

What's happening in the Team this week*For more details of local events, please see Team*

Wed 22 June 10am Eucharist St Mary's, Beaminster
 11-12.30 Walk in Wednesday St Mary's, Beaminster

THE HUB — By Revd. Canon David Baldwin

I am often asked about Churchwardens and what do they 'do'. The following description of the role of Churchwarden was given by the Registrar at the Archdeacon's Visitation and Commissioning of Churchwardens service in Bridport this past week.

Churchwardens are officers of the Bishop and lay leaders in the parish. Your role, by Canon Law, is to be foremost in representing the laity and in co-operating with the incumbent; by example and precept to encourage parishioners in the practice of true religion; and to promote peace and unity among them.

As senior lay leaders within the Parochial Church Council you will lead them in their responsibilities for the fabric and furnishings of your parish church and, where there is a churchyard, see that it is properly maintained. You must ensure that alterations and repairs are only done by authorisation through Faculty. You should ensure that the records of the church's land and property are kept up to date.

With the help of God, and along with all the baptised, you are called to holiness of life, and to be persons of integrity, recognising your responsibility for the tasks entrusted to you.

We give thanks for all the Churchwardens in our Beaminster Team and pray for them as they carry out their responsibilities on our behalf.

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**15 Churches:
One Community**

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First Sunday after Trinity

Isaiah 65. 1-9
Psalm 22. 19-28
Galatians 3. 23-29
Luke 8. 26-39

Green Year C

Collect

O God,
the strength of all those who put their
trust in you,
mercifully accept our prayers
and, because through the weakness of our
mortal nature
we can do no good thing without you,
grant us the help of your grace,
that in the keeping of your commandments
we may please you both in will and deed;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

Eternal Father,
we thank you for nourishing us
with these heavenly gifts:
may our communion strengthen us in faith,
build us up in hope,
and make us grow in love;
for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

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