

The Week Ahead

Tues 12	9.15 am	Collective Worship School
	11.00 am	Funeral of Kenneth Glyde St M
	7.15pm	Home Group David and Peggy 8028 3145
Wed 13	10.30 am	Holy Communion and coffee Nondescripts
	11.00 am	Bellringing AS
Thurs 14	7.30 pm	Bell Ringing AS and St M
Fri 15	3.00 pm	Kneeler Group AS

Next Sunday 17th February 3rd Sunday before Lent

9.30 am	Holy Communion AS
10.30 am	Holy Communion and coffee St M
6.00 pm	'For God So Loved The World' – Stations of the Cross and Holy Communion CC

Philippians 2. 1-11 GNB NT 236
Luke 6. 17-26 GNB NT 79

*Please note St M is St Michael's Lyndhurst
AS is All Saints Minstead CC is Christ Church Emery Down*

February/March

24th February

9.30 am	Holy Communion CC
10.30 am	Coffee then Altogether Worship St M
10.30 am	Service of the Word AS
6.00 pm	Benefice Taizé Service AS

3rd March

10.30 am	Benefice Holy Communion and Coffee CC
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6th March

7.00 pm	Ash Wednesday Benefice Holy Communion St M
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10th March

9.30 am	Holy Communion CC
10.30 am	Coffee then Morning Worship St M
4.15 pm	Discussion Group and Tea AS
6.00 pm	Evensong AS

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND in LYNDHURST & EMERY DOWN & MINSTEAD

10th February 4th Sunday before Lent

Welcome to our service today!

If you wish to know more about the activities of our churches, please talk to one of the welcomers, call the Benefice Office (8028 3175), email us benefice@newforestparishes.com or look us up on Facebook, or the website www.newforestparishes.com

Today's Services

9.30 am	Holy Communion CC
10.30 am	Coffee then Morning Worship St M
4.15 pm	Discussion Group and Tea AS
6.00 pm	Evensong AS

Collect

**O God, you know us to be set
in the midst of so many and great dangers,
that by reason of the frailty of our nature
we cannot always stand upright:
grant to us such strength and protection
as may support us in all dangers
and carry us through all temptations;
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. Amen.**

Today's Readings

Philippians 1. 12-30

GNB NT 236

Joy happens when.....we speak about Jesus.

Key verse 18

The important thing is that.....Christ is preached. And because of this I rejoice.

Luke 5. 1-11

GNB NT 77

Jesus teaches the crowd from a boat at the lakeside, then he tells Peter to put out to the deep and throw in his net. The miraculous catch triggers Peter's repentance, calling and discipleship.

2019 Annual Parochial Church Meetings

Christ Church 24th March at 11.00 am.

All Saints 10th April at 7.00 pm

St Michael's 17th April at 7.30 pm.

Readings

David is preaching through St Paul's Letter to the Philippians. Please make sure you pick up the the flyer prepared for this series before you leave this morning.

Homegroup

Home Group is reflecting on Sunday's sermon from Philippians. Meet at 7.15 pm @ David and Peggy's (8028 3154) A warm invitation to all in the Benefice. You've heard the sermon - now explore !

Benefice Taizé Services

Sunday 24th February 6.00 pm All Saints Minstead

Sunday 24th March 6.00 pm Christ Church Emery Down

Sunday 28th April 6.00 pm St Michael's Lyndhurst

Communion boxes

for those taking Communion to those at home or in Hospital are available today from the Benefice Office. Final training for this year will be available this month. Please make sure David knows you wish to be included in this so he can discuss dates with you.

Baptisms

If you are thinking about Baptisms this year please contact David.

Gluten Free Wafers are available

Please ask if you would prefer them.

Commencing in March Prayer Meetings will begin in each Parish.

Christ Church, Emery Down, Thursday Mornings 9am. Start March 5th

All Saints, Minstead, Tuesday Lunchtime 12noon. Start March 7th

St Michael's, Thursday mornings at 8am. Start March 7th

More details to follow. Watch this space.

'Legs and Co'.

An opportunity to walk our dogs together in the Forest between 9.30am and 11.30am on the **LAST SATURDAY of every month.** Please text or speak to Ann on **07818 434180** so she can add your number to her list of people to contact. See poster on Church Notice Board for information. The first 'Legs and Co' walk will be on **Saturday 23rd February.**

Who in the World is Jesus?

Are you wondering about Jesus? Who he was and what does his coming into the world have to do with you? During the 6 weeks leading up to Easter David will be leading a course called '**UNCOVER**' which we hope will 'uncover' the real Jesus to those who are curious.

UNCOVER AM THURSDAY 10.30am March 7,14, 21, 28, April 4,

11 **UNCOVER PM FRIDAY 8pm** March 8, 15, 22, 29, April 5, 12.

New Forest Filling Station THIS WEEK

Wednesday 13th Feb 7.30 @ Brockenhurst Village Hall

Speaker is Sim Denby from Freedom Church in Romsey

'For God So Loved The World'

An introduction to the fifteen Stations of the Cross painted by Sister Theresa CHN displayed in the church. An evening of reflection, music and Holy Communion.

World Day of Prayer 2019

Theme: Slovenia, Come – Everything is Ready

Friday 1st March 10.30 am at St Michael's

St Michael's Pancake Supper

Tuesday 5th March at the Community Centre 6.30 for 7.00 pm

For tickets ask Betsy 8028 2362 or Suzanne 8028 2641

David's contact details:

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Please remember that David's day off is Monday.

Intercessions

In the name of Jesus we pray for healing for those who suffer in mind, body, or spirit, and for those who care for them.

We remember those who have died recently, and pray for their families and friends.