter 1.16-21	254	Romans 5.12-19	166
Matthew 17.1-9	19	Matthew 4.1-11	3

Prayers:

In your prayers this week, please pray for: Jessica Chance.

✠ **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 those who have recently died and also of Pearl Pendry and Lyndon Dowle 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 Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**
Or

Holy God, you know the disorder of our sinful lives: set straight our crooked hearts, and bend our wills to love your goodness and your glory in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

News and notices...

Monday 27th February – 6.30pm St John's Congregation LCC at St Margaret Mary Hall

Tuesday 28th February: 7pm 'Pancake and Beetles' at St Margaret Mary Hall. Tickets still available!

Wednesday 1st March – 10am Ash Wednesday Service. There will be an Ash Wednesday Eucharist service at the Good Shepherd this morning. All welcome.

Friday 3rd March @ 2pm. Women's World Day of Prayer service at the Mount of Olives Church. All welcome (not just women!) Refreshments served afterwards.

Tuesday 7th March @ 7pm. 'Lent Reflections' @ Christchurch. The first of a series of reflections for Lent. This will follow the pattern of previous years with different speakers each week. More details next week. Our own house-groups will continue as usual during Lent.

Saturday 11th March: 4.30pm @ Gloucester Cathedral. The Collation and Installation of the Venerable Phil Andrew as Archdeacon of Cheltenham followed by refreshments. Everyone is welcome to attend and if you would like to attend can you please email (for numbers for catering) to events@glosdioc.org.uk

Birthdays: 1st March Davida Morgan ASN; Many Happy Returns! May God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

Banns:

This week's regular meetings:

Mon 27th

Tues 28th 8.15am @ All Saints, Newland. Morning Prayer. All welcome.

Weds 1st 8.30am @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell. Morning Prayer. All welcome.
10am @ GSB Ash Wednesday service – All welcome.

12.00 @ White Horse, Staunton. Meet and Eat. All welcome

Thurs 2nd 7.30pm House group at Alis and Edwina's home. All Welcome

Fri 3rd Mar

Dates for your diaries: More details will be published nearer the time.

Friday 24th March – Lent Lunch 12 – 2pm @ The Good Shepherd.

Sunday 9th April – Palm Sunday Parish service followed by the APCM

Monday 17th April – Easter Monday Cake stall @ the Parish Office

Saturday 6th May – Plant and Cake stall with refreshments @ The Good Shepherd.

Sunday and Monday 28th & 29th May – Parish Flower Festival @ All Saints, Newland. **'Lets Celebrate!'**

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