

## Diary for week commencing 26 September 2021

**Today**  
**Monday**  
**Tuesday** 2.30pm Community Café in St Mark's Church  
**Wednesday**  
**Thursday** 6.15pm Choir Practice  
**Friday** 7.30am Holy Dusters  
**Saturday**

### Sunday 3 October Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

[Duty Wardens— Paul Elliott and Maureen Jackson]  
10.00am Holy Communion Service  
[Led by Rev Paul Owen ]

“A Notice giving the objects of proposed pastoral reorganisation affecting this parish has or will be displayed near the main door and on the Church of England website. The Notice includes the last date by which representations regarding the proposed reorganisation may be made to the Church Commissioners.”

**In other words:** - Lord, help me to slow down

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

Amen

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above



## A warm Welcome to St.Martin's Parish Church

[www.stmartinsworle.org.uk](http://www.stmartinsworle.org.uk)

### Sunday 26 September 2021 Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity

**10am Holy Communion**  
**Led by Archdeacon Adrian Youngs**

#### **Hymns:**

We plough the fields and scatter  
All good gifts around us  
Praise God from whom all blessings  
flow  
Give thanks with a grateful heart

#### **Readings:**

##### **Old Testament:**

Esther 7: 1-6, 9-10, 9:20-22

Read by

##### **Gospel: All Stand**

Luke 12: 13-21

Read by: Archdeacon Adrian Youngs

We are pleased to be able to reintroduce refreshments, following the Harvest Festival service on 26 September.

### **Collect**

Almighty God,  
you have made us for yourself,  
and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you:  
pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself,  
and so bring us at last to your heavenly city  
where we shall see you face to face;  
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**

Lord, we pray that your grace  
may always precede and follow us,  
and make us continually to be given to all good works;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
**Amen**

### **Rev Jon and Sheonagh Ormrod**

Please pray for Jon and Sheonagh as they prepare to leave the Parishes of Sully and Wenvoe with St Lythans and join us at St Martin's.

### **Sully and Wenvoe with St Lythans**

Please pray for the parishioners of Sully and Wenvoe with St Lythans, as they prepare to be in a vacancy.

### **Afghanistan**

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

### **Notices**

#### **Refreshments after morning Service**

Now that we have enough volunteers to make this possible, I would really appreciate it if you could let me know any dates between now and Christmas that you will not be in church, otherwise when the rota is published, please swap with someone else. More volunteers would be really welcome.

It was agreed at the recent Leadership Team Meeting that as a part of our mission giving, there will be a collection box for donations to Weston Hospice. The church will be covering the cost of the coffee/tea/biscuits so we will no longer use the wooden donation box we remember.

Thank you. Maureen Jackson

#### **Mini Jam Jars**

For those of you who have sample/individual-size pots of jam from cafes etc, and don't like just throwing them away, we would welcome some to be used in a fund-raising effort. More details to follow, but please bring the jars (with lids) into church.

Many thanks, Maureen

#### **Tower Repairs Update**

Monday 13 September - 22 November - contractors carrying out work as per the schedule.

The West Gate is locked and cannot be used.

We need to establish a Fundraising Programme to help to achieve the overall costs of £45,000 + VAT

#### **Men's Curry Evening**

I am hoping to arrange going forwards a quarterly "Men's Curry Evening" on a Thursday evening at 7-30pm.

The first evening is planned for Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> October at 7-30pm at the Tandoori Masala, Worle High Street.

This is to encourage fellowship amongst men in the Church and hopefully will become a regular event.

If you are interested and wish to attend, it will need to be self-funded, please contact the Parish Office or John Bangham ( Email [JIBangham@outlook.com](mailto:JIBangham@outlook.com))

