

KINGSBURY/BAXTERLEY GROUP OF PARISHES

WEEKLY NEWSLETTER



Merevale



Hurley



Kingsbury



Baxterley



Wood End



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18/03/2018
Lent 5/Passion Sunday

SUNDAY SERVICES

This Sunday—18th March
Lent 5—
Passiontide begins

HURLEY
9.30am Holy Communion
KINGSBURY
11.00am Morning Worship
MEREVALE
11.00am BCP Morning Prayer
BAXTERLEY
6.30pm Holy Communion

(Readings: Jeremiah 31. 31-44; Psalm 51. 1-13; Hebrews 5. 5-10; John 12. 20-33)

Next Sunday—25th March
Palm Sunday

KINGSBURY
9.00am Said HC

10.30am/11.15am

GROUP SERVICE
A joint service with the Methodist Church—see adjacent notice.....

HURLEY
4.00pm Tea Time Church
(Readings: TBA)

Sunday 1st April
EASTER DAY

HURLEY
10.30am
GROUP SERVICE

(Readings: Acts 10. 34-43; Psalm 118. 1-2, 14-24; John 20. 1-18 or Mark 16. 1-8)

Forthcoming Events

Monday 19th March

- 7.30pm Church Wardens at The Vicarage

Wednesday 21st March

- 9.30am Morning Worship at Wood End followed by Lent Reflections (5)

- 7.30pm Lent Reflections (5) at Hurley Church

Saturday 24th March

- British Summertime Begins Tomorrow — clocks go forward 1 hour tonight!

Holy Week Begins

Monday 26th March

- 7.00pm Night Prayer at Wood End

Tuesday 27th March

- 2.00pm Church Cleaning at Merevale

- 7.00pm Night Prayer at Hurley

Wednesday 28th March

- 11.00am Funeral of Joan Burnett at Sutton Crem.

- 7.00pm Night Prayer at Merevale

Thursday 29th March—Maundy Thursday

- 7.00pm Holy Communion and Foot Washing at Kingsbury

Friday 30th March—Good Friday

- 11.00am All Age Good Friday Service at Wood End (with Hot Cross Buns!)

- 2.00pm Quiet Hour at Baxterley

Saturday 31st March — Holy Saturday

- 7.30pm Service of Light & First Communion of Easter at Merevale

Please Pray for:

Those who are ill:

Bill Thompson

Rachel : Carol Makepeace

Doreen Makepeace

Lauren : Roger : June Arnold

Alan & Marie Bridgewater

Samuel : Hope : Kieran : Olive

Bethen : Sean : Doris

Cecil Nickells : Carol Barton

Kay : Vera : Celia Postans

Harry Williams : Rose Stubbs :

Monica Paton

Debbie : Amelia : Gwen

Alan Barnes : Alan Powell

Keith : Vicky Jackson

David Pearson : Graham

Preparing for Marriage

Spencer & Samantha

James & Roxanne

Those who have died

John McIntyre : Delia Gee

Joan Olive Burnett

Maureen Cope

Please also pray for.....

Carole, our Ordinand

On **Palm Sunday** (25th March), we shall be joining together with our friends at Kingsbury Methodist Church for a Group Service and Palm Procession. Following a short service at the Methodist Church at 10.30am, there will be a walk through Kingsbury Village with palms and a donkey, arriving at the parish church for a short service around 11.15am. There will also be a short said Communion service at Kingsbury at 9am, and Tea Time Church at Hurley at 4pm.

Electoral Rolls & APCMs

Are you on the church's electoral roll? If not, do please take and fill in one of the forms available in each of the churches, and return it as soon as possible, and by 1 April (Easter Day) at the latest. Those on the electoral roll are entitled to vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting. The dates of this year's meetings are:

Merevale with Bentley - 18th April

Baxterley with Hurley and Wood End - 23rd April
(at Wood End)

Kingsbury - 24th April.

All APCMs will begin at **7.30pm.**

Collect for Lent 5

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Lent, Holy Week & Easter
Leaflet. Available NOW

Please remember to take one for anyone who may be interested

Please stay and join us for
coffee/tea after any
of our 9.30am and
11.00am services



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