

WIMBORNE MINSTER AND THE NORTHERN VILLAGES  
NORTHERN VILLAGES NOTICE SHEET  
SUNDAYS IN MARCH 2018



Services

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> March

- 9am Breakfast Church at Witchampton Village Hall  
10am Horton Parish Communion  
6pm Holt Evensong

Wed 6<sup>th</sup> March

- 9.30am Hinton Martell Ash Wednesday Service

Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March

- 10am Hinton Martel Parish Communion (Sung), followed  
by APCM

Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> March

- 9am Breakfast Church at Horton & Chalbury Village  
Hall  
10am Witchampton Parish Communion, followed by  
APCM

Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> March

- 10am Holt Parish Communion

Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> March

- 10am Chalbury *Mothering Sunday* Communion

*Silent Prayer every Tuesday at 10am at Witchampton Church*

*Morning Prayer every Tuesday at 8.30am & Friday at 9am at Hinton  
Martell Church*

## **Future Events** in MARCH

- Fri 1<sup>st</sup>: 10.30am *World Day of Prayer*, St Catherine's Church, Wimborne
- Tues 5<sup>th</sup>: 10am *Pancake Race* at the Minster  
10.30am *Meeting Monthly Prayer @ Mary's*
- Wed 6<sup>th</sup>: 9.30am *Ash Wed service* at Hinton Martell  
9.30am & 7.30pm *Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes*, Wimborne Minster
- Sun 10<sup>th</sup>: 3pm *Baptism of Percy*, Witchampton
- Thurs's from 14<sup>th</sup>: 2.30-4pm *Jesus the Gamechanger* at Holtwood Methodist Church
- Sat 16<sup>th</sup>: 2pm *Jumble Sale*, Hinton Martel Hall
- Tues 19<sup>th</sup>: 10am Holt PCC Meeting  
3pm LPA Meeting
- Wed 20<sup>th</sup>: 12.30pm *Soup Lunch*, Witchampton Hall
- Thurs 21<sup>st</sup>: 2.30-4pm Lent course *as above*
- Wed 27<sup>th</sup>: 12.30pm *Pub Lunch*, Stocks Inn, Furzehill
- Thurs 28<sup>th</sup>: 2.30-4pm Lent course *as above*
- Sun 31<sup>st</sup>: 10am *Mothering Sunday* at Chalbury

**Ash Wed** – 9.30am 6<sup>th</sup> March as a morning service for the first time at Hinton Martell, led by Revd Suzie and Revd Nigel Deller.

**Lent Bible Study** – 2.30-4pm every Thursday from 14<sup>th</sup> March, *Jesus the Gamechanger* bible study at Holtwood Methodist Church. An annual joint venture. Sign up sheets in the churches.

### **Other Benefice information**

**Northern Village Church Display in the Minster** – a display of our churches is up in the Minster. Do come and see it when in town.

**Pancake Race** – 11am on Shrove Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March, around or inside the Minster depending on the weather. Races for all ages and abilities, teams and individuals. Enroll on the day by 10.30am. Entry forms from the Minster office. Enquiries to Anthony Oliver 01202 888703.



**Experience Easter** – an opportunity for local schools to visit the Minster to explore what Easter means as they hear the story of Jesus' last days on the week beginning 25<sup>th</sup> March, 8.30am-4pm. £1 donations welcomed for small

eggs and 'take home' Easter story book.

**International Night** at St Luke's Hall, St. Luke's Road, Winton, Bournemouth BH3 7LR on Saturday 2nd March 6.30-7.00-ish to 9.30pm. We are an international church with members from various African countries, Brazil, E. Europe, Fiji and various parts of Great Britain. You will be able to sample food from several different countries... Come and join this evening of Christian fun and fellowship. Joy Elliott, Church Clerk Bournemouth Seventh-day Adventist Church.

**The Rhythm of Life** 7pm Saturday 9 March. An evening at St John's, Wimborne of readings, contemporary music and art. The music will range from Blues to Ballads to Gospel and contemporary hymns; art work will be projected during the show; and there will be a range of secular prose and poetry and Bible passages read. Do come along and bring non-Christian friends, please also pray for the success of the event.

**Matters of the Heart** – 4pm 16<sup>th</sup> Saturday March. Women's Conference with speaker Christine Perkins at St John's Church, Wimborne. Talks are based on Psalms with a choice of seminars. Tickets £10. Booking essential. Contact St John's Church Office: 01202 842255 [office@stjohnswimborne.org.uk](mailto:office@stjohnswimborne.org.uk)

**Donate IT Collection** – Between 2-3pm on 20<sup>th</sup> March you can donate any unwanted/outdated IT, including PCs, tablets, laptops and mobile phones. Drop them off to the back pews in Wimborne Minster. Donate IT securely, 'wipe' the item's memory and the Minster receives 50% of any profit made from sales. We have raised just under £400 since the collections started. If you are not able to make the date but want to donate please contact Linda Bunting: [lindaebunting@aol.com](mailto:lindaebunting@aol.com) or 01202 886256.

**Looking Forward...** Lent and Easter information will be out in our churches in an A5 booklet from early March. Do pick up a copy (extra copies available from Church House).

**Prayer suggestions for:**

- the family & friends of Sally Harper and Brenda Gibson
- Experience Easter Project
- those who care for us, especially mothers

**Prayer & Bible Study Groups**

**Bible Study:** *Thornhill* 10.45-12noon every 3rd Tues  
Contact: Sara Turnbull 01202 889434  
*Witchampton* fortnightly  
Contact: Sue 01258 840395

**Prayer Groups:** *Ashlea*, Holtwood 1st Wed: 10am coffee;  
10.30-11am prayer  
Contact: Mary 01258 840348

**Mums' Bible Study:** for more info speak to Rev Suzie (01258) 840668

**Useful contacts/info:**

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