

THE
WEEK
AHEAD **Benefice Notices:**

Thursday 25th November 2021

Midweek Communion – 9.30am Piddlehinton

Sunday 28th November 2021

Advent Sunday (Yr C)

Readings: Jer. 33: 14-16, Psalm 25: 1-9, 1
Thess. 3: 9-end, Luke 21: 25-36

9.30am Sung Communion at

Alton Pancras * (Fr. Roger)

6.00pm Sung BCP Evening Prayer at

Hilton (with choir) (Fr Roger)

6.00pm Sung BCP Evening Prayer at

Piddlehinton (Ginny)

*Refreshments after the service.



Food bank

Donation boxes are available in all the benefice churches, the winter months often prove difficult for families financially with the ever increasing energy costs.

Fr Roger & Ginny's final service

Sunday 12th December 2021

10.30am Benefice Sung

**Communion at St Mary's Church
Piddlehinton**

**Followed by Benefice lunch in the Village
Hall (Further details to follow)**



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**Benefice of the Piddle Valley,
Hilton & Ansty, Melcombe Horsey
and Cheselbourne**

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Sunday 21st November 2021

Christ the King

(Altar Colour – Red)

**Readings: Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14, Psalm 93, Rev.
1:4-8, John 18: 33-37**

Collect: Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Daniel 7:9-10, 13-14 (ESV) The Ancient of Days Reigns

7 9 "As I looked, thrones were placed, and the Ancient of Days took his seat; his clothing was white as snow, and the hair of his head like pure wool; his throne was fiery flames; its wheels were burning fire. 10 A stream of fire issued and came out from before him; a thousand thousands served him, and ten thousand times ten thousand stood before him; the court sat in judgment, and the books were opened. The Son of Man Is Given Dominion 13 "I saw in the night visions, and behold, with the clouds of heaven there came one like a son of man, and he came to the Ancient of Days and was presented before him. 14 And to him was given dominion and glory and a kingdom, that all peoples, nations, and languages should serve him; his dominion is an everlasting dominion, which shall not pass away, and his kingdom one that shall not be destroyed.

John 18:33-37 (ESV) My Kingdom Is Not of This World

18 33 So Pilate entered his headquarters again and called Jesus and said to him, "Are you the King of the Jews?" 34 Jesus answered, "Do you say this of your own accord, or did others say it to you about me?" 35 Pilate answered, "Am I a Jew? Your own nation and the chief priests have delivered you over to me. What have you done?" 36 Jesus answered, "My kingdom is not of this world. If my kingdom were of this world, my servants would have been fighting, that I might not be delivered over to the Jews. But my kingdom is not from the world." 37 Then Pilate said to him, "So you are a king?" Jesus answered, "You say that I am a king. For this purpose I was born and for this purpose I have come into the world—to bear witness to the truth. Everyone who is of the truth listens to my voice."

Post Communion: Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Blessing: Christ our King make you faithful and strong to do his will, that you may reign with him in glory; and the blessing of God almighty, the Father, the Son, and the Holy Spirit, be among you, and remain with you always. **Amen**

Benefice Prayer list:

Please pray for your church wardens as they prepare for the interregnum.



Please pray for those who are sick, recovering from or receiving treatment in hospital:

Margaret Morrissey,
Julia (Piddletrenthide),
Jenny, Ann Lambert,
Reg Hanbury, June Kellaway,
Robin Saunders.

Ruby and her family

Those in care homes:

Roger Gray (Dorchester)
June Smith (Warminster)
Gladys Smith (Sherborne)
Rex Goddard (Somerset)

Requiescat in pace

Robert Spracklen, – Weymouth
Crematorium 24th November at 2.30pm
Peter Waddy – All Saints Church,
Piddletrenthide 3rd December at 1pm

