



Our Lady of Sorrows & St. Philip Benizi  
Fordingbridge SP6 1EG

### **Our Lady of Sorrows & St Philip Benizi Fordingbridge Catholic Church**

- That all the baptized may take to heart the gospel's call to repentance and bear the fruit which the master of the vineyard expects, let us pray to the Lord.
- Let us pray for unity between all Christians and people of faith, that God will be given thanks and praise

and that his life-giving word will be proclaimed by us to all.

- Let us pray for our world, caught up in divisions that we feel helpless to heal, and that world leaders may come together to listen to each other and make decisions for the good of the greatest number of people.
- That our young people, especially those preparing for exams and making decisions about their futures, may be guided and enlightened by the Holy Spirit, let us pray to the Lord.
- That nations and peoples scarred by the slaughter of the innocent and the horror of terrorism may be delivered from their affliction, let us pray to the Lord.

God of salvation, listen to our prayers. We stand before you on holy ground, for your name is glorified and your mercy revealed wherever your mighty deeds are remembered. Since you are holy and forbearing, turn us from every rash and shallow judgment to seek the ways of repentance.

*Services: 6pm Saturday Vigil & 9am Sunday Mass  
10am Tuesday & Thursday Weekday Mass (subject to alteration)*

### **The Salvation Army, Fordingbridge**

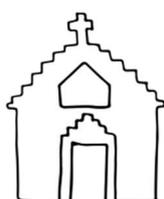
Please include prayers for:

- wisdom in discerning the way forward as we review how we do things,
- for Easter Holiday Club and other activities over this period that we would be able to share Jesus openly with our community,
- for summer plans particularly Summer Holiday Club and our divisional children and youth camps - that the children and young people would encounter Jesus.



**Love God  
Love Others**

*Sunday Services: 10.30am Morning Service & 6pm Evening Service*



St James Church

### **St James Church, Alderholt**

*Sunday Services: 8am Communion  
10.30am – Weeks 1 & 3: Communion service,  
Week 4: Soul Food (Informal service)  
10am – Week 2: Messy Church in Alderholt Village Hall*



### Western Downlands Churches

#### Damerham, Martin, Rockbourne & Whitsbury

- We are challenged numerically and pray for growth spiritually and numerically, and for the encouragement of people to discover and use God's gifts across our communities.
- We will have a new Team Administrator in post in the coming weeks, which will become a real blessing over time. I pray that this new and expanded role will be valued across our group.
- We have a vibrant link with Cuibet in South Sudan, where a School is being rebuilt and improved. It's sad to hear of civil disruption in the wider region of South Sudan.
- We have important links as churches with our local Primary School and Nursery. Please do remember our Open the Book team who participate in School collective worship, and our governing body, as well as the staff team.

*Sunday Services: 9.30am Communion & 11am Morning Service (locations vary)*



### New Life Community Church, Fordingbridge (incl. The Branch Café, 1 High Street, Fordingbridge)

- **Community Transformation** - Please join us in praying for a greater reach of the gospel into our communities & to see lives transformed by Jesus.
- **Church transformation** - Please join us in praying that across our local church expressions, we would continue to grow in strength, beauty, maturity & joy. Not easily swayed to left or to the right, but walking with God & on the right track for His Name.
- **The Branch Cafe** - Please be praying that the cafe would be a blessing to the community. Please pray for the existing volunteers & that more volunteers would be added to support it on a weekly basis. And finally, please pray for every person who walks into that place to encounter something of the presence of God & His love for them.



*Sunday Services: 10.15am Morning Service at Burgate School*



### Avon Valley Churches

*Sunday Services:*

*8.15am Communion (locations vary)  
10am Breamore, 10am Fordingbridge, 10am Hyde,  
10am Hale or Woodgreen, 10.45am Sandleheath  
6pm Fordingbridge – Week 1: Six o'clock service,  
Weeks 2 & 4: Evensong*