

A Prayer in the Time of the Coronavirus

Almighty and All-loving God,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
we pray to you through Christ the Healer
for those who suffer from the Coronavirus Covid-19
here in the UK and across the world.

We pray too for all who reach out to those who mourn the loss of each and every person who has died as a result of contracting the disease,
Give wisdom to policymakers, skill to healthcare professionals and researchers,
comfort to everyone in distress, and a sense of calm to us all in these days of uncertainty and distress.

This we ask in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord, who showed compassion to the outcast, acceptance to the rejected, and love to those to whom no love was shown.

Amen.

Amongst our friends & in this united Benefice we pray this week for:

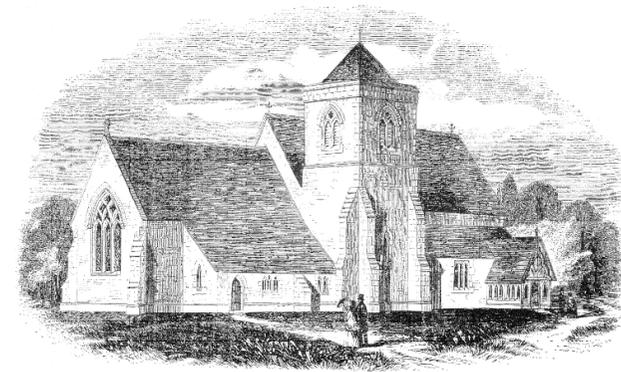
Jennie Griffiths, Helen Cotteril, Philip Bowcock, Olive Thewsey, Bill Willatt, Rebecca Griffiths, Peter & Sylvia Saint, Rob Tubb, Beth Brown, Angela Eason, Jen & Nev.

Please pray for all who have the coronavirus, for those who are afraid of getting it, and for those whose lives & work are affected by it.

We hold in remembrance at Harpsden this week:

Adrienne Pratt, Ruth Ludlow, Michael Jolley and Francis Ferris

ST MARGARET'S CHURCH HARPSDEN-CUM-BOLNEY



Sunday 29th March Passion Sunday

The Archbishops and Bishops of the Church of England have urged everyone to follow the instructions given by the Prime Minister to stay in their homes in a national effort to limit the transmission of the coronavirus (COVID-19). As a result the Church of England has closed all church buildings to help prevent spread of the virus.

Services will be held this week as follows:

- **Sunday** 10.00am **Eucharist**
- **Monday** 10.00am **Morning Prayers**
- **Wednesday** 9.30am Mid-Week **Eucharist**

These services are closed acts of worship – this means that only Reverend Robert Thewsey and Reverend Sarah Nesbitt will physically be in attendance. The services will however be live streamed on the internet. Details of how to gain access can be found via Twitter (@sdh_benefice),

Facebook (@shiplakedunsdenharpsden), and the Benefice website (www.shiplakedunsdenharpsden.org.uk)

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