

This week's services

Sunday 9	Lent 1	
8.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Eastergate
9am	Mattins (BCP)	Barnham
9.30am	Said Mass (BCP)	Barnham
10am	Family Communion *	Eastergate
10am	Parish Communion *	Aldingbourne
11.15am	Sung Mass	Barnham
2.30pm	Messy Church	Eastergate Sch
6pm	Evensong and Benediction	Barnham

* All services with imposition of ashes

Tues 11	<i>Feria</i>	
6.30pm	Said Mass	Barnham
7pm	Lent course	Barnham

Wed 12	<i>Feria</i>	
10am	Holy Communion	Eastergate
Noon	Lent course	Westergate Methodist

Thurs 13	<i>Feria</i>	
12.30pm	Thanksgiving for Val Greenwood	Aldingbourne

Fri 14	<i>Feria</i>	
6.30pm	Stations of the Cross	Barnham

Sat 15	<i>Feria</i>	
10.30am	Burial of ashes - <i>Joan Millard</i>	Eastergate

Sunday 16	Lent 2	
8.30am	Holy Communion (BCP)	Eastergate
9am	Mattins (BCP)	Barnham
9.30am	Said Mass (BCP)	Barnham
9.45am	Sunday Seekers	Eastergate Sch
10am	Family Communion	Eastergate
10am	Parish Communion	Aldingbourne
11.15am	Sung Mass	Barnham
6pm	Evensong (BCP)	Barnham

NEXT SUNDAY'S READINGS

ALDINGBOURNE & EASTERGATE (Lent 2)

Gen 15:1-12,17-18, Ps 27, Phil 3:17-4:1, Luke 13:31-35

BARNHAM (Lent 2)

Gen 15:5-12,17-18, Ps 927, Phil 3:17-4:1, Luke 9:28-36

St Mary's Aldingbourne - For more information contact Sarah Nichol on 543348 or email sarahnicholpabe@gmail.com

St Mary's Barnham - Please contact Bradley on 07931 527724 or bradley.smith4@gmail.com for further details of services.

St George's Eastergate - Please contact Gary on 552099 or email courtndadge@outlook.com for more information, if needed..

Sunday Seekers meets on Sunday at 9.45am in Eastergate School and joins the church congregation towards the end of the service Further details from Hedda on 696811.

Play & Pray - Every Friday morning 10-11.30am in St. George's. For more details contact Hedda on 696811

The Parish Office (Website: www.parihofabe.org.uk)
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Clergy contact:

Rector - Revd Canon Paul Armstead : 551566
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For colleagues please see the Parish News



ABE CONTACT

9 March 2025

Lent 1

WELCOME to church today especially if this is the first time you have been with us. Please make yourself known to our wardens and stay for refreshments at the end.

MESSY CHURCH meets this afternoon at Eastergate School from 2.30pm - 4.30pm and we will be thinking about *Noah's Ark*. All ages welcome to join in the fun!

FOODBANK collection points for the Bognor Foodbank at Tesco Express, Co-op and the Trading Post in Barnham. Alternatively you can order online at givetoday.co.uk/bognorfoodbank. **This week they are asking for** small jars of coffee, biscuits, tinned meat, tinned fish and tinned fruit. Or look at their website for the up to date list.

LENT Our Lent courses begin this week. On Tuesday evening Fr Graham is leading sessions about the Nicene Creed starting at 7pm in St Mary's Barnham. And on Wednesday our lunchtime Lent course at the Methodist Church starts. A light soup lunch at Noon followed by discussion using 'A Passion for Christ' by Michael Baughen. Details in the magazine. All are welcome.

LENT BOOK EXCHANGE Rev Sheila has a number of past Lent Books which she will leave at the back of St. George's, please help yourself, or pass on to others.

STATIONS OF THE CROSS are one of the ways that we can spend time this Lent contemplating what Jesus undertook for our sakes. Every Friday at Barnham at 6.30pm. All may, some should, none must.

CONFIRMATION If you are interested in being confirmed this year then please could you send Fr Paul an e mail and we can plan accordingly.

FIRST COMMUNION If you would like your child to be admitted to communion then we plan the preparation courses and again, please let Fr Paul know by e mail.

CHICHESTER SSB meets on 11 March at 12.30pm at St Pancras Church. A small group meeting for all involved with or interested in any Religious Order). Details from Eileen (552577) or sianthomas98@gmail.com

You can donate to our ministry and mission by

- **Joining the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS)** details in each church or contact Chris Wells, Treasurer,
- **By card at the entrance to each church** by Goodbox (contactless) donations.
- **By cash in the Offertory plate during the service**

The Parish of ABE has to raise £2,200 (approx.) per week to meet the costs of ministry and mission and is grateful to everyone who works towards this. Please be generous.