

CHURCH DIARY

5 April,	10.00am,	Easter Day, Family Communion
12 April,	8.30am,	Holy Communion (BCP)
19 April,	4.00pm,	Celebrating St George's Day, Family Service
26 April,	6.00pm,	Evensong (BCP)

Annual Parochial Church Meeting, 20th April, 7.00pm, in the church.

We will be **decorating the church for Easter** on **Saturday 4th April** from about **9.30 a.m.** All welcome to lend a hand!

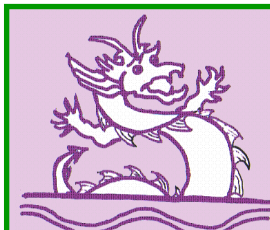
Reminder - Bible Study / Discussion Group - we have provisionally arranged to meet at **7.30pm** on **Tuesday 7th April** in the church room at Ogbourne St George Church.

If you are interested in joining us, please email Oliver Iliffe (oliveriliffe@yahoo.co.uk) or Nicky Irwin (nicky.irwin@dunvegan.biz)

BENEFICE WALK

The Benefice Walk will take place on **Sunday, 16 May** starting in **Holy Cross Church Hall** with breakfast at **9am**. We will start walking at 9.30am to Barbury where the three parishes meet, for coffee and a short service, before heading off to Ogbourne St George church for lunch. Please bring your own food and drink. We intend to walk back by the railway path. However, we hope to arrange lifts from Barbury and Ogbourne St George for those who need it. Volunteers are required to help with this. Please let me know if you intend to come. Fr Roger - 01793 740369.

Contributions for the May Dragon by 20th April; and/or to receive The Dragon by email contact the editor, Sally Utton at dragonnews@btinternet.com



The Dragon April 2015

Thank you Thank you Thank you

A huge thank you to everyone who helped to make the Jumble Sale such a success by donating items, setting up and serving or coming along on the day to get some fabulous bargains. Thanks to your generosity and support we raised almost £900 for the school and churches of St George and St Andrew.

Next Jumble Sale - Saturday 10 October 2015

Don't throw anything away - recycle at the Jumble Sale!

Coffee Morning and Book Sale

Saturday 25 April

10.00 - 12.00

Village Hall

Come and choose from a huge selection of pre-loved books of all genres.

There'll be coffee, tea, home baking (including a cake stall) and the chance to catch up on village news.

Raising funds for the church and village hall.

The Inn with the Well

Kevin's music quiz Good Friday 3/4 from 8.30pm

Wiltshire Blues Easter Sunday 5/4 at 5.30 with our very own Angie as one of the singers.

Film night Sunday 3/5 7.00pm. "One night in Istanbul", a comedy about a group of fans who follow Liverpool to the Champions league final

Music quiz Sunday 25th of May

Running club Will Sanderson and I would like to re start the running club, please let me know if you are interested and what day, time would suit. All welcome from fun runners, just want to get out the house, to long distance persons. Mike.

THE MOBILE LIBRARY parks outside the school in Ogbourne St George on alternate **Thursdays from 10-10.30am.**

Dates for this month are **9th and 23rd April.**

"**The Post Office** branch, based in One Stop in the High Street is closing for refurbishing on Tuesday April 7th at 5.30 p.m. for two and a half weeks - and there will be no alternative facilities in the town."

There are PO services in Burbage, Hungerford, Avebury, Great Bedwyn, Ramsbury, Aldbourne and Pewsey.

Kennet Community Bus will be running a weekly Wednesday service to Burbage for pensioners and benefit claimants. The service which will leave the Jubilee Centre at 11 a.m. is free, but the operator says a small donation would be appreciated. The bus seats 11 people.

Marlborough Post Office will reopen on Friday April 24 at 1 p.m. There will be an extra retail servicing counter offering special delivery, first and second class mail, home shopping returns, postal orders and Local Collect. The retail counter will be open Monday to Sunday 6 a.m. to 10 p.m.

Marlborough Police have advised that a man was reported acting suspiciously on the railway footpath recently. Please take appropriate sensible precautions if you are out running, including ensuring someone knows where you are going, and carrying a mobile phone.

100 Club winners for March

1st Mark Coles, 2nd Barry Reardon-Smith and 3rd Mike Tattersall.

Marlborough Medical Practise

You can now cancel an appointment you no longer need or find you cannot attend, and there are 3 easy ways you can do this:

- Online through our website, more than 24 hours before the appointment - <http://www.marlboroughdoctors.org.uk/making-appointments>
- Drop in and cancel in person
- Call the Practice on 01672 512187

Don't feel bad about cancelling an appointment, we understand that things crop up and we are always happy to rearrange. If you cancel then these appointments are available for other patients.

During December, 41 hours and 32 minutes of clinical time was lost due to patients failing to attend their booked appointments. With this time we could have offered up to 246 appointments to other patients.

We thank you for your continued help and support.

May Dance - Saturday 16th May 2015

7:30 p.m. - midnight

**The Ogbourne Downs Golf Club,
Ogbourne St. George**

For the third year running.....

To be held in aid of Hearing Dogs for the Deaf. See website <http://www.hearingdogs.org.uk> to discover the good work they do and the difference they can make.

Dancing to "Locomotion" Swindon's number one band, Buffet, Raffle. A cracking good night is guaranteed. Tickets - £17:00 each.

All profits will be donated to the charity

Please e-mail or telephone Lizzy Hawnt to book tickets for you and your friends :

07821-396-430 / 01672-841553

e-mail : hawnted.house@btinternet.com

Last year, we sold out quickly so don't delay in buying your tickets! Numbers are limited this year!