



## Notice Sheet: Sunday 22 March - Lent 5

**Collect:** Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord.

### SERVICES

#### **Sunday 22 March – Lent 5**

**All Saints' Church:** 8am Holy Communion with Baptism, 10am All Age Worship,

**Holy Trinity Church:** 9.30am Holy Communion

**Readings:** *Ezekiel 37: 1-14, John 11: 1-45*

#### **Wednesday 25 March**

**All Saints' Church:** 9.30am First Steps, **Chantry Court:** 11am Holy Communion

### IN OUR PRAYERS

We pray for Adam and Alice who were married at All Saints' Church on Saturday 21 March and for Oshian Hunt, who is baptised today at All Saints' Church. We pray for all those who have lost a loved one recently, including the family of Janet Oliver whose funeral is arranged for 31 March at 12 noon at All Saints' Church, also for the family of Marian Boorer whose funeral is arranged for 1 April at 9.15am at All Saints' Church.

**Town Prayers on Tuesday afternoons from 2.30 – 3.00pm:** March prayers are held at West End Baptist Church, Westbury. All welcome.

### WESTBURY PARISH PRAYER DIARY

We seek to make Jesus known in Westbury by being a confident, joyful, and prayerful community. 23rd For all who serve as sidespersons in our parish: that they may offer a warm welcome and hospitality to all who come among us. 24th For the growing sense of community in our churches: that we may love one another as Christ loves us. 25th For diligence and compassion for all those in leadership roles in our parish. 26th For our prayer network, all who lead prayers of intercession and all who pray with us and for us. 27th For the Mothers Union and all our church groups, that they may grow and flourish. 28th For good stewardship of our finances, buildings, land and fabric; for all of us who share in this responsibility. 29th For all who support and administer the finances of our churches, our PCC Treasurer and donations secretary: that they may be conscientious in their duties.

### NEWS FROM ALL SAINTS

**SPONSOR A KEY - ORGAN APPEAL:** Please help us to raise £8,000 to restore the organ in All Saints Church. The organ is an important part of the church. You can sponsor a key for £10 or a pedal for £15. Donating is easy. You can donate directly to Ruth Hann, or you can scan the QR code on the posters or you can visit this link: <https://givealittle.co/c/asorganfund>.

### NEWS FROM THE PEWS AT HOLY TRINITY

**PRaise AND WORSHIP SERVICES:** These are held on 1st Sunday of the month at 9.30am at Holy Trinity Church.

**COFFEE AT THE WEAVERS:** Members of Holy Trinity Church and friends meet at The Weavers for tea, coffee, cake, and chat. This is a fantastic opportunity to meet new people. Families with children are welcome to come along too. Every Wednesday 10.30am to noon.

**CREAM TEA:** Saturday 25 April with two sittings. The first sitting will be at 3pm – 5.15pm. Put it in your diaries! More information and booking details to follow.

**COMMUNITY BLESSINGS:** At Holy Trinity Church we pray regularly for our local community. During March please pray, particularly, for those living and working in Whitecroft and Weavers Close.

**REPAIR WORK AT HOLY TRINITY:** Re-pointing will be taking place to the exterior of the Chancel and east face of the South Transept walls over the next few weeks. Please be careful of the scaffolding and associated builder's equipment. Any questions, please ask Sonja.

### COMING UP & REGULAR FEATURES

**LITTLE LIGHTS:** Little Lights Sessions are held on Thursdays at West End Baptist Church from 1pm - 2.30pm. Our session on **26 March** will have an Easter vibe! There will be Easter crafts and games and some little snacks. Booking not necessary. Donations of £1.50 welcomed.

**TEA, CAKE, AND COMPANY:** The next session will be held at Westbury Parish Hall on Tuesday 24 March from 3pm – 4pm. All Welcome!

**GIFTS AND SKILLS CAMPAIGN LENT 2026:** During Lent we are called to review our commitment to our faith in Christ and consider the ways in which we offer ourselves as part of the body of Christ. Please consider prayerfully what your response will be. In Westbury parish we have vacancies for two churchwardens (as Ruth Hann will not be seeking re-election this year), and for PCC Secretary and

Treasurer. There are also vacancies on the PCC. Please return your form either during Lent or bring it to our Team Service on Palm Sunday on 29 March at 10.30 am at Holy Saviour Westbury Leigh. Thank you very much.

### **EASTER**

**EASTER FUN DAY:** Saturday 4 April from 10am at All Saints Church. Drop into our fun morning to celebrate Easter. Lots of fun to be had including an Easter Egg Hunt and an Easter Story. Children must be accompanied by an adult!

**CHRISM EUCHARIST AND RENEWING OF ORDINATION VOWS:** Salisbury Cathedral on Maundy Thursday at 11am. We are invited to a special morning service when those who are ordained deacon, priest and bishop are invited to renew their ordination vows. All are welcome to attend. Please ask if you would like a lift.

**AGAPE MEAL, MAUNDY THURSDAY:** Westbury Leigh Community Hall at 6.30 pm. This includes a simple supper as we remember Jesus' last night with his disciples and break bread together. Please sign the list in your church if you would like to come or be in touch with Caroline Dunsheath directly by email to [dunroy100@msn.com](mailto:dunroy100@msn.com). We need to know numbers by 29 March please.

### **EASTER SERVICES**

**Palm Sunday:** 29th March: **Holy Saviour, Westbury Leigh Community Hall:** 10.30am Holy Communion. This is a Team Service, there will be no service in the other churches this morning.

Please bring your responses to our gifts and skills campaign and bring them forward as part of the offertory. **Stormore Baptist Church:** 6pm Songs of Praise (WACT)

**Maundy Thursday:** 2nd April - **Salisbury Cathedral:** Chrism eucharist and renewing of ordination vows. We are invited to a special morning service at the Cathedral at 11am when those who are ordained deacon, priest and bishop are invited to renew their ordination vows. **Westbury Leigh Community Hall:** 6.30pm Agape Meal

**Good Friday:** 3rd April - **Westbury Town Centre:** 10.30am - Good Friday Open Air Service (WACT),

**All Saints Church:** 12noon - An Hour at the Cross

**Holy Saturday:** 4th April - **All Saints' Church:** 10am -12.00 noon Children's Easter Fun Morning

**Easter Sunday:** 5th April - **All Saints' Church:** 8.00am Holy Communion, **Holy Trinity Church:** 9.30am Holy Communion, **All Saints' Church:** 9.30am Holy Communion, **Holy Saviour Church:** 11.00am Holy Communion

**DISABILITY INCLUSION MEETING:** The next meeting will be held on Saturday 25 April at 10.30 am. Please ask if you are interested to come along and we can let you know the venue.

**BAPTISM PREPARATION SESSION:** Sunday 26 April. If you are interested in having your child/ren baptised (christened) in one of our churches, please be in touch with either the parish office or myself. Our next preparation session will be held on Sunday 26 April at 2.30 pm at All Saints church. We discuss what happens in the service, what baptism is all about, the role of godparents and talk about how you can help your child grow in their Christian faith.

We also book in the date for the service, which is usually held in one of our family services at Holy Trinity (Praise & Worship on the first Sunday) or All Age Worship on the fourth Sunday at All Saints; or on a date to be agreed at Holy Saviour, Westbury Leigh. Please contact us to find out more.

**PASTORAL CARE AND SUPPORT:** If you would like a chat, prayers, spiritual, pastoral, or practical support, please do call a member of the Holy Trinity Ministry or Pastoral Care Team. Our Lay Pastoral Assistants can visit you and, if requested, give Home Communion. For a visit, please contact Rev'd Rebecca Harris. We also have a Prayer Chain, which is **completely confidential**. You can ask for prayers for yourself or, with their permission, for your family and friends. For prayers, please contact Sue Stanley [suestanley.whtministry@gmail.com](mailto:suestanley.whtministry@gmail.com) for Dilton Marsh and Revd Rebecca Harris for Westbury.

### **WHITE HORSE TEAM CONTACT DETAILS**

**Comms Team:** For any church related news or events email: [whtcomms@whtministry.org.uk](mailto:whtcomms@whtministry.org.uk) This is for our Facebook page, the e-newsletter, the Holy Trinity Parish Magazine and for the weekly newsletter.

**Team Rector:** Rev'd Rebecca Harris 01373822209 or email: [teamrector@whtministry.org.uk](mailto:teamrector@whtministry.org.uk).

**Parish Office-Team Administrator:** Sharon Waggott 01373 859450 or by email to [office@whtministry.org.uk](mailto:office@whtministry.org.uk).

**Please Note:** Sharon is currently working a reduced 8 hours each week. We do have some volunteer help also, but please bear with us. The office will be manned on Thursdays between 10am and 3pm for appointments.