

Diary for week commencing 6 November 2016

Today	6.00pm	Service of Healing
Monday		
Tuesday	9.00am	Baby and Toddler Group
	7.30pm	WPCC Finance Committee Meeting
Wednesday	9.30am	Holy Communion (St Mark's)
Thursday	10.00am	Holy Communion
	11.00am	Church Cleaning
	6.15pm	Choir Practice
	7.30pm	Bell Ringers Practice
Friday	9.30am	Setting up church for St Martin's Day Fayre
Saturday	10.00am	St Martin's Day Fayre

Next Sunday	Remembrance Sunday
	[Duty Warden – Paul Elliott]
	8.00am Holy Communion
	10.00am Family Communion
	6.00pm No Service

Prayers

- Heavenly Father, would you guard and grow this Parish and its four churches during our Team Rector vacancy. By the power of your Holy Spirit guide us as we seek the right minister and those who are seeking the right church for their ministry. Together may we discover your way for the future and see your kingdom grow. Amen
- For those organizations who, as the nights draw in and the temperatures drop, strive to provide for the homeless and needy.
- For our Welcomers as they greet us on our arrival at church.
- For Christians throughout the United Kingdom .

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Including Baptism &
Wedding Enquiries

Monday - Friday:

9.00am - 12 noon

Wednesday :

7.00pm - 8.00pm

(by appointment only)

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A warm Welcome to
St.Martin's
Parish Church

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Sunday 6 November 2016
The Third Sunday before Advent

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Job 19: 23 - 27a

Mark 12: 41 - 44

10.00am Family Communion

Hymns and Readings:

379 Jesus shall reign

14 All Heaven Declares

111 Dear Lord and Father of Mankind

1072 In Christ Alone

During Communion: 1209 * 1126 * 990 * 988

Readings: Job 19: 23 - 27a

Luke 20: 27 - 38

12.00pm No Baptisms

6.00pm Service of Healing

Hymns and Readings:

683 There's a wideness in God's mercy

884 Lord, teach us to pray

1008 The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want

331 In heavenly love abiding

Readings: Proverbs 9:1-6;10-11

John 10:1-7

- Children are very welcome and encouraged in church—there are supervised activities for the children which take place during the service in Worle Village Primary School or if they prefer they can stay with their parents.
- There is a crèche to which parents/carers can bring their child, which takes place in the bell tower. Children must always be accompanied in this area by their parent/carer.
- A special welcome if you are not a regular member of our congregation. If you're unable to take Holy Communion please come forward for a blessing and carry the Communion book with you so that we may recognise your intentions.

Verses and Readings for The Third Sunday before Advent

I call on you, my God, for you will answer me; turn your ear to me and hear my prayer.
Psalm 17: 6

8.00 am Readings

Job 19: 23 - 27a - *I Know That My Redeemer Lives*

Mark 12: 41 - 44 - *The Widow's Offering*

10.00am Readings

Job 19: 23-27a - *I Know That My Redeemer Lives*

Luke 20: 27-38 - Some Sadducees came to Jesus and questioned him about the Resurrection.

6.00pm Reading -

Proverbs 9:1-6;10-11: *Invitations of Wisdom and Folly*

John 10:1-7: *The Good Shepherd and His sheep*

Readings for Sunday 13 November - Remembrance Sunday

8.00 & 10.00am Readings: Psalm 23 * John 14: 1 - 8

Prayers

Collect

Almighty Father,
whose will is to restore all things
in your beloved Son, the King of all:
govern the hearts and minds of those in authority,
and bring the families of the nations,
divided and torn apart by the ravages of sin,
to be subject to his just and gentle rule;
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

God of peace,
whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom
and restored the broken to wholeness of life:
look with compassion on the anguish of the world,
and by your healing power
make whole both people and nations;
through our Lord and saviour Jesus Christ.

Notices for the week

Service of Healing - please write the names of any one that you would like us to pray for during this evening's service. There will be an opportunity to receive the laying on of hands. All are welcome.

Joan Mac (McCarthy) - sadly died on Wednesday morning. Please keep Joan's family and friends in your prayers.

Manna - the Diocesan magazine is available today on the literature table.

Swell the choir for Christmas - Mainly through ill health our Sunday choir numbers have been dropping but we'd love to have a full choir sing at our Carols by Candlelight service on Sunday 18 December at 6pm, which is such a blessing to the community. Would you like to sing with the choir until Christmas and swell the numbers? Then next practise will be on Thursday 10 November at 6.15 in the church – just turn up. No long term commitment is involved – we'd love to see you. For more information please speak with one of the Churchwardens, Barbara or Paul.

St Martin's Day Fayre – Saturday 12 November 10am – 12noon.

We are delighted that Worle Village Primary School Choirs will be performing for us during the morning.

Cake Competition – there will be two categories, adults over 16, and children under 16. Start practising! These to be brought to church on the morning for judging and then can either be taken home or auctioned.

Please would you help with donations for the following:

Bottles of any kind from wine to tomato ketchup

Promises of cakes and biscuits for the cake stall

As New gifts for adults and children

Toddler aged toys

Books, paperbacks only please

Bring your contributions along to church over the coming days to be stored on the balcony. For more information talk to Diane Swatton, Paul Elliott or Rev Anne.

Christmas Child Shoeboxes - Boxes need to be returned to church today for onward delivery.

Dates for the Diary

Coffee Morning - Mead Vale Community Hall 10am Saturday 19 November.

Maggie Down Quiz - St Mark's Church 6.30 for 7pm Saturday 19 November. Tickets £2 bring your own bottle.

Free Film Night - Saturday 26 November, doors open at 5.15pm. Film Showing "It's a Wonderful Life"