



## Southam & Ufton

30<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> March and 1<sup>st</sup> April:

7pm Compline (St James Church, Southam) - The name of the service means "the completion" (of the working day) - an opportunity to spend a short time together in church to pray and give thanks for the day and look ahead to the events of Good Friday and Easter.

2<sup>nd</sup> April

10am Holy Communion - our regular weekday time to meet in worship

3<sup>rd</sup> April

10am Children's Service (St James Church, Southam)

11am Walk of Witness - Combined Churches of Southam. Gather at the Grange Hall, Coventry Road to walk to the police station where a short combined church service will be held

2pm Hour at the Cross (St James Church, Southam) - A time to think and pray together, reflecting on the arrest, trial and crucifixion of Jesus on Good Friday

2pm St Michael and All Angels Church, Ufton open for prayer - Although there is no formal service the church will be open so that anyone may come in to pray and remember what Jesus did for us on this day

5<sup>th</sup> April

8am Holy Communion

10am All Age Service with Holy Communion (St James Church, Southam)

10am All Age Service with Holy Communion (St Michael and All Angels Church, Ufton)

## Bishop's Itchington & Radford Semele

### Lent

During Lent, both St Michael's (Bishop's Itchington) and St Nicholas (Radford Semele) are working through the Tearfund Lent course "Just People" based on poverty and injustice, with material in our Sunday services and midweek homegroups. There will also be individual take-home sheets for those not in groups. Please speak to Martin (01926 613466) or Vikki (07983 402614) if you would like further information.

### Celebrating Easter at St Michael's Church, Bishop's Itchington

March 29th Palm Sunday at 10.30am

Journey through Holy Week: A short reflection each night: Mon 30th - Wed 1st at 7.30pm

April 2nd Maundy Thursday at 6.30 with a simple meal

April 3rd Good Friday hour at the cross meditation at 2.00pm

April 5th Easter Sunday Holy Communion celebration at 10.30am

## Celebrating Easter at St Nicholas, Radford Semele

March 29th Palm Sunday 6.00pm Breathing space: A time of informal worship, reflecting on the events of Palm Sunday

April 3rd Good Friday 11.00 – 1.00pm Messy Church: An activity based morning including a short act of worship at 12.00 and lunch

April 5th Easter Sunday: 9.30am Family Celebration with Communion

A special event on Easter Monday April 6th:

7.30pm Gordon Giltrap in Concert. An evening of guitar music. Tickets : £10 from Rev Martin Green 01926 613466

## Harbury & Ladbroke

Lent course (also for confirmation candidates) on 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd March. For further info please contact Rev Craig Grocock 01926 612377

## The Bridges Group

(Napton, Stockton, Lower Shuckburgh, Wormleighton, Priors Hardwick & Priors Marston)

Do something extra in Lent...

WHAT: a series of meetings in Lent designed by us to help us all grow closer to God.

WHEN: Thursdays – 8.00 pm - 26<sup>th</sup> February and all the Thursdays in March.

WHERE: Priors Marston Church. (Please ask if you need help getting there.)

HOW: each week a mixture of short talks by Bob Clucas, short discussions (you don't have to speak), time to reflect led by Gillian Roberts and a few hymns and songs.

WHY: every Christian should make some effort to get better at following Jesus. Lent is as good a time as any to take a check-up. It's hard to do on your own.

Holy Week:

9.00am Morning Prayer each day in Stockton & 6.00pm Evening Prayer each day in Napton

April 2nd Maundy Thursday

7pm Meal & Communion @ Stockton Church

7:30pm Common Worship Holy Communion @ Priors Marston

April 3rd Good Friday

10:30am Meditations on the Cross @ Priors Marston

7:30pm Meditations at the Cross @ Napton

April 5th Easter Sunday

9am BCP Communion @ Wormleighton

9am BCP Communion @ Priors Hardwick

10:30am Common Worship Holy Communion @ Napton

10:30am Common Worship Holy Communion @ Priors Marston

4pm Easter Service @ Lower Shuckburgh

Further info from Rev Gillian Roberts 01926 815831