

21st February 2021
First Sunday of Lent



MOSES AND THE TORAH



Sunday's service will be live via Zoom at 10.30am.

Weekly Email

The email this week will have the following:

- Notices
- Reflection
- An overview of Exodus
- Service Sheet and Zoom link for the live Sunday service
- Service sheet and Zoom link for compline
- Shrove Tuesday Quiz sheet

PRAYER

Heavenly Father,
your Son battled with the powers of darkness,
and grew close to you in the desert:
help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer
that we may witness to your saving love
in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

READINGS

Exodus - take your time to read this book this month!

Exodus 20 v 1-17

Mark 1: 9-15

Would you please PRAY for:

- ❖ the Church of the Province of Central Africa.
- ❖ Episcopal churches in South Sudan and Sudan especially for the Rt Revd Michael Deng Bol in the diocese of Abyei.
- ❖ all the parishes in the Weymouth and Portland Deanery.
- ❖ Fair Trade fortnight, (22nd Feb – 7th March) and aid organisations in their campaigning for trade justice.
- ❖ the World Health Organisation, hospital staff, paramedics, care workers and key workers and all who are suffering from the Corona Virus.
- ❖ those who live in Downton Road and Milton Road.
- ❖ those who are sick, and all who care for them especially Rita Jacob, Ann Baker, Marion Webb, Angela Mould, Neil (not Neil Turpin), Revd Brian Coleman, Revd Simon Wilkinson, Ann Parry, Kath Glover, Paul James, Raymond Smith, Molly Hawksworth, Bill, Enid McLaughlan, Mike Pointer and Mary Cooke.
- ❖ those who have died especially Bernard Shaw, Louisa Pritchard, Gillian Hill, and Rosemary Price (Ben Elliot's sister).

Lent in Harnham

You have been emailed a leaflet of Bible readings and reflections for the whole of Lent - please use them to reflect and pray. If you need a hard copy please let Linda Baker know.

Tuesdays in Lent Zoom compline at 8.00pm, with a short reflection on the Way of Love themes.

Wednesdays Morning prayer at 9.00am via Zoom.

Sunday Worship 10.30am via Zoom. You will be sent a link in your weekly emails. The reflection for that day will be recorded for HarnhamParish YouTube and the reflection sheet will be sent out weekly via email. There will also be a generic Lenten communion service for the whole of Lent.



Lent Collection

This year we are encouraging you to fill a jam jar with change to support the work of the parish and the Hall Transformation Project.

HELP IS AVAILABLE if you aren't able to get out and need shopping done or prescriptions collected. Contact Charles Woodd (Harnham Community Network) mobile: 07900 815605 or harnhamcommunity@gmail.com, and we'll find a nearby volunteer to help.

DIARY

Sunday 21st **Live worship** via ZOOM at 10.30am.
Monday 22nd **Zoom discussion** about Exodus; note new time 6.30-7.30pm.
Tuesday 23rd **Lent Compline** 8.00pm via ZOOM.
Wednesday 24th **Morning Prayer** 9.00am via ZOOM.
Meeting room open for **clothes drop off** – 2.30pm (for 30 minutes).
Sunday 28th **Live worship** via ZOOM at 10.30am.
City wide day of prayer.

Citywide Prayer & Fasting on Sunday 28th February (7.30pm – 9.00pm)

Churches Together in Salisbury are planning a Citywide Prayer and Fasting. The plan will be to have a short time of worship, and then having different people leading us in prayer for different areas. They believe there will be great power in believers coming together in unity and crying out to our Father for breakthrough in our City.

Topic: Day of Prayer and Fasting for our CityTime: Feb 28, 2021 19:30 London

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/88520203054?pwd=bmhPUG9LMjRVM2hXRG95cDJNZmhlQT09>

Meeting ID: 885 2020 3054

Passcode: 423050



Hi Everyone. Please give me a call or email snippets of news I can pass on to others to make them good, smile or to give ideas of things to do. Thank you.
Linda: 07925 108856 harnhamparish@btinternet.com

Firstly we have say a big thank you to:

- **Ian Davidson** for the lovely daffodil photo for this week's notice sheet.
- **everyone** who responded to the Harnham Laptops for Home Learning appeal. This was to help provide technology to support home learning for disadvantaged pupils at our Church Junior school in Harnham. The great news is that we reached our target of £700 and that should enable the school to support two further pupils. That's a really great response in less than a week. Thank you for this generosity. Revd Becky Roberts and Revd Michael Camp.
- **everyone** so far who has donated bags of clothes to the Hall Transformation Fund collection. As you can see by the photograph it's looking good. The meeting room will be opened up again on Wednesday 24th February, 2.30pm for 30 minutes to enable you to drop off clothes on your exercise or essential travel. If this is not convenient or you need someone to collect a bag or two please let Linda know ASAP as the clothes are being collected by the organising company early on Friday 26th February.



Those who took part in the Shrove Tuesday **Quiz** enjoyed the evening and Neil felt others would probably like to have a go too. So attached to this week's email are the Quiz questions. Answers will be sent out next week. (Quiz master Neil has them currently under lock and key!).

World Day of Prayer 2021

The Reverend Ana Gobledale of Salisbury URC is hosting a united Zoom service on **Friday 5th March at 3.00pm**. The service is open to everyone able to access Zoom (or to listen through the landline). Hear about the experience of Christian women in Vanuatu in the South Pacific, who have written the service. The theme is 'Build on a Strong Foundation' and there will be music, prayer and reflection. There will be an offering, with donations collected online if possible.

Access details are as follows: <https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89501586685> Meeting ID: 895 0158 6685

To listen by phone, dial 0131 460 1196.