

BENEFICE BULLETIN

Sunday 11 February
Sunday next before Lent

Weekly Diary

Sunday 11th

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| 9.00am | St Peter's | Holy Communion |
| 10.30am | St Mary's | Holy Communion |

Wednesday 14th- **ASH WEDNESDAY**

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| 10.00am | St Mary's | Holy Communion |
| 3.00pm | St Mary's | Friendship Tea |

Friendship Tea

Come along and enjoy a chat and some cakes at 3pm in St Mary's. If you need transport please contact Hilary Craig (813923), Jan Harling (01798 342233) or Sue Absolom (812105).

200 Club February Winners

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| 1 | 100 | Annie Lean |
| 2= | 75 | Linda Chapman |
| 2= | 75 | Peggy Goodale |
| 3= | 50 | Valerie Haggie |
| 3= | 50 | Carole Sawyer |
| 3= | 50 | Wendy Gillam |

Collection of used stamps

Thank you to everyone who has donated used stamps. We have collected a small carrier bag worth to date. We will continue collecting the stamps. Liz Bounton

The Big Blanket Stitch-Along

Easebourne Primary would love volunteers to knit or crochet them some 20cm x 20cm squares, which will be made into cosy reading blankets for each classroom. If you are able to help, please bring your handiwork into church and we will ensure it is safely delivered to the school. Thank you!

LENT 2024

‘A Journey through our church’



Lent begins this year of 14 February with our Ash Wednesday service. As part of our year of spiritual journey, Derek and Liz are offering a Lent course based around St. Mary's church building, called 'A Journey through our church.' The course will focus on key elements of church life and how they connect to the Cross of Christ:

Baptism: The Journey begins!

God's word: A lamp unto my feet...

Prayer: The conversation we share with God.

Holy Communion: Remembrance and refreshment.

Sending Out: In love we serve...

The course will run on Tuesday evenings at 7pm and Wednesday mornings after the 10am mid-week communion. Please do come and join us for this important spiritual journey through Lent- sign-up sheets are at the back of St. Mary's and St Peter's.

Ash Wednesday Service- 10am Weds 14th Feb

Do join us for Holy Communion (including midweek hymns- hurrah!) and the imposition of ashes on this important day in the Christian calendar.

‘In **FAITH** we **FOLLOW** + In **HOPE** we **LIVE** + In **LOVE** we **SERVE**’

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