

Collect

Lord of heaven and earth,
as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer,
give us patience and courage never to lose hope,
but always to bring our prayers before you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Today' s Readings

Psalm 103. 1-8

Hebrews 12. 18-end

Christianity is not a faith of fear, but of wondrous glory,
graced by a Saviour who shakes our priorities, encouraging
us to focus on God's truth.

Luke 13. 10-17

By healing a women's physical ailments Jesus restores her
dignity, underscoring his argument with the authorities,
that compassion has priority over rules.

Weddings

Please remember the following couples in your prayers as
they prepare for their weddings this summer: Natasha and

Philip; Lettie and Tom; Rebekah and Tom.

Benefice Service

A Benefice Service will be held at St Michael & All Angels
church on 1st September at 10:30am

Dates for the Diary

3rd September 6:30pm Meeting of Parishioners at Christ Church
Emery Down to elect Churchwardens

13th September 7:00pm StM Cheese and Wine Meet and Greet new
Benefice Office Staff (Suzanne and Kate).

September/October Benefice Discipleship course -From w/c 30th
September to w/c 14th November, venues to be confirmed. The
course will be run for 6 weeks with groups meeting morning,
afternoon and evening. More details to follow. If you can
offer your home as a venue for morning or afternoon groups
please let Suzanne know in the office. Tuesday evening Home
Group will be offering the course to those who would prefer
an evening group.

14th October 7pm Harvest Barn Dance at St Michael's.

Volunteer/s sought:

The memorial garden at St Michaels is in need of a tidy- up.

If you are willing to volunteer to help please contact the
Benefice Office

Hebrews 13. 1-8, 15-16

Luke 14. 1, 7-14

Key : StM= St Michael & All Angels, Lyndhurst; CC= Christ Church Emery Down; AS= All Saints Minstead

The Week Ahead

The Benefice Office is open this week on Tuesday and Thursday 9:30am -11:30am

Tues 27th Aug 12:00 pm STILL praying together AS

Wed 28th Aug 10:30 am Holy Communion The Nondies

Thu 29th Aug 8:00 am STILL praying together StM

9:00 am STILL praying together CC

7:30 pm Bell Ringing St M

Fri 30th Aug 3:00 pm Kneeler Group AS

5:00pm Wedding Rehearsal StM

Next Sunday 1st September- Trinity 11

10:30am Benefice Holy Communion StM

Next Week's Readings:

Psalm 112

**BENEFICE OF LYNDHURST AND EMERY DOWN AND MINSTEAD
Diocese of Winchester**

**One church-three homes
Living, Loving, Learning and Longing
in the power of the Holy Spirit**

**BENEFICE MATTERS
Sunday 25th August 2019- Trinity 10**

**Welcome to our services today!
If you wish to know more about the activities of our churches, please talk to one of our Welcomers, call the Benefice Office at St Michael's (8028 3175), or email us: benefice@newforestparishes.com**

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

Today' s Services

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) StM

9:30am Morning Worship StM

9:30am Funday Sunday AS

11:00am Holy Communion CC