

Christian Aid Lent Lunches

Everyone is very welcome to join us at our friendly and relaxed soup lunches each Friday during Lent from 12.45pm till 2pm, (donation £3.50 towards saving lives suggested); organised by Churches Together in Bridport & District and hosted, as below:

March	8	St Mary's Church, South Street
	15	Bridport Christian Fellowship, East Street Car Park
	22	at St Swithun's, Allington, hosted by HolyTrinity, Bradpole
	29	at St Mary's Church, hosted by the Quakers
April	5	at St Swithun's, hosted by St Catherine & St Mary's Church
	12	Bridport United Church, East Street
Tues	16	at Walditch Village Hall, hosted by St Mary's Church, following a Meditation in Church for Holy Week

Electoral Roll 2019: Please see the Notice on the Church notice board about the revision of the Electoral Roll this year. Everyone who wants to be on the Roll needs to complete a new form, collecting it from and returning it to Penny Laurence, our Electoral Roll Officer, **before April 12th.**

March 15: Christian Aid "Delivering Hope" tour comes to Dorset at: The Coach House, Mapperton House, DT8 3NR at 7pm. The harsh reality of giving birth in Sierra Leone, West Africa, where ten women die from giving birth each day, will be brought to life when a Christian Aid worker shares stories from the frontline of maternal health in her country.

HOPE, FAITH, LIFE, LOVE

A Concert of Songs to celebrate the Season of Lent given by CANTAMUS at Holy Trinity Church, Bothenhampton on Saturday, March 30th at 7pm
Tickets £10 on the door
ALL VERY WELCOME

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH BOTHENHAMPTON



**A very warm welcome to today's Service of Matins
from the Book of Common Prayer**

10th March 2019

Please join us for Refreshments after the service

In our Prayers this week

Please pray for:

- * our Rector, Revd. Deb, and our Bridport Team Clergy, LLMs and LPAs; our Deanery, Diocese and Bishops;
- * all who can no longer get to church;
- * all who are ill or in need, and those who care for them;
- * all mourning the loss of loved ones, and all whose anniversary falls this week
- * all who have asked especially for our prayers -
Alma, Chloe, Diana, Harry, John, Max, Pam, Roy, Sheila,
Tom and Revd. Richard

Our services this month - (Mornings at 11am)

March 17	<i>Holy Communion, CW</i>
<i>6pm</i>	<i>Evensong, BCP</i>
March 24	<i>Holy Communion BCP</i>
March 31	<i>Holy Communion, CW Mothering Sunday</i>

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The Church Diary - March

12	2.30pm	Mothers' Union, 110 Crock Lane
13	7.30pm	Pilgrim Course, St Mary's
14	2pm	Pilgrim Course, St Mary's
16	7.30pm	Film Evening, 'The Children Act', (Ray 423 071)
19	2.30pm	Lent Bible Study, 110 Crock Lane
30	7pm	Cantamus Concert for Lent, at Holy Trinity
31	6pm	Service of Wholeness & Healing, St John's, West Bay

Our service this morning, the First Sunday of Lent

Hymns: 361 145 312 15

Anthem: Turn Thy face from my sins, Thomas Atwood

Collect for today: Heavenly Father, your Son battled with the powers of darkness, and grew closer to you in the desert: help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer that we may witness to your saving love in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Psalm 91, 1-11

- 1 WHOSO dwelleth under the defence of the most High:
shall abide under the shadow of the Almighty.
- 2 I will say unto the Lord, Thou art my hope, and my strong hold:
my God, in him will I trust.
- 3 For he shall deliver thee from the snare of the hunter:
and from the noisome pestilence.
- 4 He shall defend thee under his wings, and thou shalt be safe
under his feathers:
his faithfulness and truth shall be thy shield and buckler.
- 5 Thou shalt not be afraid for any terror by night:
nor for the arrow that flieth by day;
- 6 For the pestilence that walketh in darkness:
nor for the sickness that destroyeth in the noon-day.
- 7 A thousand shall fall beside thee, and ten thousand at thy
right hand:
but it shall not come nigh thee.
- 8 Yea, with thine eyes shalt thou behold:
and see the reward of the ungodly.
- 9 For thou, Lord, art my hope:
thou hast set thine house of defence very high.
- 10 There shall no evil happen unto thee:
neither shall any plague come nigh thy dwelling.
- 11 For he shall give his angels charge over thee:
to keep thee in all thy ways.

First Lesson: Romans 10, 8 - 13

⁸But what does it say? "The word is near you, on your lips and in your heart" (that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); ⁹because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. ¹⁰For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. ¹¹The scripture says, "No one who believes in him will be put to shame." ¹²For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. ¹³For, "Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved." ¹⁴But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? ¹⁵And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, "How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!"

Second Lesson: Luke 4, 1-13

The Temptation of Jesus

4 Jesus, full of the Holy Spirit, returned from the Jordan and was led by the Spirit in the wilderness, ²where for forty days he was tempted by the devil. He ate nothing at all during those days, and when they were over, he was famished. ³The devil said to him, "If you are the Son of God, command this stone to become a loaf of bread." ⁴Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'One does not live by bread alone.'" ⁵Then the devil led him up and showed him in an instant all the kingdoms of the world. ⁶And the devil said to him, "To you I will give their glory and all this authority; for it has been given over to me, and I give it to anyone I please. ⁷If you, then, will worship me, it will all be yours." ⁸Jesus answered him, "It is written, 'Worship the Lord your God, and serve only him.'" Then the devil took him to Jerusalem, and placed him on the pinnacle of the temple, saying to him, "If you are the Son of God, throw yourself down from here, ¹⁰for it is written, 'He will command his angels concerning you, to protect you,'¹¹ and 'On their hands they will bear you up, so that you will not dash your foot against a stone.'" ¹²Jesus answered him, "It is said, 'Do not put the Lord your God to the test.'" ¹³When the devil had finished every test, he departed from him until an opportune time.