

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

- Tom won't be in the garden room on Tuesdays for the summer, and will be back there every term-time Tuesday 10-11am from 6/9/22.
- Please put **Saturday 22nd July 2023** in your diary now - for next year's fete!
- Please note that I'm sorry but we won't be able to have the 8am service on 28th August. We'll be back to the usual pattern on 11th September.

PRAYER LIST

Sue, Gwen, Sandy Raywood, Tina Ward, Alan Young, Philip Biggs, Dave and Kath Woolven, Miriam's family, Audrey Hall's family.

Please email names for prayer list Tom, having checked with them



7 August 2022

Faith is trusting God for the future

Welcome to St Mary Magdalene Church, Lyminster and to our church building which has been a place of worship for nearly 1,000 years. If you are visiting, or this is your first time here, please make yourself known to one of the welcomers.

Inside you will find our Bible reading for today (although we'd encourage you to bring your own Bible), the Church's prayer for this week and news of what's going on in the life of our church family.

We hope that you feel welcome and able to share in the good news of Jesus our risen Lord and Saviour. Do get in touch with the clergy if you'd like to, and please stay to get to know us better after the service.

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HYMN NUMBERS

208 christ is made the sure foundation

548 One more step

311 Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour

606 Thy hand, O God, has guided

COLLECT for 8th Sunday after Trinity

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

BIBLE READINGS

Hebrews 11:8-10

8 By faith Abraham, when called to go to a place he would later receive as his inheritance, obeyed and went, even though he did not know where he was going. 9 By faith he made his home in the promised land like a stranger in a foreign country; he lived in tents, as did Isaac and Jacob, who were heirs with him of the same promise. 10 For he was looking forward to the city with foundations, whose architect and builder is God.

Luke 12:32-40

32 'Do not be afraid, little flock, for your Father has been pleased to give you the kingdom. 33 Sell your possessions and give to the poor. Provide purses for yourselves that will not wear out, a treasure in heaven that will never fail, where no thief comes near and no moth destroys. 34 For where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.

35 'Be dressed ready for service and keep your lamps burning, 36 like servants waiting for their master to return from a wedding banquet, so that when he comes and knocks they can immediately open the door for him. 37 It will be good for those servants whose master finds them watching when he comes. Truly I tell you, he will dress himself to serve, will make them recline at the table and will come and wait on them. 38 It will be good for those servants whose master finds them ready, even if he comes in the middle of the night or towards daybreak. 39 But understand this: if the owner of the house had known at what hour the thief was coming, he would not have let his house be broken into. 40 You also must be ready, because the Son of Man will come at an hour when you do not expect him.'

POST-COMMUNION

Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.