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Prayers for People

We continue to pray for: Anthony Jefferson, Tony Basden, Doreen Tosh, Pauline Illott, Christopher and Catherine Browne, Jim Cramsie, Betty Kendall and Di Smith.

Deanery Prayer Cycle

Walbury Beacon

Matthew Cookson, Sue Webster

Lay leader: Jenny Veasey

St. Michael Inkpen, St. Swithin Combe, St. Michael Enborne, St. Mary Hamstead Marshall, St. Laurence West Woodhay, St. Mary the Virgin Kintbury with Avington

Notices & Diary Dates

Coffee Pot Café - Eastbury

"As a mark of respect and to enable those in Eastbury who wish to attend Tessa Rushforth's funeral to do so, the next Coffee Pot Café at St. James due the same morning (20 June) has been cancelled."

9th July 2017 Sea Sunday

At both of our services on 9th July we shall celebrate Sea Sunday and special envelopes will be available for your gift to Missions to Seamen. If you are not able to attend either service but would like to contribute please let Martin know and he will let you have an envelope.

Please send items for inclusion in the Lambourn Valley Welcome by 4.00pm on Wednesday at the latest to both: (Please start Subject Line with VW)
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Lambourn Valley Welcome

St James the Greater Eastbury
All Saints East Garston
St Michael & All Angels Lambourn

Sunday 18th June 2017 First Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to everyone!
We are glad to have you join us
as we worship God in this church.

The Week Ahead

Today:

8.00am Holy Communion BCP Lambourn
9.30am Family Communion Eastbury
11.00am Family Service + Baptisms Lambourn
Presley William John Kalinowski - Withers
Charlotte Annie Rose Kalinowska - Withers

Monday:

9.30am Prayers Lambourn
10.00am Parents & Toddlers Lambourn
7.30pm PCC Eastbury

Tuesday:

11.30am Funeral Lambourn
Mrs Tessa Rushforth
2.45pm Assembly Lambourn School
7.30pm Matthew House Group
Paddock View Lambourn

Wednesday:

11.30am Holy Communion Harris Close
2.30pm Funeral Eastbury
Mr David Bobin

Friday:

10.00am Pram Service Lambourn

Next Sunday 25th June 2017 Second Sunday after Trinity

9.00am Family Communion East Garston
10.30am Sung Eucharist Lambourn
6.30pm Evensong Eastbury

Readings

Jeremiah 20:7 - 13; Romans 6:1b - 11;
Matthew 10:24 - 39.

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2nd July 2017 2.30pm

Lambourn Church Fete

Do come and support St Michael & All Angels Church Fete.

9th July 2017 - 3-5pm Baptism Celebration Family Picnic Vicarage Garden. See inside sheet for details.

Prayers and Readings



The Collect for Today

O God,
the strength of all those who put their trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our mortal
nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in will and deed;
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.

Short Collect

God of truth,
help us to keep your law of love
and to walk in ways of wisdom,
that we may find true life
in Jesus Christ your Son.

Exodus 19:2 - 8a

They had journeyed from Rephidim, entered the wilderness of Sinai, and camped in the wilderness; Israel camped there in front of the mountain. Then Moses went up to God; the Lord called to him from the mountain, saying, 'Thus you shall say to the house of Jacob, and tell the Israelites: You have seen what I did to the Egyptians, and how I bore you on eagles' wings and brought you to myself. Now therefore, if you obey my voice and keep my covenant, you shall be my treasured possession out of all the peoples. Indeed, the whole earth is mine, but you shall be for me a priestly kingdom and a holy nation. These are the words that you shall speak to the Israelites.'

So Moses came, summoned the elders of the people, and set before them all these words that the Lord had commanded him. The people all answered as one: 'Everything that the Lord has spoken we will do.' Moses reported the words of the people to the Lord.

Romans 5:1 – 8

Therefore, since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God through our Lord Jesus Christ, through whom we have obtained access to this grace in which we stand; and we boast in our hope of sharing the glory of God. And not only that, but we also boast in our sufferings, knowing that suffering produces endurance, and endurance produces character, and character produces hope, and hope does not disappoint us, because God's love has been poured into our hearts through the Holy Spirit that has been given to us.

For while we were still weak, at the right time Christ died for the ungodly. Indeed, rarely will anyone die for a righteous person—though perhaps for a good person someone might actually dare to die. But God proves his love for us in that while we still were sinners Christ died for us.

Matthew 9:35 - 10:8

Then Jesus went about all the cities and villages, teaching in their synagogues, and proclaiming the good news of the kingdom, and curing every disease and every sickness. When he saw the crowds, he had compassion for them, because they were harassed and helpless, like sheep without a shepherd. Then he said to his disciples, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest.'

Then Jesus summoned his twelve disciples and gave them authority over unclean spirits, to cast them out, and to cure every disease and every sickness. These are the names of the twelve apostles: first, Simon, also known as Peter, and his brother Andrew; James son of Zebedee, and his brother John; Philip and Bartholomew; Thomas and Matthew the tax-collector; James son of Alphaeus, and Thaddaeus; Simon the Cananaean, and Judas Iscariot, the one who betrayed him.

These twelve Jesus sent out with the following instructions: 'Go nowhere among the Gentiles, and enter no town of the Samaritans, but go rather to the lost sheep of the house of Israel. As you go, proclaim the good news, "The kingdom of heaven has come near." Cure the sick, raise the dead, cleanse the lepers, cast out demons. You received without payment; give without payment.

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal Father,
we thank you for nourishing us
with these heavenly gifts:
may our communion strengthen us in faith,
build us up in hope,
and make us grow in love;
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Notices & Diary Dates

"Baptism Celebration Family Picnic- July 9th-3-5pm-Vicarage Garden.

We are inviting all families who have had young children baptised over the last five years to attend a picnic on Sunday 9th July. We are also inviting all families from the Toddler group and Pram Service.

The purpose is to extend the hand of friendship and support to these families and to let them know the church is here to support baptised children and their families. Please encourage any families you know to attend. We will need some help with set up, catering and hospitality so if anyone is available to help please let Christine Allsopp (674108 or venchrisallsopp@gmail.com) or Ruth Honey (71588 or rhoney56@aol.com) know."
