

Prayer & Worship

6th March 2022

LENT 1

Theme: Bible Society
Bible Series



Topic: Exodus and Freedom

Readings: Deuteronomy 26: 1-11; Luke 4: 1-13

Evensong: Jonah 3; Luke 18: 9-14

Collect: Heavenly Father,
your Son battled with the powers of darkness,
and grew closer 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.

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Communion

Anthem: O most merciful by Münster Gesangbuch

Voluntary: Herr, ich habe missgehandelt by Marpurg

Live streamed from our YouTube channel – see
www.lymingtonchurch.org

Refreshments in the hall

11.00am Life & Soul

3.00pm Choral Evensong for Lent

Introit: God be in my head by Walford

Canticles: Fauxbourdons by Morley

Anthem: Hide not thou thy face by Farrant

Voluntary: Toccata in F major by Buxtehude

4.00pm Lent Course – STH

FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

Our World: Peace in Ukraine.

Church: The Anglican Church of Korea.

Our Parish: Those who live and work in The Cloisters,
The Rampart, Tithe Barn, Trafalgar Place. Our search for
a new administrator. Poetry Corner (organiser Sarah
Standage).

Sick: David Burns, Sarah Heulin, Clive Rigden and
all who are unwell.

Departed: Wendy Maynard, Patricia Rashleigh.

Year's Mind: *Please give names to the parish office.*

WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Monday 7th March

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

[Click here for direct link to meeting](#)

Or from a landline phone: 0203 481 5240

Meeting ID: 895 2990 2640 Passcode: 2020

12noon Monday Lunch – STH

Tuesday 8th March

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Toddler Group – STH

11.00am Taketime Meditation

Zoom link as for 9am prayer

5.00pm Meet the Vicar (by appointment) – STC

Wednesday 9th March

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Poetry Corner – on Zoom this week

11.00am Holy Communion – STC

Thursday 10th March

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

10.00am Vistas Café – STH

10.00am Stitch and Knit – STH

Friday 11th March

9.00am Zoom Morning Prayer

7.00pm Choir Practice – STC

Saturday 12th March

9.00am Prayer for the work of the parish

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NEXT SUNDAY 13th MARCH LENT 2

Theme: Bible Society Bible Series

Topic: Exile and Peace

Readings: Psalm 137: 1-6

Luke 13: 31-35

8.00am Early Communion

9.15am Choral Matins

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11.00am Life & Soul

3.00pm Baptism of Mason – STC

4.00pm Lent Course – STH

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

19 March Spring Concert, Hampshire County Youth
Orchestra, Choir, and Flute Choir, 7.30pm,
STC

23 April Nova Foresta Concert, 7.30pmm STC

News

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Aid for Ukraine: The government has announced it will double any donation you give to the Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC) humanitarian appeal for Ukraine. Full details at www.dec.org.uk.

COVID Restrictions: The data on COVID continues to indicate that severe illness is extremely unlikely for those who are fully vaccinated, so **wearing masks in church is now voluntary and there is no restriction on the number attending.** Common sense precautions will be even more important: avoiding handshakes, washing hands, and above all keeping away from people when we have ANY infectious illness. Our general health has been much better because of these simple measures.

Peter



Lent Course, Experience a Better Story: continues this Sunday 6th March, 4pm in St.Thomas hall then every Sunday afternoon till

Sunday 3rd April. Everyone welcome, no prior knowledge required!

Lent Course also at the URC: if Sunday afternoon doesn't work for you, the URC are running the same course on Wednesdays continuing 9th March, 12.15pm and beginning with lunch – bring your own sandwiches. Further details 07954 591366.

April Parish Magazine: a reminder that the deadline for original contributions for inclusion in the April magazine is Sunday 6th March. For our regular columnists the date is Saturday 19th March. Many thanks.

Parish Administrator: with Gill's departure imminent, we urgently seek a new administrator for 18 hours per week to both manage church office, and respond efficiently and relate easily to all enquiries regarding church, hall or parish. Further details www.lymingtonchurch.org. Your prayers for the right person to hear about it would also be appreciated.

Not Forgotten Service: Sunday 6th March, 3pm, Milford Baptist Church. A special service for anyone who has lost a baby whether recently or long ago, led by Jenny Yates, former midwife and hospital chaplain,

Mission Aviation Fellowship: Find out more on Saturday 12th March, 10.30am to 3pm, All Saints Church Vicarage, Stopples Lane, Hordle. Sit in a Cessna 150 aircraft, try your hand at landing a MAF plan on a flight simulator, refreshments available.

Church spring cleaning: Tuesday 15th March 10am to 12noon, sharing a variety of light tasks to preserve and enhance our worship space. Even 30 minutes is valuable. Men most welcome! Refreshments provided. Maureen

Hampshire County Youth Orchestra and Choir Concert: Saturday 19th March, 7.30pm in St.Thomas. Tickets on the door at £8 and £5.

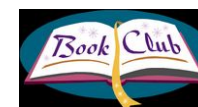
Be Prepared for Easter ! The only Easter Egg that mentions Jesus and the Easter story, and made from yummy Fairtrade Chocolate too, is not available in the major supermarkets this year. Order at the Traidcraft Stall or via the office by 27th March to hopefully guarantee availability, see attached poster for options. Brian & Annette Cox



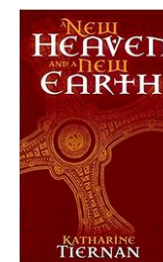
March Eco Tip: Try reducing your carbon by trying some plant-based recipes. Some links [here](#), along with other ideas for a Greener Lent.

Nova Foresta Classical Players Concert: Saturday 23rd April, 7.30pm, St.Thomas Church, including Vivaldi's 'Four Seasons' (violinist Thelma Handy) and 'A Shropshire Lad' (Choralia Milford). Tickets (£20 downstairs, £10 upstairs) from Oxfam New Milton, online or from Phil (07896 198709).

Electoral Roll Revision: if your name is not already on the Electoral Roll, please complete a form available from the office and return before the **closing date of 15th March**. A copy of the Electoral Roll is available to view in the parish office.



Church Book Club



A New Heaven and A New Earth: St.Cuthbert and the Conquest of the North by Katharine Tiernan

The final book of the trilogy of novels about Northumbria's warrior saint and his legacy.

In 1069 Northumbria is in revolt against Norman rule. Caught between the Northumbrian rebels and their new Norman masters, the Community of Saint Cuthbert at Durham is struggling to survive. But the mysterious influence of the Saint brings aid from the furthest corners of the kingdom.

Discussion Wednesday 23rd March, 4pm on Zoom.

[Click here for direct link to meeting](#)

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Open 9.30am to 11.30am Monday to Friday

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