

Diary for week commencing 15 August 2021

Today		
Monday		
Tuesday	2.30pm	Community Café in St Mark's Church
Wednesday	9.00am	Precontract meeting—in church
Thursday	8.30pm	Standfast alarm upgrade and half yearly alarm check
	7.30pm	Bell Ringers Practice
Friday	7.30am	Holy Dusters
Saturday		

Sunday 22 August Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

[Duty Warden – Maureen Jackson]
10.00am Holy Communion Service
[Led by Archdeacon Adrian Youings]



Archdeacon Adrian has been in touch this week asking us to continue praying for the proposed new vicar for St Martin's.

Parish Office - The Parish Office will be closed on Tuesday 17 August to Thursday 19 August, inclusive.

Lay Intercessions - In September we would like to include members of the congregation during Intercessions, as in the past. If you would like to be included on the rota please speak to Paul, Maureen or Liz.

Heatwave and Forest Fires - please pray for all those affected by the current heatwave and subsequent forest fires.

Afghanistan - Please pray for all those affected by the current situation in Afghanistan.

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A warm Welcome to
St.Martin's
Parish Church

www.stmartinsworle.org.uk

Sunday 15 August 2021
Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

10am Holy Communion
Led by Rev Paul Owen

Hymns:

Angel voices ever singing
Teach me Thy way, O Lord
Our blest Redeemer, ere he breathed
Lord Jesus Christ

Readings:

Old Testament:

1 Kings 2: 10-12, 3: 3-14

Read by: Jo Hunt

Gospel: All Stand

John 6: 51-58

Read by: Rev Paul Owen

We hope to reintroduce refreshments, after the service, during September.

Collect

O God, you declare your almighty power most chiefly in showing mercy and pity: mercifully grant to us such a measure of your grace, that we, running the way of your commandments, may receive your gracious promises, and be made partakers of your heavenly treasure; 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.
Amen.

Post Communion Collect

Almighty God,
we thank you for feeding us
with the body and blood of your son Jesus Christ.
Through him we offer you our souls and bodies
to be a living sacrifice.
Send us out
in the power of your Spirit
to live and work
to your praise and glory.
Amen.

Prayer for the Parish

God our Father you have welcomed each one of us in Jesus and called us to be His body here. During this time of change we seek your guidance. We ask that your Holy Spirit guide and prepare us in our journey with you. Give us all wisdom and open hearts, as we seek to discover your vision for us. May your people bring glory to your name. We ask this in the name of your Son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

Amen

Notices

Compassion UK

We support a young boy, Sergio, through Compassion UK and send a monthly donation of £25.

Margaret Smith has been the main contact for St Martin's, writing regularly and sending paper gifts.

Margaret wondered if perhaps other people in church would like to donate paper gifts and maybe even write an occasional letter to Sergio. If you would then please contact Margaret on: 01934 518216

There is a china piggy bank on the Literature table if you would like to make a monetary donation.

Lord! Help me to slow down

Lord, help me to slow down,
Space for friends, space for silence,
Space for helping, space for quiet,
Space for caring, space for calm,
More than anything else, help me to make a lot more space for you.
help me to slow down, and make some space.



Tower Repairs

Remaining repair work on the Tower, from the Quinquennial report 2019, is to be carried out shortly.

The scaffolding will be erect the week commencing 30 August, with the work commencing week commencing 6 September, for approx. 8 weeks. A Funding Appeal will be established, and there are limited Funds available and extra money will be due when the Parish Reorganises, from Parish Funds.