



18 August 2024

Dates for Diary

12th September **Lisa's Licencing service** 7.30 Wick Hall followed by refreshments in the small hall.

15th September Combined 9.30 and 11am service PLEASE NOTE REVISED TIME 10.30. This will be Lisa's first service at our church.

12th October **Harvest Festival Lunch** will again be held in church Saturday 12th October

Lyminster Knucker Music Fest 15th–22nd September

Monday The Story of Lyminster Knucker. Tuesday Silent Movie in the Nave. Wednesday Red Priest. Thursday Vespers Poor Clares Convent. Friday Quartet for the end of time. Saturday Crescent City Band.

Tickets from Lyminster or www.knuckermusicfest.org.uk

Annual Quiz Night This extremely popular fundraising event will be held in Wick hall Saturday 7th December

PRAYER LIST

Sue, Doug Hatton, Sandy Raywood, Tina Ward, Brian McAvilley, Tony Couch, Muriel Burnett, John Q, Sarah's family, Richard and his Father. *Please email names for prayer list to Jonathan Black at the Wick Information Centre.*

Welcome to St Mary Magdalene Church, Lyminster and to our church building which has been a place of worship for nearly 1,000 years. If you are visiting, or this is your first time here, please make yourself known to one of the welcomers.

We hope that you feel welcome and able to share in the good news of Jesus our risen Lord and Saviour. Please contact Church warden or welcomers if you'd like to, and please stay to get to know us better after the service. We are currently in a vacancy as we pray for a new vicar to join us. We warmly welcome Reji this week who will lead the service.

ALL ENQUIRIES

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HYMN NUMBERS

260 Morning has broken

313 My God, and is thy table spread

309 Let all mortal flesh keep silence

386 Be thou my vision

COLLECT for The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

BIBLE READINGS

1 Kings 2:10-12, 3:3-4

10 Then David rested with his ancestors and was buried in the City of David. 11 He had reigned for forty years over Israel – seven years in Hebron and thirty-three in Jerusalem. 12 So Solomon sat on the throne of his father David, and his rule was firmly established.

Chapter 3

3 Solomon showed his love for the Lord by walking according to the instructions given him by his father David, except that he offered sacrifices and burned incense on the high places. 4 The king went to Gibeon to offer sacrifices, for that was the most important high place, and Solomon offered a thousand burnt offerings on that altar.

John 6:51-58

51 I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats this bread will live for ever. This bread is my flesh, which I will give for the life of the world.' 52 Then the Jews began to argue sharply among themselves, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' 53 Jesus said to them, 'Very truly I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. 54 Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood has eternal life, and I will raise them up at the last day. 55 For my flesh is real food and my blood is real drink. 56 Whoever eats my flesh and drinks my blood remains in me, and I in them. 57 Just as the living Father sent me and I live because of the Father, so the one who feeds on me will live because of me. 58 This is the bread that came down from heaven. Your ancestors ate manna and died, but whoever feeds on this bread will live for ever.'

CHURCH FAMILY NEWS

The prayer meetings have been postponed at the moment giving John time to recover his health.

Poor Clares Taize Evening service is the last Friday of the month 7pm at the Convent which is opposite the Premier Inn at Crossbush, Lyminster. Car Parking is adequate. The Sisters have recorded a second disc with Decca which should be on sale fairly soon.

Gerry is still collecting used postage stamps.

There are still some blank spaces on the Tea and coffee rota.