#### Contact Us

#### **Blandford Parish Church**

Church Office is open 9. 00 am -12 .30pm Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday. Closed on Wednesdays.

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## Sunday 2nd April 2023

#### **Blandford Forum Parish Church**

9.00am Holy Communion11.00am #AllTogether@11

### **Readings:**

Psalm 118: 1-2 &19-29 Matthew 21: 1-11

## Sunday 2nd April 9.00am

Warden: Heidi Roberts

Sacristan: Heidi Roberts

Music: John Wesley-

Barker

Welcomer: Cindy Brine

Graham Poynter

Projector: Sara Loch

PA: Robert Britton

Reader: Rachel Anney

Prayers: Sue Hilliard

Refreshments: Sue Hilliard

**Dan Roberts** 

# <u>11.00am</u>

Warden: Heidi Roberts

Music: John and Liz

Wesley-Barker

Welcomers: Rachel Anney

Marion Warren

Reader: Mike Hearn

Refreshments: Muriel Read

Philip Whitcomb

## What's On This Week

### Tuesday

9am: Morning Prayer

in Church

### Wednesday

7am: Prayer for Renewal

at the Parish

Centre

11am-1pm BFPC Stay and

Play

7.45pm Learning to

Hear God's Voice at the

Parish Centre

# **Thursday**

9am: Prayer for the

Community in Church

7pm Holy Communion in

the Church

# <u>Friday</u>

9.30am Parish Prayer

Walk meeting at the Parish

Centre

2pm Last Hour at the

Cross

(Market Place)

## **Lent Course—Learning to Hear God's Voice**

Our Lent Course "Learning to Hear God's Voice" is continuing at the Parish Centre every Wednesday evening 7.45pm. The aim is to discern what God is saying to you and us as a community. All welcome.

## **Baptisms**

It's customary to do baptisms on Easter Sunday. Baptism is one of the key sign of faith in Jesus Christ and a commitment to discipleship. If you would like to get baptised or renew your baptism as a declaration of your faith in Jesus then please have a chat with Chris or drop him an email.

### **Electoral Role**

Anyone who would like to be added to the electoral role needs to pick up a form from the back of church and fill it in or if you would like more information please speak to Mary Henley.

### Coronation Weekend - The Big Help Out Community Tea

Monday 8th May—3pm. As part of "The Big Help Out" we want to invite the wider community to come and have afternoon tea with us on the church lawn. If you are able to help serve with this please let Tina in the office know. This is a chance for us to bless the wider community and share with them the love of Jesus and it would be good to have many Church Members as possible at the event.

## **United Service Sunday 30th April**

The United Service will be held at Blandford Garrison Church. If you are planning to attend booking is essential via the website or let Tina know so add you on. Bookings must be made by Wednesday 26th April.

## **Easter Flowers**

We will be doing flowers in the church for Easter on Saturday 8th April starting at 10am. We would be very grateful for any greenery and/or flowers of all sizes, shape and description. And we would also love a hand if you have time on that Saturday morning. If you are unable to bring greenery and flowers to the church on Saturday, either drop them off by my greenhouse or give me a ring on 07985 090360 and I can come and pick them up. Many thanks **Sara** 

## **Debt Advisor Vacancy—Blandford Foodbank**

Faithworks currently have a vacancy for a Debt Advisor based at Blandford Foodbank. If you are interested in finding our more visit the Faithworks website: https://faith-works.org.uk/get-involved/job-vacancies/

## **Help Needed**

On Saturday 22nd April from 9.30am we will be cleaning the church following the taking down of the scaffolding. If you are able to help please come along.

### **Easter Services:**

Palm Sunday - 2nd April

9am - Holy Communion

11am - All Age Worship

Maundy Thursday - 6th April

7pm - Holy Communion with Stripping of the Altar

**Good Friday - 7th April** 

9.30am - Parish Prayer Walk (starting with breakfast at the Parish Centre)

2pm - Last Hr at the Cross - Market Square

Easter Sunday - 9th April

6.15am - Easter Sunrise Service - on The Milldown.

10am - Easter Celebration

Sunday 16th April

9am - Traditional Service

11am - Contemporary Service (no children's ministry)

**Sunday 23rd April** 

9am - Traditional Service (Holy Communion)