

The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin, Brecon



March Newsletter 2020

The March Diary

Sunday Eucharist 9.30 am

1st March 1st Sunday of Lent St David's Day
8th March 2nd Sunday of Lent
15th March 3rd Sunday of Lent
22nd March 4th Sunday of Lent Mothering Sunday
29th March 5th Sunday of Lent Passion Sunday

Midweek Eucharist

Every Tuesday at 11.00 am

Contemplative Prayer

Every Tuesday at 5.15 pm.

Forthcoming events

1 st March	St David's Day service	6 pm
4 th March	Mothers' Union	2 pm
6 th March	World Day of Prayer	2 pm
7 th March	Tea at Three	3 pm
10 th March	Lunchtime Concert	12.40 pm
21 st March	St Mary's Gift Day	10 am
25 th March	Shake Rattle & Roll	10-11.30am
29 th March	Annual Vestry Meeting	

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St Mary's & St John's Mothers' Union

The meeting on Wednesday 4th March is at the Heritage Centre at 2pm. Led by the Rev'd Mark Clavier this will take the form of prayer and meditation.

Sunday Lunch

The next lunch is on Sunday 8th March at 1pm in the Usk suite at The Castle. Please let Liz know if you will be coming by Thursday 5th March. The April lunch will be in The Clarence on 5th April instead of on the second Sunday which is Easter Day.

St Mary's Gift Day

Our Gift Day is on Saturday 21st March from 10.00 am to 4.00 pm. Although our congregation is small the expenses keep rising especially our contribution to the Diocesan Fund. Please help by supporting the Gift Day.

Candle Sponsorship

The candles in February were sponsored by Windsor Griffith in memory of his mother Lydia Griffiths and by Liz Benning. The March candles are being sponsored by Eileen Williams and Jan Neave.

Collection Boxes

Liz Jones has some more of the little house collection boxes. Please see her if you would like one to start saving your loose change for St Mary's Fabric Fund.

Tea at Three

The next Tea at Three will be on Saturday 7th March. This is an opportunity to make new friends in the comfortable surroundings of the Tower Café whilst enjoying a hot drink. It's open to all and it's free so why not come along and join us we would love to see you.

World Day of Prayer

This years' service will be held in the Cathedral at 2 pm, It will be followed by refreshments. This year the theme is 'Rise! Take your mat and Walk' and has been prepared by the women of Zimbabwe.

Lunchtime Concert

There will be a short lunchtime concert in St Mary's on Tuesday 10th March at 12.40 pm given by Christ College Chapel Choir.

Another Date for your Diary

On Saturday 4th April there will be a concert at 7.00 pm given by Aberhonddu & District Male Choir raising funds for Usk House Day Hospice and St David's Hospice Care.

Shake Rattle & Roll

An introduction to music for the little ones by Kath Davies. Wednesday 25th March from 10.00 until 11.30.

April Newsletter

Details for April newsletter to Liz by 25th March.