

Please pray

- For the charities which provide aid to those in need across the world
- For St Thomas' and St Martin's churches
- Members of our church families who are in need at this time
- For the mission opportunities across the parish
- That the teaching we receive each week will enrich our lives and give us the strength to cope with day to day living
- For Anna and her family on her baptism today at St Mark's

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NEWS



Sunday 18 February 2018

Sunday before Lent 1

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.

***Bible verse for
2018***

*"In your
relationships with
one another, have
the same mindset
as Christ Jesus"
Philippians 2:5*

Welcome Our hope is that as we worship together we will meet with Jesus and be inspired to grow in our knowledge and love of Him and be equipped to serve Him in our daily lives. Do please join us for a chat, get to know each other and share refreshments.

Our services today

"How God kept his promise to Noah"
Gen 9.8-17; 1 Peter 3.18-22; (Mark 1.9-15)

St Andrew's
9.00 am Breakfast@9
10.30 am Holy Communion

St Mark's
10.30 am Morning Worship with
Baptism of Anna Price
5.00 Holy Communion with hymns

*St Andrew's and St Mark's are wheelchair accessible
and have hearing loops*

Dates for your diary:

Monday 19 February

9.00 am Morning Prayer (St Mark's)

Tuesday 20 February

9.00 am Morning Prayer (St Mark's)

9.30 am Year 3 Chaffyn Grove School visiting (St Mark's)

2.00 pm Communita (St Andrew's)

Wednesday 21 February

9.30 am Holy Communion (St Andrew's)

9.30 am Year 1 Chaffyn Grove School visiting (St Mark's)

10.00 am Mini Marks (Barrington Centre)

10.00 am Open the Book (St Andrew's School)

1.30 Vacancy Leadership Team meeting

6.30 pm INC Youth House Group Years 6-9 (Barrington Centre)

7.15 pm (tea/coffee), 7.30 start Lent Course (St Mark's)

Thursday 22 February

9.00 am Morning Prayer (St Mark's)

11 am – 3 pm Crossbarr Café (Barrington Centre)

Friday 23 February

Flipside Years 4 – 6; 6.30 pm – 7.30 pm, Years 7 – 9;

7.00 pm – 8.30 pm (The Pavilion, Bishopdown Farm)

Sunday 25 February – Lent 2

“How God kept his promise to Abraham”

Gen 17.1-7, 15,16; Romans 4.13-25; Mark 8.31-38

St Andrew's

9.00 am Breakfast@9

10.30 am Holy Communion

St Mark's

10.30 am Holy Communion

Saturday 24 February Cleaning at St Mark's 10 am – 12 noon

Monday 5 March – PCC meeting 7.30 pm - Barrington Centre

Sunday 11 March – Mothering Sunday

24 March Egg-stravaganza and the launch of St Mark's Church

Garden Gates Challenge 2.00 – 4.00 – St Mark's

Sunday 22 April at 12.30 – APCM - St Mark's

11 August - Summer Fete – St Mark's

Notices:

The Lent course we will be following this year is the

CofE #LiveLent – Let your light shine. The course will be held at St Mark's – 7.15 pm (tea/coffee) for a 7.30 pm start – 21 Feb, 28 Feb, 7 Mar, 14 Mar, 21 Mar. Please sign the sheet at the back of the church if you intend to come to the course. We do not need the books to take part in the course. We will not be purchasing books but if you would like one, you can purchase a copy from Sarum Bookshop or Sarum College.

Lost Property We have lots of things in the lost property box at St Mark's – please have a look to see if anything belongs to you. Anything which is in the box next Sunday will be removed.

The Rice Challenge Salisbury Churches will be taking part in the Rice Challenge during Fairtrade Fortnight (26th February - 11th March).

If we can sell 90 bags of rice, price £3 for a 1 kg bag, we can give a brighter future to a child in Malawi. Sue Gallagher has 90 kilos of rice which has been pre ordered at the back of St Andrew's. Those at St Mark's can buy a bag from Morris after the service.

Trussell Trust – giving for January is 26.8kg (last January 22.9kg)
Many thanks to all who contribute.