All Saints' Church, Minstead - **Notices** week commencing Feb 19th  2017

**SERVICES**

**Sun 19th - 9.30 - Holy Communion - Karen and Pauline are sides and Karen will also be leading the intercessions. Liz is the duty Churchwarden and Bill and Diane Andrews are reading.**

**Sun 26th - 10.30 - Service of the Word**

**NEWS**

Wednesday 22nd; 7.15pm - Minstead Singers starts again in the Congleton Pew.  All welcome to join, as the group begin learning music for Easter.

A Lent study book has been chosen by the Home Group.  It's called "Let me Go There" and the author is Paula Gooder.   Michael, Karen or Nick will be happy to explain a little more.

The Womens’ World Day of Prayer, prepared this year by the Christian women of the Philippines, is to be held at the Lyndhurst Roman Catholic Church at 2pm on Friday, 3rd March. The theme is “Am I being unfair to you?"

Christmas Shoeboxes,  We have heard from Samaritan's Purse, the charity we work with, that our boxes went to Belarus and Zambia.  What a contrast in destinations!   They have sent a letter of thanks to us all, and Karen asks for a big "thank you" to everyone in our church family for their generosity.

CHARITY GIVING

**During January and February we are supporting Minstead (Training) Trust**.  **After services, you can make your donations using the  special collection dish, which will be either at the church door or in the Compton area.** **More information available in church.**

Don't forget when you're shopping - *Basics Bank.   Please remember all those less fortunate than ourselves...* New Forest Basics Bank aims to provide support and help to individuals and families in need. There is a collecting box in church, You are welcome to bring donations of  non perishable food and hygiene items whenever the church is open.

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