

The West Purbeck Benefice Prayer

Holy God we thank you that you have called us to be your people across the West Purbeck Benefice.

We praise you for the beauty that surrounds us,
the people who make up our communities,
the visitors whom we welcome

and above all for the gift of faith you have given to us.

Help us through prayer and worship to grow closer to you,
through service and care to reflect your love,
and through mission to share your Good News with all around us.
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**



Sunday 14th July 2024
Seventh Sunday after Trinity

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9am	Holy Communion	Chaldon
10am	Morning Praise	Affpuddle
10am	Junior Church	Bere Regis
10.30am	Holy Communion	Wool
11am	Family Service (Sea Sunday)	Bere Regis
11am	Holy Communion	Winfrith Newburgh
2pm	Teddies from the Tower	Wool

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Usual hours The Benefice Office is staffed Wednesday 9-12 and 12.30-3.30 and Friday 9-12.
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Mid-Week Service: Wednesday 17th July

10:30am Holy Communion D'Urberville Centre, Wool

Sunday 21st July - Eighth Sunday after Trinity

9am	Holy Communion	Bere Regis
9am	BCP Holy Communion	Wool
11am	Holy Communion	Affpuddle
11am	Holy Communion	West Lulworth
11am	Songs of Praise	Winfrith Newburgh
1pm	Baptism of Violet Susan Cali Harris	Bere Regis

On Sunday 28th July at 10.30am there will be a United Benefice service at God's Pocket, Chaldon Herring DT2 8DN.

Revd Andy Pessoa, Chaplain at Bovington Camp, will preach.

Collect for the Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your name,
increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy keep us in the same;
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**

Post Communion Prayer for the Seventh Sunday after Trinity

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life,
ever giving himself that the world may live:
may we so receive within ourselves the power of his death and passion
that, in his saving cup, we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love;
for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

Readings: Amos. 7.7-15; Eph. 1.3-14; Mark 6.14.29

Gospel: Mark 6.14.29

King Herod heard of it, for Jesus' name had become known. Some were saying, 'John the baptizer has been raised from the dead; and for this reason these powers are at work in him.' But others said, 'It is Elijah.' And others said, 'It is a prophet, like one of the prophets of old.' But when Herod heard of it, he said, 'John, whom I beheaded, has been raised.' For Herod himself had sent men who arrested John, bound him, and put him in prison on account of Herodias, his brother Philip's wife, because Herod had married her. For John had been telling Herod, 'It is not lawful for you to have your brother's wife.' And Herodias had a grudge against him, and wanted to kill him. But she could not, for Herod feared John, knowing that he was a righteous and holy man, and he protected him. When he heard him, he was greatly perplexed; and yet he liked to listen to him. But an opportunity came when Herod on his birthday gave a banquet for his courtiers and officers and for the leaders of Galilee. When his daughter Herodias came in and danced, she pleased Herod and his guests; and the king said to the girl, 'Ask me for whatever you wish, and I will give it.' And he solemnly swore to her, 'Whatever you ask me, I will give you, even half of my kingdom.' She went out and said to her mother, 'What should I ask for?' She replied, 'The head of John the baptizer.' Immediately she rushed back to the king and requested, 'I want you to give me at once the head of John the Baptist on a platter.' The king was deeply grieved; yet out of regard for his oaths and for the guests, he did not want to refuse her. Immediately the king sent a soldier of the guard with orders to bring John's head. He went and beheaded him in the prison, brought his head on a platter, and gave it to the girl. Then the girl gave it to her mother. When his disciples heard about it, they came and took his body, and laid it in a tomb.

West Purbeck Benefice Outdoor Service

in God's Pocket, East Chaldon DT2 8DN

28th July at 10.30 Refreshments afterwards



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Bovington Camp, will preach

AN IMPORTANT NOTE ABOUT INTERNET SAFETY

The Archdeacon writes: 'Please be aware of an internet scam by which an e-mail suggesting it comes from the vicar/rector is sent to a local PCC or parish council rep. This uses a false e-mail address and asks for a confidential conversation via the false address. Please alert local contacts to check the e-mail address carefully before answering any e-mail.'

Breakfast Club

The next Breakfast Club will meet on Wednesday 14th August at 10am
at Holme Garden Centre.

*Pop a note in your diary...the Breakfast Club meets at the same time, same place, every
2nd Wednesday of the month.*

All welcome! Call Mary for details on 01929 556086

Thursday Tea and Toast at St John the Baptist, Bere Regis 8am until 11am Thursdays.

All ages are welcome; there will be some toddler-age toys available.
Dogs and their owners are very welcome (including doggie biscuits!). For more information,
please contact Pat Wharf at patswiftwharf@outlook.com
or on 01929 472246.



Lyme Bay Moonrakers present Haul on the Bowlin'



Join this unique shanty group from Lyme Regis for Haul on the Bowlin' - a musical celebration of the timeless connection women and men have to the sea.

Saturday 10th August 2024, 7pm

Doors open 6pm, bar and snacks available

East Chaldon Village Hall and Church, Dorset

In support of the Church Restoration Fund



Tickets £10

www.ticketsource.co.uk/pcc-chaldonherring/

www.lymebaymoonrakers.org



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SUGGESTIONS FOR YOUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

The work of the Church: Please pray for The Church of Ireland. Also please pray for the Mission Aviation Fellowship, our PCCs and Church Wardens, and the financial needs of our Church.

This Benefice: We pray for all those who are isolating or not able to join in with worship at this time. We pray for all those volunteering in their community with transport, prescriptions and shopping, also especially the schools in the Benefice: Wool CE Primary, St Mary and St. Joseph's RC Primary, Bovington Primary, Bere Regis Primary and Pre-School and Lulworth and Winfrith CE Primary School. We pray for the residents of Stanbarrow Close and Tower Hill in Bere Regis; School Lane and Shepherd's Way in West Lulworth; Willowborne Gardens and Dorchester Road in Winfrith and East Knighton; Jeremy Close and Knowle Hill in Wool, Kimberts End in Coombe Keynes, King George V Road in Bovington.

Those who are ill or have asked for our prayers:

We pray for Peter Wharf; Catherine Museka; Paul Openshaw; Len Elbrook; Jess; Irene; Imogen Spicer; Pamela Elbourne; Margaret Woolley; Dennis and Madge Clarke; Brian Horn; John Mitchell; Sheila Linter; Stuart Hammond; Marion Baker.

We are pleased to pray for all those whom we are asked to pray for. In order to keep our prayer intentions up to date we will include names for one month. At the end of each month, if you would like either yourself or the person whom you have asked us to pray for to remain on the prayer list for a further month, please inform one of the clergy or the Benefice Office.

If you are asking for prayer for someone else please remember to ask their permission for us to include them in The Link.

Thank you for being a part of this important ministry of prayer.

We pray for the families and friends of those who have died in recent days: Richard Cox, Roy MacPherson, John Saunders, John Sharpe, Simon Lines. Also the families and friends of those whose anniversary of death falls at this time.

Please pray for

Annabel Canaven and Lee Matthews, who will be married at St Christopher's, Winfrith on Saturday 13th July

and their family and friends.

Please pray for the family and friends of Simon Lines

whose memorial service takes place at Holy Rood church on Friday 12th July.

Please pray for the family and friends of John Sharpe

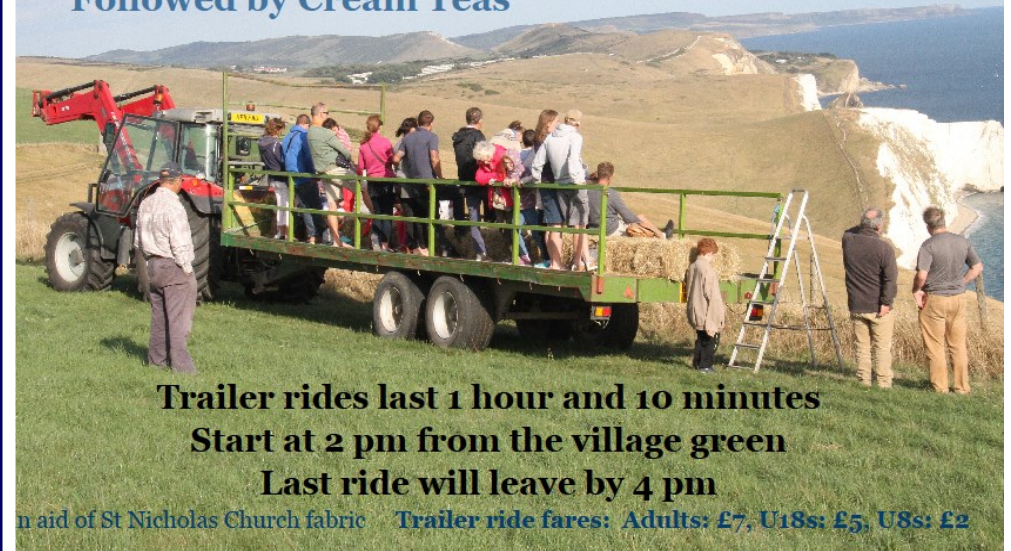
whose burial service will take place at Bere Regis cemetery on Friday 16th July.

THIS SUNDAY



Trailer Rides on Sat 20 & Sun 21 July

Along the coast from Chaldon Herring DT2 8DN
Followed by Cream Teas



Trailer rides last 1 hour and 10 minutes
Start at 2 pm from the village green
Last ride will leave by 4 pm

In aid of St Nicholas Church fabric Trailer ride fares: Adults: £7, U18s: £5, U8s: £2

TRAILER RIDES IN CHALDON HERRING, NEAR LULWORTH

A great day out for all the family. Chaldon Herring, near Winfrith Newburgh and West Lulworth, is once again offering its famous Trailer Rides over the weekend of Saturday 20 and Sunday 21 July. Departing from the Village Green, the specially equipped trailers, which are suitable for all ages, will head out to the Jurassic Coast and give breath-taking views of Durdle Door to the east and Portland to the west as they head back over the fields via West Chaldon to a fine cream tea in a beautiful village garden. Trailer Rides start at 2pm with the last ride departing by 4.00pm. £7 for adults, £5 for U18s and £2 for U8s. Cream teas from £5.00. Proceeds to St Nicholas Church fabric. We look forward to welcoming you. In the event of uncertain weather, call 07791 980086 for decision on whether we will be running.

RIDE + STRIDE TO SUPPORT OUR HISTORIC CHURCHES

Dorset Historic Churches Trust is delighted to announce that Ride+Stride will go ahead on the 14th September 2024. The aim is to raise money for the maintenance of our churches. Last year Dorset's Riders and Striders raised just over £98,000 in sponsorship. As a thank you for supporting the work of the Trust, DHCT will return half your sponsor money to the church or chapel which you nominate. Should you wish to take part please contact Jenny Hunt on theskypilot@sky.com or go to www.dhct.org.uk for more information.