



Wimborne Minster

News and Information

SUNDAY 10th MARCH 2024

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am	Parish Eucharist
11.15am	Minster Praise with 'kids in the crypt'
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

Some **services are being filmed and broadcast** on YouTube, if you do not wish to appear on camera, please speak to a Sidesperson about where you should sit.

The 9.30am Parish Eucharist will be **broadcast live on YouTube**. There is a **link on the website** or search for **Wimborne Minster Official 2024 03 10**

The **Minster Readings and Prayers** and orders of service for the week are available on the website <http://www.wimborneminster.org.uk/publications.html>

THIS WEEK

The Minster is open Monday to Saturday 10.00am – 4.00pm

EASTER EXPERIENCE ALL WEEK

Monday	10.00am	SEN Forest Garden group
Tuesday	10.30am	Forest Garden Toddlers
Wednesday	11.00am	Holy Communion – Lounge
	1.00pm	Meditation group – Lounge
Friday	10.30am	Forest Garden Home Education Group
Saturday	7.30pm	Dorset County Orchestra Concert

NEXT SUNDAY 17th March 2024

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
9.30am	Parish Eucharist
11.15am	Minster Praise with 'kids in the crypt'
6.30pm	Choral Evensong

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MINSTER MATTERS

THE SICK: *We pray for the sick and suffering: Fiona, Kim, Marjorie Brown, Minna Harvey, Lionel Woodcock, Faye Wood, Beryl Sexton, Ann Tame, Frank, Gill, Joan, Joan Squibb, Diane and Brian Sibley, Cathy Thompson, Margaret Cave, Tasmin, Lizzie Bishop, Sue Pearson, Hilda Butler, Michael Brinkworth, Theo, Paul, Sheila Soper*

The **Parish Office will be closed** next week on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday and will be open again on Friday. Items for newssheet can still be emailed to the office and answering machine messages will be checked remotely.

The Easter Experience will be on next week in the Minster with hundreds of primary school children visiting and learning about the events of Holy Week. Minibuses with children and volunteers/organisers will be occupying the Minster and the carparks considerably during school hours. Please plan your visits to us accordingly and use other carparks where possible.

The Companions of St Francis will meet **Thursday 14th March** at 2.30pm in St Margaret's Chapel. Please note the change in day due to Lent courses. All are very welcome.

The Christian Aid Lent lunches continue on Tuesday this week from 12.30 to 1.15pm at Wimborne Methodist Church. Please join us.

Easter Eggs: we have nearly raised the funds again for the real Easter message. This a good cause with chocolate eggs to be gifted to local families in need using the Wimborne Foodbanks. It would be nice to offer those children Easter eggs with the Christian Message as a witness in our community. **We only have about £100 to go, please help us reach this target.** Please give generously using the envelopes at the back of church marked EGG.

Palm Sunday Procession on 24th March. For anyone wishing to participate, it will depart from the Allendale centre at 9.20am.

HOLY DUSTERS We are looking to set up a regular cleaning programme in The Minster and are calling on volunteers to help with this significant work. Tasks including dusting and polishing woodwork (especially pews!), cleaning stone, floors and some textiles, and other general light work. No experience is necessary, and materials can be supplied. All you need is a generous heart, a willingness to serve and the capacity to join a new team. If you can spare a couple of hours once a week and would like to help with this, please contact Verger Martin or the Parish Office. Thank you.

LOCAL NEWS

Food Bank - Here is the updated list of items we would really appreciate your help with. This week we are low on tinned tomatoes, baked beans, tinned fruit, tinned meat meals, rice, porridge, long life milk, bottles of squash, shower gel and shampoo. Thank you so much for your kindness and generosity with donations, they make such a difference to everyone we see. The Reverse Lent sheet of items is also available should you wish to give in this way.

Donation/Collections

If you wish to give to the Minster, please use one of the following options, use the gift aid envelopes, or make a contactless gift by using the terminal both situated by the door as you leave, or scan the QR code opposite that will take you to our giving portal. Thank you.



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