

Services for Next Sunday 21 April (Week 3) Easter 4

St Michael's Lyndhurst

No Services. Church Closed for Refurbishment

During this time all services will take place at Christ Church

Christ Church Emery Down, Bank and Allum Green

8.00am Holy Communion Revd. David

9.30am Service of Hope & Healing Revd. David

All Saints' Minstead

11am Parish Holy Communion Revd. Lynda

Readings

Psalm 23 NT Acts 4.5-12 Gospel John 10.11-18

Coming up this week

Monday Mickey's After School Club 4.15-5.30pm **Mon-Thu** and 3.15-5.15pm **Fri.** *Held in the school while the church is closed.*

Tuesday 7pm Lyndhurst Home Group. All welcome for an evening of Fellowship at Whinwood

Wednesday 10.30am Holy Communion, Catch Up & Coffee at Ailsa's home.

Thursday 2-4pm Open Door Café AS

Thursday 7.30pm Bell ringing St M and Bell ringing AS

Friday 3-5pm Crafty Cuppa AS

Annual Parochial Church Meeting and Electoral Roll

'Praising Him for all that is past, trusting Him for all that's to come!

St Michael's. Sunday 19 May 9.30am

All Saints tbc.

TEA & COFFEE MORNING Coming up on **Friday 26 April**

at the **Nondescripts Club**, Church Lane from 10.30am-12.30pm.

Rosemarie Tiffen is organising this lovely morning in aid of F.O.L.S.

Offers of help on the day and cakes welcome!

LIFE EVENTS

Baptisms

5 May 2pm **Drew Christopher King CC**

Funerals

16 April 11am **Jill Lane** Interment of Ashes AS

LOOKING AHEAD

Tuesday 30 April Christians Against Poverty CC 2pm Learn about CAP and their vital work.

Friday 21 June 'Celebration Concert' SWING 'BIG' BAND

UNLIMITED St M 7.30pm Tickets £15 from Office. A popular concert. Get tickets NOW!

Sunday 23 June BISHOP PHILIP at St M. Benefice Service at 9.30am.

Saturday 29 June Voices of the Forest Concert 7pm

Saturday 13 July Per Piacere Chamber Orchestra St M. Details tbc

CHRISTAINS AGAINST POVERTY (CAP) 30 April 2pm Christ Church

Tim Barry from CAP will be introducing the Charity and their work in supporting those in debt. He will be giving information about Money Coaching here in Lyndhurst, Emery Down and Minstead. If you are considering becoming a Money Coach, this session is for you.

Please confirm with David if you are attending.

For more information about CAP visit capuk.org **All are invited to learn about this ministry which is much needed in our community.**

BENEFICE ANNA CHAPLAIN SUPPORT FOR OLDER PEOPLE. If you know anyone who would welcome a visit from Lois, please contact her. You can also invite Lois for a coffee to learn more about her ministry. Lois' contact details: Email; anna.chaplain31@gmail.com Tel 07376 982662.

KEEPING FAITH ALIVE WhatsApp Group

Receive a daily prayer and prayer requests direct to your phone using the WhatsApp app. Send a text to Revd David 07468527820 and he will admit you to the group. Daily Prayers this month are by Geoff Butler.

PANTRY in the PORCH

This ministry continues whilst St M is closed. Thank you to folks from All Saints' and St Michael's for their recent donations.

Donations can be brought to Sunday Services and given to David or left at the Vicarage. Please close the lid after leaving your donated goods. The Pantry in the Porch will continue to be stocked. Donated food can be left on the shelf outside the Vicarage front door. (donated items can also be left in Christ Church, Emery Down and All Saints', Minstead). Thank you for recent collection at All Saints'. Very timely during school holidays.

Thank you

Fabulous church decorations for our Easter services

Many folks have commented on how beautiful our churches looked for Easter. Thanks to those involved for giving their time to help create such a wonderful display at both our churches'. It is most deeply appreciated by all!

SPECIAL THANKS to the flower arrangers; Celia, Fiona, Helen, Jo, Liz, Marion and another Marion, Peggy, Shelley, Sylvia, Tricia and Vicky - you made Christ Church and All Saints' Church look beautiful and helped us celebrate the wonder of the risen Christ.

BENEFICE CONTACT DURING ST MICHAEL'S CLOSURE

The Benefice Office remains **closed** until the completion of the floor restoration work. Lynne will be contactable on **07591 958856** during the following times only; Mon & Friday 9.30-3.30pm, Tue 9.30-1.30pm and by email benefice@newforestparishes.com as usual.



Sunday 14 April (Week 2) Easter 3

Today's Services in the Benefice

You have put gladness in my heart!.

Psalm 4.7

St Michael & All Angels' Lyndhurst

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Christ Church Emery Down with Bank & Allum Green

8.00am Holy Communion Revd. David

9.30am Mickey's House Revd. David

All Saints' Minstead

6pm Evensong with Holy Communion George and Rosemarie

Collect

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

Readings

Psalm 4 NT Acts 3.12-19 Gospel Luke 24.36b-48