

# The March Diary

## Sunday Eucharist 9.30 am

3<sup>rd</sup> March Sunday before Lent, Transfiguration  
10<sup>th</sup> March 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent  
17<sup>th</sup> March 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent  
24<sup>th</sup> March 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday of Lent

## Midweek Eucharist

Every Tuesday at 11.00 am (no sermon)

## Contemplative Prayer Group

Every Tuesday at 4.25 pm

## Forthcoming Events

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> Dementia Friendly Coffee Morning  
Friday 1<sup>st</sup> World Day of Prayer St Mary's 2.00pm  
Saturday 2<sup>nd</sup> T @ 3 St Mary's Café 3.00pm  
Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> Pancake Supper, Cathedral 7.00pm  
Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> Sunday Lunch, Clarence 1.00pm  
Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> Mothers Union 2.00pm

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## The Parish Church of St Mary the Virgin, Brecon



## March Newsletter 2019

**Brecon St Mary's & St John's**  
**Mother's Union**

The date for the next Mother's Union meeting is Wednesday **13<sup>th</sup> March**, 2 pm at the Heritage Centre.  
The Rev'd Margaret Blake will be giving a talk.

**World Day of Prayer Service**

This will take place in St Mary's on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March at 2pm. The service has been prepared by the women of Slovenia and includes some interesting music. The service will be followed by tea and welsh cakes. Do come and support this, it is eight years since we were last hosting this event.

**Tea at Three**

This will be held in St Mary's on Saturday 2nd March. This is a time to welcome all to the church to have free tea and cake and a chat in a friendly situation. You can bring along a friend as everyone is welcome.

**Sunday Lunch**

The next lunch will be on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> March at the Clarence Inn. Please let Liz Benning know if you will be coming or not by Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> March either by text on 07936373730 or by email [lizabenning@gmail.com](mailto:lizabenning@gmail.com)

**Candle Sponsorship**

The March candles will be sponsored by Robert Poole and Joan Preece. Eileen Williams is sponsoring one of the April candles. If you wish to sponsor a candle please contact Liz Benning.

**Shrove Tuesday, Pancake Supper**

There will be a combined Pancake Supper on Shrove Tuesday, 5<sup>th</sup> March for the Cathedral and our Ministry Area. It will take place in the South Transept of the cathedral at 7.00pm. This is a good opportunity for all of us from Brecon, Llanfaes and Llanddew to get together. Please sign the list on the notice board if you will be attending.

**Social Evenings**

The evening held in February was enjoyed by all who attended. We want to continue this social contact and Liz Jones would appreciate feedback and fresh ideas as to what we can arrange in the future. In April we will be meeting for the Pancake Supper in the Cathedral.

**Walsingham Pilgrimage 2019**

This year the pilgrimage to Walsingham in Norfolk will take place from Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September until Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September. If the numbers are similar to last year the cost will be in the region of £300. If you would like more information please contact Liz Benning. Booking forms and more details will be available towards the end of the month.

**Other Dates for your Diary**

1st March Dementia Friendly coffee morning in the Guildhall.  
18<sup>th</sup> May Brecon Singers 'Elijah' at St Mary's

**News for April newsletter by Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March.**