

The Church of England Parishes of

Bincombe with Broadway, Upwey and Buckland Ripers



THE MESSENGER AND REMINDER Autumn 2014

Our Website : www.thewaytojesus.org.uk

For Church and Community

Church of England

Rector: Revd Richard Simmons

The Rectory, 526 Littlemoor Road

Broadway DT3 5PA

Honorary Curate:

Revd Pat Jones, 23 Came Down Close

Assistant Minister

Revd Brian Ellis, 27 Fisherbridge

Licensed Lay Ministers

Terry & Alex Landsbert,

West Manor, Upwey

CHURCH WARDENS

Holy Trinity Bincombe

Charles and Judy Foot,

Higher Ashton Farm, Dorchester

St Nicholas Broadway

Sue Genge, Harbour View Bungalow

Norman Hayne, 11 Stonechat Close

St Laurence Upwey

Pru Bollam, 80 Elwell Street

Sally Pinhey, 664 Dorchester Road

St Nicholas Buckland Ripers

Beatrice Gale, 23 Beech Road

John Perrott, Manor Cottage, Church Lane

Broadway : Children's Church

Lizzie Crumbleholme

St Laurence Junior Church

Contact : Betty Sutcliffe

Our four Churches offer you a variety of worship styles and are open to everyone.

Easy to follow leaflets or booklets are used in our services, and if you come to a communion service - all are welcome to share fully in what we do and how we do it.

Broadway Methodist Church

Sunday Services at 10.30am

The last Saturday in the month from 2.30pm Broadway Methodist is open **'Time for Tea'** (refreshments served) for all in the community to come and meet each other over a cuppa and nice cake!

My Dear Friends,

There's an old Church Chorus which goes...

"Yesterday, today, forever, Jesus is the same.

All may change, but Jesus never! Glory to His Name."

Words based on the New Testament verse (Hebrews 13.8)

Jesus Christ is the same yesterday and today and forever.

In changing times, it is good news that there is one constant, 100% guaranteed – the goodness of a loving, caring God.

I write this on the day Scotland votes, and by the time you read this the issue will have been decided. Her Majesty the Queen has said that she values the annual cycle of calendar events that make up her year. It's the routine that makes us feel safe. As we approach Harvest, then Remembrance-tide, then Advent as it leads us in to Christmas, summer departs, the autumn comes and prepares to give way to winter. Even these events are variable. Harvest Festival is upon us, but the harvest produce we traditionally celebrate has been gathered in a long time ago.

Most of us struggle with change. For those of you unsure about coming to Church because it's changed, you want to see it from the inside! On 28th September I will have been ordained 39 years, and wow, have I seen some change in the Church, and not all for the better. Please don't think that I find it all easy to cope with.

The French put it like this... "Plus ça change, plus c'est la même chose." Which means, the more things change, the more they stay the same. This is an expression of pessimistic resignation, when change doesn't bring about what we had hoped for. But – we have a God who, thankfully, never changes. He is ever faithful, always loving and forgiving, and always – always - wanting the best for us, though we do not always see it that way.

Jesus came to change us; to change us from darkness to light, from fear to hope and to offer us a new beginning with God and with each other. He is always there to listen, to love, to forgive, to be with us on our journey. He is the One Constant when everything goes wrong and everyone seems against us. But what seems to be is not what really is, and we need Jesus in the here and now to assure us that all will be well. Thank goodness that He stands alongside us to help us get our relationships on to a new track with Him and, perhaps, with others.

Yours sincerely,
Richard Simmons

The Rectory, Broadway

PARISH NOTES

BINCOMBE WITH BROADWEY



All ages are welcome
to join us at
**St Nicholas Church
Broadwey**

for our 10.30am Sunday Family Worship with
hymns and songs old and not so old.

You will find a relaxed family atmosphere and we
even have a toilet and a baby changing area!



St Nicholas Fill-Up Friday
(7.30pm - Second Friday of the month)
Do you want to get to grips with your faith?
Do you want to learn more about God
and His Bible?

Fill-Up Friday -

At the end of the week, a place to fill up on faith,
coffee and doughnuts.

See www.theweytojesus.org.uk/fillup-Friday

St Nicholas Broadwey Harvest Festival

Sunday 28th September 10.30am

All Welcome

**Please bring along Harvest gifts
suitable for our Local Food Banks**

Bincombe with Broadwey

Christmas Fair & Table Top Sale

Saturday 22nd November 11.00am - 3.00pm

Upwey and Broadwey Memorial Hall

Victoria Avenue

**Bookstall - Crafts - Wood Turning - Jewellery
Handicrafts - W.I. Stalls - Nicnaks & Fuchsias
Crochet - Tombola - Ploughman's Lunches**

A request from Sheila and George Dyer.

**We need items for the Tombola: Bottles, Jars,
ornaments; chocolates, sweets, unwanted gifts,
anything we can stick a ticket on.**

**Please drop it into the Rectory or phone
Sheila or George on 813422 and we will collect.**

Holy Trinity Bincombe

Harvest Festival at Holy Trinity Bincombe

Sunday 28th September 3.00pm

**Followed by Harvest Tea
in Church**

**Please bring along Harvest gifts
suitable for our Local Food Banks**



**St Laurence Upwey
Harvest Festival
Sunday 5th October
10.30am**

**Please bring along Harvest gifts
suitable for our Local Food Banks**

St Laurence Upwey Coffee Mornings with Bring & Buy

Tuesday 14th October 10.30am - 12 Noon

Sue and David Mountjoy

7 Elwell Street, Upwey

Tuesday 11th November 10.30am - 12 Noon

Betty and Paul Sutcliffe

32 Elwell Street, Upwey

Tuesday 9th December 10.30am - 12 Noon

Jackie and David Johnson

104 Church Street, Upwey

St Laurence Upwey Christmas Fair

Saturday 29th November

11.30am - 2.30pm

Upwey Old School Village Hall

Usual Christmas Stalls : Raffle

Coffee - lunches



ST NICHOLAS BUCKLAND RIPERS

One of the prettiest Churches
in Dorset. See the Service list
on the back for the times of
our Services.

Buckland Ripers Harvest Festival

Sunday October 12th 6.00pm

Followed by Harvest Buffet

From Our Church Registers

We Welcome by Baptism into the Lord's family
James and Jocelyn Bullimore, Esther Goodsell

We mourn the passing of

Bunty Gee; Joyce Reynolds; Ted Ellis,
Ron Morris; Harry Charman; June Cooper;
Dora Marsh; Charles Webber.

We congratulate on their Marriage.

Charlie Kenderdine and Danielle Coutts
Daniel McSevney and Megan Day
Aaron Wilson and Louisa Yates
Steven Palmer and Nicola Cronk
Lee Samways and Megan Pipe



St Nicholas & St Laurence

Church of England

Primary School, Broadway

Children at the Heart of all we do

Together we Hope, Together we Love, Together we Learn

Every Day at School is a day worth being here for. It's exciting for us to see how well our Reception children are settling in. We are hearing how well last year's Year 6 are doing in their new schools, and we have a great Year 6 now in their final year.

Our hot School meals are working really well.

Parents, please, please listen to your children read for a short while every evening. It will really help them make good progress. And please – make sure your children arrive in plenty of time at the beginning of each School day.

We are teaching the children the importance of the 7 C's, not only for when they're in School but at home and as they grow up into the big wide world.

**WE ARE TO BE : - Caring : Courteous : Conscientious
Considerate : Confident : Co-operative : Communicative**

Perhaps these qualities could be taken on board by all of us.

Governors' Meeting on 30th September

Please visit our School Website

www.stnicholasstlaurence.dorset.sch.uk



Operation Christmas Child Shoeboxes.

Leaflets are going out from our Church School and are also available in the Churches and at Broadway Village Stores. It is a great opportunity to send a personal gift to a child for Christmas, and this year our boxes will be going out to Eastern Europe – cold countries.

Preparing a Shoebox need not be expensive, but well worth the effort. Completed Boxes, money, or gifts for the boxes may be handed in at our Church School – St Nicholas and St Laurence, our four Churches or at The Rectory, Broadway.

Shoebox Service – and last day for collection

Sunday 30th November – 10.30am

St Nicholas, Broadway.

**Fill me O God to overflowing with the flavour of your
favour. The joy of joining in the rejuvenation of the
world you so love so much.**

ORGANISATIONS AND CONTACTS

Scouts – Cubs – Beavers –	Mr Wheeler	
Guides	TBA	
Brownies	Mrs Susan Genge	750028
Women's Institute		813853
Upwey Society	Mr John Huggins	813243
	www.upweysociety.org.uk	
Horticultural Society	Mrs Ros Gant	814887
Quangle Wangle Choir	Mrs Juliet Harwood	814940
Upwey Pottery Group	Mr and Mrs Cook	812665
Upwey Nurdlers	Albert The Beard	812030
Upwey Wishing Well		814470
Upwey Bell Ringers	Andrea Jacob	815850
St Nicholas and St Laurence School		
Head Teacher	Mrs Helen Williams	812534
Chair of Governors	Mr Mike Glanville	
The Wey Valley School	Mr Phil Thomas	817000
Wyvern School (Head	Mrs Sue Hoxey	817917
Smarties – Pre-School	Mrs Angela Morris	816421
Broadway Stores (Peter and Janet)		812417
Ingleside Residential Home		812667
Peter Read – Florists		812932

Hall Bookings

Upwey and Broadway Memorial Hall		
Jonathan Harwood		814940
Upwey Old School	Mr Phil Cooke	812665
Reynolds Community Centre	Sam Hoskins	812655

Community Notices

Women's Institute (Memorial Hall)

For programme information and enquiries of how to join, please contact the Secretary on 813853

Horticultural Society

All meeting held at St Nicholas School, Broadway at 7.30pm. New members always welcome

October 2nd The Nursery Year

November 6th Kew Gardens

New members always welcome. Contact Ros Gant 814887 or visit our website•• budhs.org.uk

Weymouth Lip Reading Group

Mondays – 12.30pm - 2pm. All Welcome
Reynolds Community Centre Broadway. DT3 5BY
Contact 07786024179 or 01300348580

Or email Elizabeth.ian.messer@gmail.com

LITTLEMOOR LIBRARY Tel : 812350

Opening hours - Monday – Closed

Tues. 9.30 – 1.0pm; 2.0pm – 5.0pm;

Wed.2.0pm – 5.0pm; Thurs. 2.0pm – 6.30pm;

Frids 2.0pm – 5.0pm; Sats. 9.30 – 12.30pm

St Laurence Church Upwey Bell ringers

Meet Wednesday Evenings in Church at 7.30pm

Upwey Society - Barbecue - 23rd August

www.upweysociety.org.uk

Smarties for Pre-School Children.

Your local pre-School in the heart of Broadway runs in Term Time, offering a safe friendly and professional environment, encouraging learning and development through play. A warm welcome awaits you and your children.

For more information or to arrange a visit contact Angela Morris on 816421. Visit our website

www.smartiespreschool.co.uk