

10th March 2024 Mothering Sunday

READINGS

Exodus 2: 1-10 **P50** John 19: 25b-27 **P111**



PRAYER FOR THE DAY

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 PRAYER

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.

Please PRAY for:

All mothers, those who nurture, and those working with families: children's centres, toddler groups, playgroups and Contact Centres.

- peace between Russia and Ukraine and Palestine and Israel those who have died, those who
 mourn, those who seek refuge. Wisdom for all who lead.
- the Episcopal Church in the USA.
- the Episcopal Churches in South Sudan and Sudan, especially for The Most Revd Moses Anur Ayom, Archbishop of Jonglei & Bishop of Bor in South Sudan.
- all the parishes in the Poole and North Bournemouth Deanery.
- all wildlife that lives in the boundaries of our parish.
- Friends of Harnham Slope, Water Meadows, Lime Kiln and Middle Street nature areas.
- those who live in Britford Lane and St Clair Road.
- Harnham C of E Junior School and the recruitment and appointment of a new headteacher; the after school club launched for Easter stories and crafts and 25 students who will attend.
- those who are sick, and all who care for them, especially Kath G, Simon W, Pam J, Anne B, Margaret R, Sharon S, Sam, and King Charles III.
- those who have died especially Brenda, Jill Jacob, Ian Hobday, Anita Pheby, Peter Clarke, Sheila Rolfe and those who have died in Israel and Palestine.

The memorial service for Jill Jacob will take place at 11.00am in St George's Church on 20th March. Please keep Heather Hobday, and sons Sean, Mark and Guy and their families in your prayers.

PARISH DIARY		
Saturday 9 th	10.00am	Coffee and Chat in the Meeting Room.
Sunday 10 th	8.00am	Communion. All Saints.
	9.30am	Traditional Mothering Sunday Communion. St George's.
	10.45am	Refreshments followed by a short all age service, including music,
		reflective activities and prayers. A Messy Mother's Day! All Welcome.
Tuesday 12 th	9.00am	Morning Prayer. All Saints.
	7.00pm	Standing committee. Meeting Room.
	8.00pm	Compline (night prayer). All Saints.
Wednesday	9.00am	Morning Prayer. St George's.
13 th	10.00am	Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room.
Thursday 14 th	7.30pm	Pause for Prosecco- women's discussion group. Meeting Room.
Saturday 16 th	10.00am	Coffee and Chat. Meeting Room.
Sunday 17 th	9.30am	Communion. St George's.
	10.45am	Coffee, discussion & Lectio Divina style reflection on the Word. All Saints.

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<u>Yipee! Thank you</u> to all who have given generous sponsorship for crosses for Harnham C of E Junior school prayer spaces. We are now able to buy 14 crosses.

Revd Becky.

EASTER LILIES FOR REMEMBRANCE

If you would like to remember a loved one by funding a lily in the Easter flower arrangements,



please add your name, with the name of your loved one, to the list in either church, and donate £5 per lily to Margaret Jackson in All Saints, or Charles Woodd in St George's, or put an envelope through the Parish Office door, in cash or cheque to Harnham PCC, or by bank transfer to: Harnham PCC, sort code: 30-97-41, account no: 00557482, reference: Easter lilies. Please complete by 22 March.

Notelets of St George's and All Saints

We have a supply of cards of All Saints and St George's churches, from the late Ann James for sale. They are 50p each. Cards are available in each church. These are also a good souvenir for those who come into church when our churches are open.

Rambling Harnham Players

Rambling Harnham Players are taking part in the First Wednesday Talks on November 6th, reading a "Play for Voices" by Dylan Thomas. Many "volunteers" from both congregations have agreed to read a part but we welcome anyone else who would like to join us.

No rehearsal (do you think that's wise ?), no learning of lines, simply reading from a script. Coarse actors especially welcome!

Please let Michael Turner know if you are interested asap, 01722 504000 or sarum.turners@ntlworld.com: he would be absolutely delighted if you would care to join the merry band.

PASSION TIDE AND HOLY WEEK IN HARNHAM PARISH

Tuesday 19 th	8.00pm	Stations of the Cross. A meditation on Jesus that links the stations of the
Tucsday 15	0.00pm	cross and climate justice. (30 mins)
Sunday 24 th	8.00am	
,		BCP Holy Communion. All Saints.
Palm Sunday	9.45am	We gather by Old Mill Pub "pond" for the Palm procession to St George's.
	10.00am	United Communion at St George's. We listen to the last days of Jesus life
		and share communion.
Wednesday	3.00-	As it is Holy Week the Parish Office will be open today between 3-4.30pm
27th	4.30pm	instead of Friday. The Weekly Notice Sheet will also be sent out on this
		day too.
Maundy	7.00pm	Communion with foot washing. St George's followed by
Thursday		"Watch of Prayer" (8.00-10.00pm). A quiet time of short meditations to pray
		as we remember Jesus in Gethsemane.
Good Friday	9.15am	Meditation on the Cross. St George's. 45 minute service, Taize chants,
_		hymns and Bible readings to aid our focus on Jesus' death on the cross.
	11.00am	Good Friday family time. Activities, food, songs and stories for all ages.
		For those interested there is a Good Friday Walk of Witness in Salisbury.
		They will be processing from the West Door of the Cathedral to the Guildhall
		Square led by the Salvation Army Band commencing at 11.00am.
Holy Saturday		All Saints and St George's will be open for quiet prayer.
Easter Sunday	8.00am	Said Communion and lighting of Easter Fire. All Saints.
	9.30am	Traditional Family Communion. St George's.
	10.30am	Family Egg Hunt, refreshments and Easter worship with communion after
		the peace. All Saints.
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