

Please pray for

- Peace and justice in the Middle East, particularly in light of ongoing conflicts and humanitarian crises

And at home for

- Dame Sarah Mullally as she was installed as Archbishop of Canterbury this week. May God grant her wisdom and kindness to lead us in the way of righteousness and peace



And for those who are unwell and have asked for prayer:

John and Jo

You can send a prayer need anytime to our dedicated email prayer network and our members will pray for you. You can also become a member of the prayer link. Simply email with your prayer need and/or your request to Tony Parker.

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Readings for Easter Sunday

Acts 10: 34 - 43 Colossians 3: 1 - 4 Matthew 28: 1 - 10

Please feel free to take this newsletter home with you.

The Two Rivers Benefice News Sheet.

for the parishes of *Spetisbury, Charlton Marshall, Blandford St Mary, Langton Long, Tarrant Rushton with Tarrant Rawston and Tarrant Keynston with Tarrant Crawford.*



'Seeking God, serving others, stronger together'

Palm Sunday - Sunday March 29th

10:45 - Communion at St Mary's Church,
Blandford St Mary

Readings

Matthew 21:1 - 11 Psalm 118: 1 - 2, 19 - end



Collect for the day - Palm Sunday

Almighty and everlasting God,
who in your tender love towards the human race
sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ
to take upon him our flesh
and to suffer death upon the cross:
grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility,
and also be made partakers of his resurrection;
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.

Post Communion prayer

Lord Jesus Christ,
you humbled yourself in taking the form of a servant,
and in obedience died on the cross for our salvation:
give us the mind to follow you
and to proclaim you as Lord and King,
to the glory of God the Father. Amen

Looking Ahead....

Holy Week

Good Friday - Friday April 3rd

14:30 - Service for Good Friday,
St Mary's Church, Charlton Marshall

Easter Day - Sunday April 5th

9:15 - All Age Worship at St Mary's Church, Charlton Marshall

9:30 - Communion at St John the Baptist Church, Spetisbury

11:00 - Communion at St Mary's Church Tarrant Rushton

Please note there will be no Morning Worship at

*All Saints Church, Langton Long - Everyone is warmly invited to
join Communion at Tarrant Rushton or one of our other services*



Sunday April 12th

9:30 - Communion at St Mary's Church, Blandford St Mary

11:00 - Family Service at St Mary's Church Tarrant Rushton

11:00 - Morning Worship at All Saints Church, Langton Long

Sunday April 19th

9:30 - Communion at St John the Baptist Church, Spetisbury

9:30 - All Age Worship at St Mary's Church, Charlton Marshall

11:00 - Communion at All Saints Church, Tarrant Keynston

11:00 - Morning Worship at All Saints Church, Langton Long

Morning Prayer - Every Thursday by Zoom, 9:00am.

Use link below or join meeting with ID & Passcode

<https://tinyurl.com/TwoRiversBen>

The code for all Zoom services is: 705 869 3298, passcode: zB3Med

Home Group - Next on Weds 8th April (and then fortnightly)

For more information please contact Robin at robin.turnbull@gmail.com

For all information and more pictures follow us on
Facebook: "Churches in the Two Rivers Benefice, Dorset" and
A Church Near You - www.achurchnearyou.com/benefice/34-308BP/

What's Happening....

Opportunities for Coffee, cake and community chat...

St John the Baptist Church, Spetisbury

1st and 3rd Mondays of each month 10:00 -11:30am

St. Mary's Church Blandford St Mary Monthly coffee and cake event - next
on April 23rd, 10:00 - 11:30am

'CRAFTERNOOONS' First Thursday in the month at St. Mary's Church,
Blandford St Mary, 2.00 - 4.00pm. £3.00 including refreshments

Coffee Stop at Charlton Marshall Parish Centre

10:30 - 12:30 Tues - Friday every week.

Langton Lunches - 1st and 3rd Friday every month at All Saints church

Langton Long. 12 - 2.00pm. Eat in or take away.

Donations welcome



GOOD COMPANIONS
PEER SUPPORT

'Good Companions' (Bereavement Support Group)

Next on

Wednesday 29th April then on the final

Wednesday of each month

12.30pm at All Saints Church,
Langton Long.

We look forward to seeing you again, and
as always, any newcomers would be so
welcome to join this lovely, friendly
group and enjoy a tasty lunch together.

For further information,
please contact

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Spring Concert

at

St Mary's Church
Charlton Marshall

Come and join us for an evening
of music and poetry
Thursday 30th April

6.30 start

Free entry

with a retiring collection
Refreshments and raffle

Monies raised will be split between
our church and MNDA
(supporting people with Motor
Neurone disease)

