

PEWS NEWS



Sunday 22nd February 2026

'To know God for ourselves. To grow in God together. To share God with others'

1st March Second Sunday of Lent

9.30am Contemporary Communion, Newport



[Romans 4.1-5, 13-17](#)
[John 3.1-17](#)

11.15am Holy Communion, Widdington

[Romans 4.1-5, 13-17](#)
[John 3.1-17](#)

8th March Third Sunday of lent

9.30am All Age, Newport



[Romans 5.1-11](#)
[John 4.5-42](#)

11.15am Holy Communion, Quendon

COLLECT

**Almighty God,
you show to those who are in error the light of your truth,
that they may return to the way of righteousness:
grant to all those who are admitted
into the fellowship of Christ's religion,
that they may reject those things
that are contrary to their profession,
and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same;
through our Lord Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.**

AMEN

THIS WEEK		
Monday 2 nd March	10-11.30am	Little Fishes Widdington
Monday 2 nd March	1.30-3pm	Open Table Hardie House
Tuesday 3 rd March	9am	Online Morning Prayer
Tuesday 3 rd March	7.30pm	Lent Course 2 Church House
Wednesday 4 th March	10-11am	Coffee Morning Newport
Wednesday 4 th March	12.30-1.30pm	Widdington Lent Lunch Village Hall
Wednesday 4 th March	2pm	HC at Reynolds Court
Thursday 5 th March	10-12noon	Knit and Natter Newport
FURTHER AHEAD		
Monday 9 th March	10-11.30am	Little Fishes Widdington
Monday 9 th March	1.30-3pm	Open table Hardie House
Tuesday 10 th March	9am	Online Morning Prayer
Tuesday 10 th March	10am	Little Sparks Newport Church
Tuesday 10 th March	7.30pm	Lent Course 3 Church house
Wednesday 11 th March	10-11am	Coffee morning Newport
Wednesday 11 th March	10-11.30am	Coffee morning Widdington
Wednesday 11 th March	2.30pm	HC at Debden Grange
Thursday 12 th March	10-12noon	Knit and Natter Newport

MORNING PRAYER GROUP

OUR TUESDAY MORNING PRAYER GROUP IS A FRIENDLY GROUP AND WARMLY WELCOMES ANYONE WHO WOULD LIKE TO JOIN WITH US VIA ZOOM. KINDLY NOTE JOINING INFORMATION:

Meeting ID: 927 7265 5075
Passcode: 191906



Click the Zoom link to join [HERE](#) you will also need the above information.



For our services led by Peter Allen, Gavin Sunshine & Becky Monk.

For the healing of Judith Pretty, Gary H, Ben and Kay Ledden, Rob Griffiths, Margaret Moule, Martin Folland, Charlotte, Pauline Potterill, Sylvia Wright and Louise, Julie Hancock, Beryl Sears and for God’s healing for those known to us.
May they all who suffer from cancer know the healing presence of God’s love.

For the people of Ukraine and all those caught up in conflict. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. For those with the power over war and peace, we pray for wisdom, discernment, and compassion to guide their decisions.

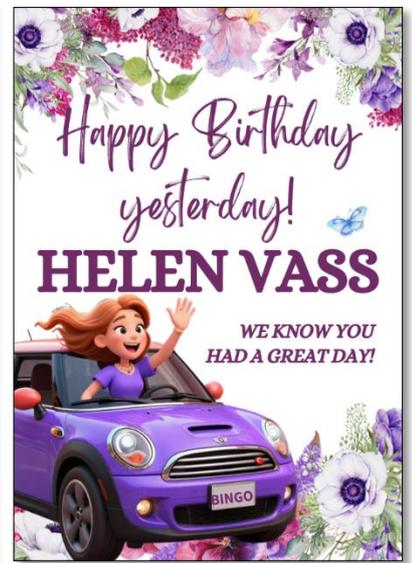
For the people of Israel and Gaza pray for the continued peace deals, for those suffering, we ask that God provides peace in this crisis and protection and comfort for all those who have been impacted.

Thank you for your prayers.
Contact church.jo@yahoo.com for prayer inclusions.



Widdington Village Hall Social Room
Wednesday 4th March
12.30-1.30pm

Please join us!
 Donations for St. Clare Hospice.



Happy Birthday yesterday!
HELEN VASS
 WE KNOW YOU HAD A GREAT DAY!



Our mighty gladiator on Sunday delivered a powerful message: whether we stand in our house slippers or in full armour, God remains our steadfast shield and protector.

Do you recognise this Gladiator?



Little Sparks Storytime
 St Mary's Church, Newport

Starting Tuesday 10th March at 10am in the church
 and then every Tuesday during term-time,
 Join us for a Bible story, songs and refreshments plus lots of play
All are welcome
 0-4yrs with their parents and carers



RAFFLE PRIZES

QUIZ NIGHT

Nibbles & Pudding!

Where: St. Mary's Newport
When: Friday 20th March
Time: Doors open 7 for 7.30pm start

Quizmaster: Matthew Fyleman
 Tickets £5 per head including nibbles & pud.
 Teams up to 6 persons.
 Bar.

LET US KNOW IF YOU'RE COMING!

No googling answers as it's a fast track to the 'Naughty Pew'

NEWPORT OPEN GARDENS

We're delighted to announce that St. Mary's Church will be organising the Newport Open Garden Weekend again this June!

- PLEASE SIGN UP YOUR NEWPORT GARDEN TODAY
- SHARE YOUR PASSION FOR GARDENING
- MEET FELLOW GARDEN LOVERS
- CELEBRATE THE BEAUTY OF OUR VILLAGE
- SUPPORT YOUR CHURCH

We're inviting residents of Newport to take part by opening their gardens to visitors for this special community event.

To find out more and register interest, please contact:

church.jo@yahoo.com (Church Admin)
scan qr below or visit www.stmarynewport.org.uk



Got a garden that's a little bit wild? 🌿 A little bit wonderful? 🌸 Or gloriously "work in progress"? 🌱
Whether it's bursting with blooms, buzzing with butterflies, beautifully landscaped, or happily untamed, we'd love you to enter it into our **Open Garden Event!**



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We are committed to Safeguarding Children, Young People,
Victims of Domestic Abuse and Vulnerable Adults.

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