The Link Benefice

Serving the villages of Bawdrip, Cossington, Pawlett, Puriton and Woolavington

Vision statement: *To live and journey together, striving to be the body of Christ, in our villages.*

Sunday 22nd February – Lent 1

Readings: Genesis 2:15-17, Romans 5:12-19. Matthew 4:1-11
9.30am Holy Communion, Pawlett
9.30am All Age Worship, Woolavington
11.00am Holy Communion, Cossington
6.30pm Evening Prayer, Bawdrip
The 11am service from Cossington will be livestreamed
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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 of Lent
> To grown in wisdom and prayer
> That we may witness to your saving love
> In Jesus Christ our Lord.

Please pray for

Peace in our world, fair distribution of resources.
Those who are sick or in any kind of distress.
For all those who are mourning.
For events happening in the Benefice – please see the diary.
Jenny and Lynda as they continue their ministry training.
For those exploring a call to ministry.

News & Notices

Bridgwater Foodbank thank you for your continued support. The current needs are Long Life milk, Long life fruit juice, squash, nappies and toiletries.

Lent Course – following the Diocesan Year of Prayer this year's Lent Course will be 'The Prayer Course' an 8 week study on The Lord's prayer. It's not too late to join on Tuesday at 2.30pm on Zoom.

Coffee Morning and Book Swap. Saturday 28th February, Woolavington Church from 10.30am - 12.30pm. Please bring some books and take away the same number of different books. Coffee, Tea, Cake (eat in or takeaway)

Away Day – please note the Away Day planned for 14th March has been postponed due to lack of support.

Barn Dance at Bawdrip Parish Hall, Saturday 7th March from 7pm, please bring your own drinks and nibbles.

Deanery Synod Wednesday 11th March 7.30pm The Church Rooms, North Petherton.

Weekly Events

Monday	7:00pm	Bell Ringing Practice, Woolavington
	7.30pm	Bell Ringing Practice, Puriton
Tuesdays	10.30am	Coffee Morning, Puriton Clist Room
Wednesdays	10:45am	Coffee Morning, Cossington
	7.00pm	Bell Ringing Practice, Pawlett
Thursdays	12-2:30pm	Bakeability Café Bawdrip Parish Hall
	7.30pm	Pause for Thought, Bawdrip
Fridays	2.00pm	Pop Up Choir,
	5.00pm	Choir Practice, Pawlett

The diary

Monday 23rd	10.00am	Meeting with AD Simon
	3.00pm	Messy Church Club, Pawlett, resumes
	7.00pm	Breakfast Church Planning, Rectory
Tuesday 24th	9.00am	Assembly Puriton
	2.30pm	Lent Course (Zoom)
Wed 26th	9.30am	Sarum, Training Supervisors Meeting
Saturday 28th	10.30am	Coffee Morning and Book Swap,
		Woolavington Church

Morning Prayer on Zoom Monday – Thursday 8.30am
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Sunday 1st March – Lent 2
Readings: Genesis 12:1-4a, Romans 4:1-5. 13-17, John 3:1-17
8.00am Holy Communion, Bawdrip
9.30am Holy Communion, Puriton
9.30am Morning Prayer, Pawlett
11.00am Holy Communion, Woolavington
11.00am Morning Prayer, Cossington
The 9.30am service from Puriton will be livestreamed
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