The Week Ahead

Mon 15	7.00 pm	Benefice Compline St M
Tues 16	12 noon	'STILL' PRAYING TOGETHER AS
	3.00 pm	Funeral of Joyce Yeates St M
	7.00 pm	Benefice Compline CC
Wed 17	10.30 am	Holy Communion and coffee Nondescripts
	11.00 am	Bellringing AS
	4.00 pm	Wedding Rehearsal St M
	7.00 pm	Benefice Compline AS
	7.00 pm	APCM St M
Thurs 18	8.00 am	'STILL' PRAYING TOGETHER St M
	9.00 am	'STILL' PRAYING TOGETHER CC
	10.45 am	Minstead Trust Service AS
	1.00 pm	Wedding of Leah Phipps & Andrew Nichols St M
	7.00 pm	Benefice Passover Supper & Holy Communion St M
Fri 19	10.30 am	Churches Together Service St M
	11.00 am	Walk of Witness to Bolton's Bench
	2.00 pm	Devotional Services AS and CC
Sat 20 th	10.00 am	Easter Garden Service St M

Next Sunday 21st April Easter Day

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5.45 am	Churches Together Holy Communion Bolton's Bench
9.30 am	Holy Communion AS
10.30 am	Holy Communion CC
11.00 am	Holy Communion and coffee St M

Isaiah 65. 17-end (GNB OT 713) Acts 10. 34-43 (GNB NT 156) John 20. 1-18 (GNB NT 139)

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

April 28 th	Easter 2
9.30 am	Holy Communion CC
10.30 am	Service of the Word AS
10.30 am	Coffee and Morning Worship St M
3.00 pm	St George's Day Service St M
6.00 pm	Benefice Taizé Service St M

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND in LYNDHURST & EMERY DOWN & MINSTEAD

14th April Palm Sunday

Welcome to our service today!

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

You'll find us on Facebook and website www.newforestparishes.com

Today's Services

5.00 pm	Spring Concert with Downton Brass Band St M Not to be missed! (Tickets at the door)
10.00 am 10.30 am	Meet on the Green and process to Church AS Coffee then Morning Worship St M
9.30 am	Holy Communion CC

Collect

True and humble king,
hailed by the crowd as Messiah:
grant us the faith to know you and love you,
that we may be found beside you
on the way of the cross,
which is the path of glory. Amen.

Today's Readings

Psalm 118. 1-2 19-end

A prayer of thanks for victory in which the people of God wave their branches and march around the altar in celebration declaring that God is good all the time.

Luke 19. 28-40

The passion story takes us through the Last Supper, Peter's cowardly act of denial, the betrayal by Judas Iscariot, Jesus brought before Pilate, his journey through Jerusalem to his place of execution, and his death upon the cross. Through it all, until the final bleak hours of his mission on earth, Jesus displays compassion and grace, courage and obedience.

As from Sunday 5th May, by decision of the PCCs service times across the benefice will change. See sheet in this notice sheet.

NEW SERVICES from May

St Michael's

BCP Holy Communion 8.00 am on second and fourth Sundays each month.

Christ Church

Northumbria Morning Prayer 10.30 am on first Sunday each month.

All Saints

All Together Service 9.30 am on the fourth Sunday

Sunday May 5th

9.30 am Holy Communion St M

10.30 am Northumbrian Morning Prayer CC

10.45 am Holy Communion AS

2019 Annual Parochial Church Meeting St Michael's 17th April at 7.30 pm.

Benefice Taizé Services - all start at 6pm.

St Michael's Sunday 28th April **All Saints** Sunday 26th May

Christ Church Sunday 23rd June

Gluten Free Wafers are available

If you would prefer them please ask for them as you receive communion.

'Still' Prayer Meetings in each Parish.

All Saints Minstead, Tuesday Lunchtime 12noon. St Michael's Lyndhurst, Thursday mornings at 8am. Emery Down, Thursday mornings 9am.

<u>Tuesday All Saints</u>, David will be in available for visits in Minstead until 5pm. <u>Thursday Christ Church</u>, David will be available for visits in Emery Down and Bank until 1pm. <u>Call him on 074-68 527 820</u>

Details of Easter Services

See church notice boards and fliers at back of churches.

Easter Day Churches Together Sunrise Service

An invitation for everybody to share in a beautiful Holy Communion at Bolton's Bench 5.45 am followed by breakfast at Peggy May's. Those wanting breakfast let Peter Nicholls (8028 2378) know or just turn up.

Building Work in St Michael's

Thank God for Simon and Michael the two carpenters who are completing the work to such a high standard as you can see.

Easter Sunday morning celebration in St Michael's will include the baptism of Joseph Oliver Matthew White. We are all very excited about this!

Baptisms

If you are thinking about Baptisms this year please contact the Parish Office.

Mickey's House



Just 37 sleeps away!

Who said church can't be fun? It certainly wasn't God!

Starting on 12th May at 9.30 am at St Michael's is our new All Together Worship and it **is** going to be fun. Flyers and posters available today. We're excited and others will only be if you tell them about it.

So spread the word.

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, we pray for their families and friends.

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