

27th January 2019 – 4th Sunday of Epiphany

Welcome!

Place	This Week	Next Week
All Saints Newland	No Service	No Service
All Saints Staunton	9.30am Eucharist SB	4pm Evening prayer DH LCC after service
St J's @ St MM Coleford	9.30am Word AH/EB @ Church on the Street	9.30am Eucharist SB LCC after service
Good Shepherd B'well	11am Eucharist SB	11am Word CH LCC after service
St Peter's Clearwell	11am Word CY LCC after service	11am Eucharist BC
St Saviour's Redbrook	4pm Eucharist SB	No service

Readings

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Nehemiah 8.1-3,5-6,8-10	461	Malachi 3.1-5	926
Psalms 19	528	Psalms 24.[1-6]7-10	532
1 Corinthians 12.12-31a	186	Hebrews 2.14-18	234
Luke 4.14-21	65	Luke 2.22-40	63

Prayers: In your prayers this week, please pray for: Steve Woolstencroft.

For the sick, anxious and housebound:

Please let Sarah 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 Sarah 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 Harold Bennett who has recently died and also Barbara Lincoln and Mary Barnett whose anniversary of death falls around this time.

Collect for today:

God our creator, who in the beginning commanded the light to shine out of darkness: we pray that the light of the glorious gospel of Christ may dispel the darkness of ignorance and unbelief, shine into the hearts of all your people, and reveal the knowledge of your glory in the face of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.** (Or)

God of heaven, you send the gospel to the ends of the earth and your messengers to every nation: send your Holy Spirit to transform us by the good news of everlasting life in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Post Communion:

Generous Lord, in word and eucharist we have proclaimed the mystery of your love: help us so to live out our days that we may be signs of your wonders in the world; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen.**

News and notices...

Sarah and Alan. Now that Sarah has returned full time from her Maternity Leave and Alan has resumed his House for Duty hours I thought I would let you know their working hours and days off. Sarah will now be having Monday as her day off and Alan will be keeping Tuesday as his. Alan will be working part time from now until his retirement at the beginning of May. Sarah is back full time and will be working from both the Vicarage and Church on the Street. From February she is hoping to be at Church on the Street on most Tuesdays between 10.30 and 1pm and from this week will be here most Fridays from 10.30 – 12.30. There will obviously be occasions when she has meetings and other Parish commitments, but this is the general plan.

I will continue to be at Church on the Street Monday to Thursday 9 – 1pm & 2 – 4pm. If I need to be out and about around the parish I tend to do this in an afternoon so may not always be in the office after lunch.

Friday 1st March – **WORLD DAY OF PRAYER** (PREVIOUSLY CALLED "WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER") - Please put Friday 1st March 2019, 2.00pm, in your diaries and come and join us at Coalway Methodist Pishgah Chapel for our service. "Come - Everything is Ready" a service prepared by Christian Women of Slovenia. Everyone welcome

Birthdays: 27th Jan Alan Wearmouth; 29th Jan Lesley Wearmouth GSB. Many Happy Returns and may God bless you this week, and in the year to come!

Banns: SPC

This week's regular meetings:

Mon 28th

Tues 29th 8.15am Morning Prayer @ All Saints Newland
11am @ SPC Funeral of Harold Bennett

Weds 30th 8.45am Morning Prayer @ Church on the Street, Coleford

Thurs 31st 12.30 Mid-week Eucharist @ Church on the Street

1.30pm Craft Group @ The Good Shepherd. All Welcome

Fri 1st

Future Dates for your diaries:

Friday 8th March – First Lent Lunch @ The Good Shepherd Broadwell, weekly for the 6 Fridays in Lent.

Saturday 8th June – cakes and help required for tea stall at NGS open garden in Newland

Saturday and Sunday 29th and 30th June – Parish Flower Festival at All Saints Church, Staunton

Saturday 29th June – Forest of Dean Orchestra Summer Concert at All Saints Church, Newland.

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