

10.00am  
6.00pm

**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February**  
Joint Holy Communion Service  
New Wine Celebration Service

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### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January

	9.00am	11.00am
Warden	Sara	Barry
Music	Megan	Megan
Welcomers	Suzie and Nina	Andy and Glennis
PA	Stuart	Stuart
Projector	Will	Will
Prayers	Suzie	
Reading	Sara	Liz B
Refreshments	Rachel A and Dan	Liz B and Gill
Little Explorers		Elise and Tina
Explorers		Liz W-B and Rachel A
Youth		Jack, Aimee and Simon

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**BLANDFORD FORUM**  
- PARISH CHURCH -  
*A Beacon Of God's Hope For Blandford & Beyond*

### Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January

**Reading: Matthew 15:29-38**  
**9.00am Traditional Holy Communion Service**  
**11.00am Contemporary Service with Children and Youth groups**

**Welcome to Blandford Forum Parish Church. If you are visiting us for the first time here are some things you may need to know for today:**

**Children & Young People:** Children and young people are an important part of our church. At our 11am service we start together before the children leaving for their own groups. We have three groups - **Little Explorers** is for children aged 2-4 years old. Their group takes place in the creche room off the foyer.

**Explorers** is for children in school years Reception to Year 4. Their group takes place in the Parish Centre. They will be walked up to the centre by the Group leaders and team and return at the end of the service.

**Sunday Youth** for Ages 10 -14 years. This runs on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup> Sundays of the month during the 11am service. at the Parish Centre. They will leave and walk up to the centre and return with the Explorers Group.

**New?** If you are visiting or your child is attending the group for the first time, please make sure you have registered with the Children's Leader before they depart from the service. If you are unsure what to do, please speak to one of the welcomers or the warden – they will be wearing a lanyard.

**Refreshments:** If you're not in a rush, please join us for tea or coffee after the service.

**Giving:** We do not take a collection but there is a giving station is located at the back of the church. If you are a visitor, please do not feel obliged to donate. You can also give online: [www.bfpc.org.uk/give](http://www.bfpc.org.uk/give).

## Welcome to Blandford Forum Parish Church (BFPC)

We are a growing community of faith on an exciting journey of seeing God move in us and in our community. Our style is very relaxed so don't feel you need to behave in a particular way as you worship with us. If you've got any questions ask someone with a blue lanyard, and please do introduce yourself to a member of the team after the service during refreshments.

### **Children's Events in the run up to Easter - Team needed**

#### **1. School's Easter Experience Team**

Come and share the message of Easter with children from Milldown Academy and Archbishop Wake school as we lead them through a series of stations telling the Easter story and giving them opportunity to reflect and respond to it.

**When: Monday 16th March - Thursday 19th March**

There are a range of different sessions throughout the week (both morning and afternoon) that the schools have signed up for. You are welcome to sign up to help with one session or all of them!

If this is something you would like to be involved with, please complete the following sign up form: [Easter Experience Volunteer Sign Up](#)

#### **2. Holiday Club Team**

This year our theme is "Adventure Island" (Pirates) and we will be thinking about the treasure that God has for us.

**When: Monday 30th March - Wednesday 1st April (8:45am-12:30pm)**

**Venue: The Parish Centre**

#### **Roles:**

There are lots of the roles required to make Holiday Club happen. You might want to be in the thick of the action as group leader for the children. You might prefer a more behind the scenes role, preparing resources or helping with refreshments. You might be a good welcomer or administrator. Whatever your gifts and skills, there is a place for you on team.

### **Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February 6.00pm – New Wine Celebration**

On Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February 6.00pm we will be hosting a New Wine Celebration. The speaker will be Tim Grew, Associate Vicar of Trinity, Cheltenham. Please come along for an extended time of worship with teaching and prayer. The speaker will be Tim Grew, Associate Vicar of Trinity, Cheltenham.

### **Foundation Governors**

Both Archbishop Wake and Milldown School are looking for Foundation Governors. If you are interested and would like to know what this role involves, please speak to Chris.

### **Induction of BEC Pastor**

On Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January 4pm the new Pastor of BEC, Tom Price, is being inducted with refreshments to follow. If you would like to go along, please email [admin@becbygrace.co.uk](mailto:admin@becbygrace.co.uk) for their numbers.

Week Commencing 19 <sup>th</sup> January	
Tuesday	
9.15am	Morning Prayer
7.15pm	Alpha in the Parish Centre
Wednesday	
7.00am	Prayer for Renewal
10.00am	Little Peas
1.00pm	The Chosen at the Parish Centre
Thursday	
9.15am	Prayer for the Community
10.15am	Midweek Service
Saturday	
10.00am -12.00pm	Saturday Coffee in Church