

11th March 2018 – Mothering Sunday

Welcome!

Place	This Week	Next Week
All Saints Newland	No service	4pm Evening prayer BE
All Saints Staunton	No Service	No Service
St J's @ St MM Coleford	9.30am Eucharist with Bishop Robert	9.30am Eucharist BC
Good Shepherd B'well	11am Eucharist BC	11am Word DH
St Peter's Clearwell	11am Celebration of Baptism Service with Bishop Robert	11am Eucharist BC
St Saviour's Redbrook	4pm AAW/ship MB	No Service

Readings

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		Jeremiah 31.31-34	762
		Psalms 51.1-13 or 119.9-16	550/595
NT Reading - Colossians 3:12-17	216	Hebrews 5.5-10	235
Gospel Reading - John 19:25b-27	122	John 12.20-33	114

Prayers: In your prayers this week, please pray for: Ivy Harris

✠ **For the sick, anxious and housebound:** Please let Alan or Alison 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. Do please let Alan or Alison know of any prayers answered, or any changes to the lists that might be needed. Thank you



✠ **For those who mourn** Especially the family and friends of Linda Jamieson & Dorothy Hinton who have recently died and also of Dennis Tippett & Leonard Hart whose anniversary of death falls around this time.

Collect for today:

God of compassion, whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary, shared the life of a home in Nazareth, and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself: strengthen us in our daily living that in joy and in sorrow we may know the power of your presence to bind together and to heal; 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)

God of love, passionate and strong, tender and careful: watch over us and hold us all the days of our life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion:

Loving God, as a mother feeds her children at the breast you feed us in this sacrament with the food and drink of eternal life: help us who have tasted your goodness to grow in grace within the household of faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

News and notices...

Lent Lunches – 12 noon on 16th & 23rd March @ Good Shepherd Broadwell.

Women's World Day of Prayer – @ 2pm on Friday 16th March @ St Margaret Mary. Please note new date.

Lent Group – each Tuesday in Lent @ Christchurch @ 7 for 7.30pm

Easter Monday – We are having a cake stall outside Church on the Street on Easter Monday during the Festival of Transport so will need lots of cakes! If you are able to bake a cake for us or volunteer an hour or so of your time to help on the stall that would be wonderful! Please let me know if you can help!

Holy Week Services:

Mon 26th March @ 11am @ St Peter's Church, Clearwell

Tues 27th March @ 11am Eucharist @ All Saints Church, Staunton

Wed 28th March @ 7pm Joint service with RC congregation @ St Margaret Mary
Thurs 29th March @ 7pm Maundy Thursday service with washing of feet @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell.

Saturday 31st @ 8pm Easter Vigil & first Eucharist of Easter @ St Margaret Mary

United Parish Services for 2018

25th March @ 10.30am - Palm Sunday Eucharist @ All Saints, Newland.

27th May @ 10.30am – Baptism of Isaac Bick at All Saints Church, Newland

1st July @ 10.30am – Patronal Day at St Peter's Church, Clearwell

30th September @ 10.30am – Harvest Festival at Good Shepherd, Broadwell

4th November @ 10.30am – All Saints Day at All Saints Church, Staunton

30th December @ 10.30am – Good Shepherd, Broadwell

Birthdays: 12th March Phyl Phelps GS; 14th Sue Brain StJ. Many Happy Returns and may God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

Banns: SPC. Richard Butcher & Eleanor Joseph; Sarah Morgan & Gary McKenzie (First time of calling)

This week's regular meetings:

Mon 12th

Tues 13th 2pm Prophetic Art @ Church on the Street

Weds 14th 8.30am @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell. Morning Prayer
2pm @ St Peter's Clearwell, Funeral of Linda Jamieson

Thurs 15th 1pm @ Good Shepherd Broadwell Funeral of Dorothy Hinton
No Craft Club today @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell

7.30pm – Hot Potato discussion evening. Please note change of venue to **Church on the Street.**

Fri 16th 12 noon Lent Lunch @ Good Shepherd, Broadwell

Sat 17th 10 – 12 Coffee and Chat @ St Margaret Mary Hall

4.30pm Mustard Tree meets @ St John's Primary Academy

Dates for your Diaries (more details will be given nearer the time)

6th/7th May – Parish Flower Festival @ St Peter's, Clearwell. 'Leisure Pursuits'. If you would like to do a flower arrangement, please call Betty on 562680.

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