

THE BENEFICE OF TETBURY, BEVERSTON, LONG NEWNTON & SHIPTON MOYNE

St Mary Magdalene: 22nd July 2018

We are delighted to welcome all visitors and those who are new to our Churches. Please make yourself known to us.

The hymn numbers are shown on our display board(s).

For services of Holy Communion, if you would require a gluten-free wafer, or would like us to bring communion to you, please speak to our Welcomers at the door of the church.

WORSHIP TODAY

Tetbury	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Parish Communion The Revd Peter Hyson, Preside The Revd Poppy Hughes, Rector, Preach
Beverston	10.00am	Matins Wardens
Long Newnton	11.15am	Holy Communion with Baptism The Revd Rob Church, Preside The Revd Poppy Hughes, Rector, Preach
Shipton Moyne	11.15am	Family Service Family Worship Team

Prayers for this Sunday

Almighty God, whose Son restored Mary Magdalene to health of mind and body and called her to be a witness to his resurrection: forgive our sins and heal us by your grace, that we may serve you in the power of his risen life; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

God of life and love, whose risen Son called Mary Magdalene by name and sent her to tell of his resurrection to his apostles: in your mercy, help us, who have been united with him in this eucharist, to proclaim the good news that he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**



BENEFICE NEWS

Benefice Quiet Day, 28th July (10am-3pm, at Shipton Moyne village hall) The day will explore what the Rule of St Benedict says to us today. The day will include a midday Eucharist in church, and plenty of space for silence and contemplation. A simple lunch will be served. Please let Diana Sharp know if you would like to attend.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Café Church on Wednesdays 2-3pm at the Priory Inn's café Bar, Tetbury. For anyone who's not sure about church. Join us for coffee, cake (and toys for the children!) Sarah and Eileen. Enquires to the Parish office.

We are joined by the **congregational choir** this morning in Tetbury Church.



REQUESTS AND THANK YOU'S

Little Fishes Would you be happy to volunteer in St Marys Tetbury to help Little Fishes on a Sunday? Please talk to Poppy.

Coffee -Volunteers are needed to help make and serve coffee in St Marys Tetbury. Please talk to Diana Sharp about what is involved.

Cirencester Foodbank are excited to announce their latest fundraising initiative "**myFoodbankSupper**". Will you take on the challenge of hosting a dinner party with a difference? Invite your friends around for dinner & make them a meal using items typically found in a foodbank parcel. We'll supply shopping lists, invitations for your guests, balloons & table flags. All we ask in return is that they make a donation to the Foodbank. For information visit: <https://cirencester.foodbank.org.uk/supper/>



PRAYER DIARY

Baptisms: Please pray for **Thomas Robertson and Grace Stidever** who will be baptised in Long Newnton today their parents and God parents.

Tetbury Praying the Town: Mercer Way, Glovers Way and Quercus Road

Monday: Graham Kean, Diana Martiez, Sammy & Carl, Michael

Tuesday: Bill Geers, Lybia, Doris, Jean & ken, Breeda, Willie

Wednesday: Family of Fergus Persse, Sheila Little, Olive, Dee

Thursday: Luis Beltran, Jenny, Sabina, James O'Sullivan

Friday: Baby Freya, Rob, Vanda, Susie, Alan, Win, James

Departed: Donald Jones, Elizabeth Noël Witchell, Alison Bennett,
Joy Morgan

Years Mind: Tony Bayes (27/7), Muriel Stanley (28/7)

("Year's Mind" is to mark the first anniversary of a death – often a difficult time for family and friends)

BENEFICE DIARY FOR THE WEEK BEGINNING MONDAY 23rd July

Wednesday	9.30am	Tetbury	Holy Communion
	2.30pm	Shipton Moyne	Funeral of Donald Jones
Thursday	2.30pm	Tetbury	Funeral of Alison Bennett
	7.000pm		Tetbury PCC meet
Saturday	10.00am	Shipton Moyne Village Hall	Benefice Quiet Day

WORSHIP NEXT WEEK

Tetbury	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Parish Communion
		The Revd Poppy Hughes, Rector

Beverston *Join Tetbury or
Shipton Moyne*

Long
Newnton *Join Tetbury or
Shipton Moyne*

Shipton Moyne 11.15am Holy Communion
The Revd Rob Church

BENEFICE CONTACT DETAILS

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Please contact our Benefice Office with **notices and prayer requests**. Weekly deadline: 8.30am, Thursday.

75 words max please.

St Mary Magdalene

Old Testament

Song of Solomon 3.1-4

Upon my bed at night I sought him whom my soul loves; I sought him, but found him not; I called him, but he gave no answer. 'I will rise now and go about the city, in the streets and in the squares; I will seek him whom my soul loves.' I sought him, but found him not. The sentinels found me, as they went about in the city. 'Have you seen him whom my soul loves?' Scarcely had I passed them, when I found him whom my soul loves. I held him, and would not let him go until I brought him into my mother's house, and into the chamber of her that conceived me.

New Testament

2 Corinthians 5.14-17

The love of Christ urges us on, because we are convinced that one has died for all; therefore all have died. And he died for all, so that those who live might live no longer for themselves, but for him who died and was raised for them. From now on, therefore, we regard no one from a human point of view; even though we once knew Christ from a human point of view, we know him no longer in that way. So if anyone is in Christ, there is a new creation: everything old has passed away; see, everything has become new!

Gospel

John 20.1-2,11-18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.'

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman,

why are you weeping?' She said to them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (which means Teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."' Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.