

PRAYERS: For your prayers this week.

Vocations and ministry:

We pray for Churchwardens and building and maintenance works across the Benefice.

The sick:

Marianne, Kylie, Merry, Alex, David, Jackie, Nic, Babs, Russell and Lee, Dennis, Malcolm and Alan. All those in hospital, having treatment and waiting for test results and operations.

Those needing long term care and support: Pauline, Richard, those being cared for at home, the residents of Goatacre Manor Care Centre and other local care homes.

Those who have died:

We pray for all who have died recently, those we know and those we read about in the news. We pray for all those who grieve.

Banns and weddings

We pray for Tara Stoddart and Ben Bryant whose wedding is this month.

Baptisms

We pray for Bethany, Holly and Harry whose Baptism is this month.

Special intentions *(This is for people who may have plans or hopes for which they would like our prayer support)*

We pray for the King and all the Royal family.

In the Diocesan cycle of prayer we pray for the Dorchester Deanery. Holy Jesus, we raise to you the deanery of Dorchester, praying that all those who lead in the community may be inspired and renewed by your word.

In the Anglican cycle of prayer we pray for the Church of the Province of South East Asia.

We pray for our Benefice congregations, parishioners and our churches in this time of vacancy. We give thanks for those helping at this time.



24th August
Trinity 10



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**Bradenstoke
Broad Town
Hilmarton**

Communion - 9am
Communion - 10.30am
All-Age Service - 10.30am

Future services:

Sun 31 st August	Tockenham	Communion - 10.30am
Sun 7 th Sept	Clyffe Pypard	Communion - 9am
	Tockenham	Communion - 10.30am
	Lyneham	All-Age Service - 10.30am

Keep in touch by going to: www.achurchnearyou.com and searching for your parish church.

Using the Benefice of Lyneham and Woodhill Facebook page.

Getting your name added to the Benefice email list if it isn't already there – just email Elaine on beneficeofwoodhill@yahoo.co.uk and ask to be added.

COLLECT

Let your merciful ears, O Lord,
be open to the prayers of your humble servants;
and that they may obtain their petitions
make them to ask such things as shall please you;
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.

FIRST READING: *Jeremiah 1.4-10*

⁴Now the word of the LORD came to me saying,
⁵'Before I formed you in the womb I knew you,
and before you were born I consecrated you;
I appointed you a prophet to the nations.'
⁶Then I said, 'Ah, Lord GOD! Truly I do not know how to speak, for I
am only a boy.'
⁷But the LORD said to me,
'Do not say, "I am only a boy";
for you shall go to all to whom I send you,
and you shall speak whatever I command you.
⁸Do not be afraid of them,
for I am with you to deliver you, says the LORD.'
⁹Then the LORD put out his hand and touched my mouth; and the
LORD said to me,
'Now I have put my words in your mouth.
¹⁰See, today I appoint you over nations and over kingdoms.'

GOSPEL: *Luke 13.10-17*

¹⁰Now he was teaching in one of the synagogues on the sabbath. ¹¹And
just then there appeared a woman with a spirit that had crippled her
for eighteen years. She was bent over and was quite unable to stand up
straight. ¹²When Jesus saw her, he called her over and said, 'Woman,
you are set free from your ailment.'
¹³When he laid his hands on her,
immediately she stood up straight and began praising God. ¹⁴But the
leader of the synagogue, indignant because Jesus had cured on the
sabbath, kept saying to the crowd, 'There are six days on which work

ought to be done; come on those days and be cured, and not on the
sabbath day.'
¹⁵But the Lord answered him and said, 'You hypocrites!
Does not each of you on the sabbath untie his ox or his donkey from
the manger, and lead it away to give it water?'
¹⁶And ought not this
woman, a daughter of Abraham whom Satan bound for eighteen long
years, be set free from this bondage on the sabbath day?'
¹⁷When he
said this, all his opponents were put to shame; and the entire crowd
was rejoicing at all the wonderful things that he was doing.

POST COMMUNION

God of our pilgrimage,
you have willed that the gate of mercy
should stand open for those who trust in you:
look upon us with your favour
that we who follow the path of your will
may never wander from the way of life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

READING FOR HILMARTON: *John 1:1-12*

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the
Word was God. ²He was in the beginning with God. ³All things came into
being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What
has come into being ⁴in him was life, and the life was the light of all people.
⁵The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it.
⁶There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. ⁷He came as a
witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. ⁸He
himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light. ⁹The true light,
which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world.
¹⁰He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the
world did not know him. ¹¹He came to what was his own, and his own
people did not accept him. ¹²But to all who received him, who believed in
his name, he gave power to become children of God,