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**The Rev'd David Linaker takes Monday as his day off.**  
**The Rev'd Jenny Taylor takes Saturday as her day off.**

**Morning Prayer** is said in church on Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday at 8 am

**Evening Prayer** is said in church on Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday at 5.30 pm  
Monday

- **No Holy Communion today**
- Compline 7.30pm

Tuesday

- 'Praying Together' in St Michael's Room, 10 - 10.30am
- Second hand books, coffee & cakes and Fairtrade goods all on sale in church during the morning.
- Compline 7.30pm

Wednesday

- Compline 7.30pm

Maundy Thursday

- **10.30 Holy Communion (BCP)**
- **7.30 pm Eucharist of the Last Supper** (Common Worship)

Friday

- **Noon Is it nothing to you who pass by?** A devotion led by the Youth Club followed by The Proclamation of the Cross

Holy Saturday

- Second hand books on sale in church during the morning.
- Coffee morning in the People's Vestry run by the choir.
- 8pm Easter Vigil

Next Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion Canon David Yerburgh  
10.15am Parish Communion The Rev'd David Linaker  
6.00pm Easter Service of music & readings

## THE PARISH OF ST THOMAS & ST EDMUND, SALISBURY

Priest-in-Charge: The Rev'd David Linaker  
Associate Priest: The Rev'd Jenny Taylor



# 1 April 2007

**8 am HOLY COMMUNION** Celebrant: Canon David Yerburgh  
Readings: BCP: Palm Sunday

**10.15 FAMILY COMMUNION** Celebrant: The Rev'd David Linaker  
Readings: RCL Year C: Palm Sunday

Opening prayers and distribution of palms	The Passion
Gospel of the Palms:	Offertory Hymn: 503
	Communion Music:
	Mark 11: 1-10 <i>Trotting</i> Reid
Introit: All Glory, Laud and honour, see sheet	Hymn: 187
Reading: Phillipians 2: 5-11	<i>A Palm Sunday Antiphon</i> Morgan
Gradual Hymn: 606	Hymn: 712

Please pray for the sick: Diana Scott, Edith Reeves, Jane Stamps, Thelma Dangerfield, Daphne Young, Pauline Bariffi, Susan Cameron, Bridget Mottram, Michael Credland, John Rigby and Bob Thornton; and for those who have died: Sally Clark.

Please ask if you would like directions to Sunday School or crèche, or if you need toys for a smaller child who is staying in the Service.

PLEASE JOIN US for coffee and squash, served after this service.

**6 pm A Service for Palm Sunday Evening**

Based upon seven aspects of the Passion of Christ according to St John, in readings, music, prayers and symbols.  
All will be most welcome at the service.

**Electoral Roll:** This year we have to prepare a completely new roll. Everyone who wishes to be on the roll has to complete a new form. Copies are available at the back of church, and they need to be returned to Kate Price by TOMORROW. *As the completed forms have names and addresses on them, don't leave them on open view in church – either put your form in one of the black safes at the back of church, or put it through the letterbox at St T's House.*

**Calling all children:** *We will be making the Easter Garden on Saturday 15<sup>th</sup> April, 10-11 am in church. Please bring suitable flowers if you can (small to fit the scale of the garden – we use potted-meat and baby-food jars as vases) We need lots of help - see you there! Grown-ups welcome, too!*

**Easter Vigil - Saturday 7th April 8pm:** The music for this year's vigil will be drawn mainly from that of the Taizé Community. This will enable us to sing largely unaccompanied. Any wishing to get to know the chants and practice before the service should meet in church at 7pm on that evening. You don't need to be able to read music (I can't!). David.

The service on Holy Saturday Evening is our first celebration of the resurrection light when we kindle a fire outside of the darkened church and from that fire light the Paschal Candle which is then sung into the church and the dawning light of resurrection is acclaimed with a loud shout and we renew our baptismal promises. It is traditional to end this service with Simnel Cake and champagne. If you would like to contribute some Simnel Cake, please let Robert know.

**Easter Lilies:** Donations towards the Easter Decorations can be handed to Brenda Woodman, the Churchwardens or the Parish Office. It helps enormously if your gift is clearly labelled – there are some envelopes at the back of church to use for these donations – please ask if you can't find one. If you give in memory of somebody and would like their name to be placed on the High Altar over Easter, please write their name on the list outside the Vestry door.

**Wardens' Corner: Sidespeople** It is that time of the year again. Can you cross your name off the list at the back of church if you no longer want to serve, OR if you would like to become a sidesperson, please add your name.

**Lent boxes.** Money from this year's Lent Appeal is going to charities working in Rwanda, as last year. We have no boxes this year, but there are envelopes at the back of church. Please take one to use in place of a box, if you would like to. Remember that if you have signed a Gift Aid declaration, we can claim tax on your donation to the Lent Appeal, too. *If you wish to make a donation by cheque, make it payable to "St Thomas's PCC" and put it in an envelope clearly marked "Lent Appeal"*

**Di Swatridge** would like to thank all her friends and St Thomas's for their love and care following her recent operation.

**Canon David Durston** will be giving the *Morning Thought* on BBC Radio Wiltshire this week, at about 6.45am every day, on 104 FM

**The Parish Photograph Albums need updating** – we all look a little different now. The Kynastons are ready to snap you once again, or you can supply your own photo. The albums are often used for reference – please make sure that your photograph is included.

**The Choir Quiz is back!** Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April at 7pm in St Edmund's House. If you would like to form a team of 8, or take part in the Quiz please sign your team or name on the notice at the back of church. Cost is £6 including a ploughman's supper, and wine or soft drink.

**Music for a Patron Saint:** This will be a concert given here on Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> April at 7pm by the combined choirs of St Thomas's Church. This will include works such as Parry's *I was glad*, Handel's *Zadok the priest* and the *Hallelujah Chorus*. Admission will be free.

Next Saturday's Coffee Morning will be run by the choir, to raise funds for chorister training.