



# THE PARISHES OF LEDBURY AND EASTNOR

*Worshipping God,  
Following Jesus, Sharing His Love*



## BIBLE SUNDAY Sunday 28th October 2018

- 8.00am BCP Holy Communion  
*Led by The Revd Michael Gallagher*
- 9.30am Parish Communion with Prayer Ministry  
*Led by The Revd Michael Gallagher*  
*Gerald Jones of The Gideons, will be our guest speaker*
- 11.15am Eastnor Parish Communion  
*Led by The Revd Joan Wakeling*

### Church Diary for the week ahead

Mon	29 <sup>th</sup> October	8.00pm	Ecumenical Worship, Ledbury Baptist Church
Thurs	1st November	7-12-7	Prayers
Friday	2 <sup>nd</sup> November	9.00am	Prayer Meeting, S <sup>t</sup> Anne's Chapel
		10.30am	Holy Communion, S <sup>t</sup> Katherine's Chapel

### Next Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> November 2018 ALL SAINTS

- 8:00am BCP Holy Communion  
10.30am Baptism with Holy Communion  
3.00pm All Souls Service

If you are new here, welcome. Please fill in one of the blue welcome cards located at the end of each pew so that you can receive information about church activities. Yellow Gift Aid envelopes are available at the end of each pew and at the back of the church. There is a Hearing Loop in this Church. Gluten free wafers are available; please ask one of the Sidespeople.

**Service Times and lectionary readings** can be found posted in the church porch and on the church website [www.ledburyparishchurch.org.uk](http://www.ledburyparishchurch.org.uk) under the 'Services' section.

**Facebook – The church has a facebook page:**

[fb.me/stmichaelsledbury](https://www.facebook.com/stmichaelsledbury) – take a look, like and participate

**Twitter** – If you use Twitter do sign-up to S. Michael's twitter account: [@LedburyParish](https://twitter.com/LedburyParish)

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Readings for 28<sup>th</sup> October 2018:

*Bible Sunday*

### First Reading: **Isaiah 55: 1 – 11**

<sup>1</sup> “Come, everyone who thirsts, come to the waters; and he who has no money, come, buy and eat! Come, buy wine and milk without money and without price.  
<sup>2</sup> Why do you spend your money for that which is not bread and your labour for that which does not satisfy?  
Listen diligently to me, and eat what is good and delight yourselves in rich food.  
<sup>3</sup> Incline your ear, and come to me; hear, that your soul may live; and I will make with you an everlasting covenant, my steadfast, sure love for David.  
<sup>4</sup> Behold, I made him a witness to the peoples, a leader and commander for the peoples.  
<sup>5</sup> Behold, you shall call a nation that you do not know and a nation that did not know you shall run to you, because of the LORD your God, and of the Holy One of Israel, for He has glorified you.  
<sup>6</sup> “Seek the LORD while He may be found; call upon Him while He is near; <sup>7</sup>let the wicked forsake his way and the unrighteous man his thoughts; let him return to the LORD, that He may have compassion on him and to our God, for He will abundantly pardon.  
<sup>8</sup> For my thoughts are not your thoughts, neither are your ways my ways, declares the LORD.  
<sup>9</sup> For as the heavens are higher than the earth, so are my ways higher than your ways and my thoughts than your thoughts.  
<sup>10</sup> “For as the rain and the snow come down from heaven and do not return there but water the earth, making it bring forth and sprout, giving seed to the sower and bread to the eater, <sup>11</sup>so shall my word be that goes out from my mouth; it shall not return to me empty, but it shall accomplish that which I purpose, and shall succeed in the thing for which I sent it.

### Second Reading: **2 Timothy 3: 14 – 4:4**

<sup>14</sup> But as for you, continue in what you have learned and have firmly believed, knowing from whom you learned it <sup>15</sup>and how from childhood you have been acquainted with the sacred writings, which are able to make you wise for salvation through faith in Christ Jesus.  
<sup>16</sup> All Scripture is breathed out by God and profitable for teaching, for reproof, for correction, and for training in righteousness, <sup>17</sup>that the man of God may be competent, equipped for every good work.  
<sup>4:1</sup> I charge you in the presence of God and of Christ Jesus, who is to judge the living and the dead and by his appearing and his kingdom:  
<sup>2</sup> preach the word; be ready in season and out of season; reprove, rebuke, and exhort, with complete patience and teaching.  
<sup>3</sup> For the time is coming when people will not endure sound teaching, but having itching ears they will accumulate for themselves teachers to suit their own passions  
<sup>4</sup>and will turn away from listening to the truth and wander off into myths.



## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

**Wednesday 31st October – Coffee Morning** at S<sup>t</sup> Katherine's Hall 10am to 1pm.

**Thursday 1st November – Mothers' Union Meeting, 2.00pm for 2.15pm** at Market Theatre. Speaker: Liz Bowyer on "Other People's Children".

**Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November – 'COFFEE STOP' in the Chapter House 10am – 12noon.**  
Call in and have a chat.

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November at 7.30pm – Michael Lunts "Tickling the Ivories** at Market Theatre. Book early - Sell out last year. Tickets £15 including glass of wine. All proceeds to Friends of Community Action Ledbury Ring & Ride.

**Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> November - Ledbury Choral Society** are to perform Haydn's Nelson Mass and Vivaldi's Gloria commencing at 7pm, to commemorate the centenary of the ending of the First World War. Tickets can be purchased from Ledbury Books and Maps or choral society members for £10 in advance, or £12 on the door. Children can attend for free.

**Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> November 3:00pm All Souls Service** followed by refreshments. If you would like a loved one remembered by name in the service, please *print* their name on the sheet at the back of church.

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November – Coffee morning in the Chapter House from 10am to 12noon** to raise funds for the purchase of a new colour copier for the church office. If you are unable to come but wish to contribute, please contact John Lindeck (phone 01532 631329, Email JohnLindeck@gmail.com). Thank you to all those who have already agreed to contribute. I would be grateful if they could let me have their contribution in due course.

**Friday 9<sup>th</sup> November 7.30pm** - The Harold Lloyd silent film "Why Worry", with organ accompaniment. Tickets can be purchased for £10 from Ledbury Books and Maps, or on the door. This is to raise money for Herefordshire Historic Churches Trust.

**Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> November** – 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Armistice. **8:00 BCP** Holy Communion. **10:30am** at the War Memorial. **11:15am** Remembrance Service. **6:30pm** Holy Communion. **There will be no 9:30am service.**

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November – Ladies who Lunch** from **12noon** at the Hop Pocket.

**Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November 6.00 pm** in Church - **Launch of "A bell to remember" appeal:** It will be a reception with refreshments and a presentation about our plans to restore and augment the bells. Please tell everyone you know. If you can offer help with greeting / making simple savoury "nibbles" please contact Tim Keyes (01531 579021).

**Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November 4.00pm** – A meeting at the Burgage Hall to prepare for Advent by discussing the songs of S<sup>t</sup> Luke's Gospel.

**Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November - Men's Breakfast** in the Seven Stars Hotel in the Homend at **9.15 for 9.30**. Price £8. The speaker will be Tim Keyes. If you plan to come, Please sign the notice at the back of church so that we know how many to cater for.

**Saturday 1st December – Advent Quiet Day** at Holy Trinity Catholic Church.

**Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> December 6:30pm** Light Up A Life

**Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December – Christmas Lunch** at Three Shires Garden Centre.

**Sunday 16th December at 6:30 pm. Mary's Boy Child** - a nativity play for people of all ages. Book the date now. Further details later.