

Diary for week Commencing 3 May 2015	
Today	6.00pm Service of Healing & Holy Communion
Monday	<i>May Bank Holiday</i>
Tuesday	9.30am Baby and Toddler Group in church 2.15pm Home Group
Wednesday	8.00am Prayers for St. Martin's 10.00am Holy Communion (Mead Vale) 2.00pm Church Open Afternoon (Joan E & Joan I)
Thursday	10.00am Holy Communion 6.30pm Choir Practice 7.30pm Bell Ringers Practice
Friday	9.30am Cleaning Guild 11.30am Interment of Ashes - Joan Bealey RIP
Saturday	11.00am Quarter Peal to be rung to celebrate 70th Anniversary of VE Day
Next Sunday	Sixth Sunday of Easter [Duty Warden - Paul Elliott]
	8.00am Holy Communion 10.00am All-Together Morning Praise 6.00pm <i>No Service</i>

Prayers

- For the Lay-Assistants and all they bring to our Communion services.
- Remember the candidates standing in Weston and surrounding area, General and Local Elections.
- For Election Day - Lord, we commit today's outcome to You. Please watch over all the proceedings and may Your will be done in our nation. Amen
- For the people of Nepal suffering the aftermath of the recent massive earthquake. Also remember the people of Chile as the volcano continues to erupt.

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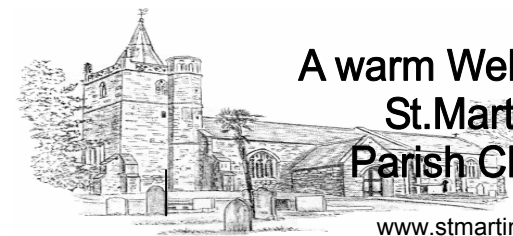
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BAPTISM & WEDDING ENQUIRIES

At the Parish Office
During normal opening hours



A warm Welcome to St.Martin's Parish Church

www.stmartinsworle.org.uk

Sunday 3 May 2015 Fifth Sunday of Easter

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Acts 8: 26 - 40
John 15: 1 - 8

10.00am Family Communion

Hymns and Readings:

987 Here is love vast as the ocean

792 You are the vine

315 I will sing the wondrous story

77 Christ triumphant

During Communion: 441 * 436 * 622 * 848

Readings: Acts 8: 26 - 40
John 15: 1 - 8

6.00pm Service of Healing & Holy Communion

Hymns

367 Jesus is Lord

402 Led like a lamb

366 Jesus is King and I will extol him

476 My Lord, what love is this

988 How deep the Father's love for us

- 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 Fifth Sunday of Easter

They shall come and make known his salvation, to a people yet unborn, declaring that he, the Lord has done it. Psalm 22: 31

8.00 & 10.00am Readings

Acts 8: 26 - 40 - Guided by the Holy Spirit, Philip approached an Ethiopian sitting in his chariot reading Isaiah the prophet. Unable to understand the passage the man asked Philip to explain of whom the prophet was speaking. "Then Philip.....told him the good news about Jesus." (v35)
John 15: 1 - 8 - *The Vine and the Branches* - "If you remain in me and my words remain in you, ask whatever you wish, and it will be given you." (v7)

Readings for 10 May - Sixth Sunday of Easter

8.00 am - Acts 10: 44 - 48 * John 15: 9 - 17
10.00am - John 15: 9 - 17
6.00pm - No Service

Prayers

Collect

Almighty God,
who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life:
grant that, as by your grace going before us
you put into our minds good desires,
so by your continual help
we may bring them to good effect;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion

Eternal God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life:
grant us to walk in his way,
to rejoice in his truth,
and to share his risen life;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

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

Listen Again - if you would like to listen to any of the sermons from our 10am service please go to www.stmartinsworle.org.uk

St Martin's Open Church Afternoons - Please note the Church will be open to visitors each Wednesday from 2.00 - 4.30pm throughout the summer.

"Oh What Love" - Saturday 9 May 7.00pm Destiny Church, Priory Community School. Prepare for a new sound, this is a live performance by the Watoto family of orphans from Uganda. Free admission.

Worle Wind Band 'Spring Concert' - Saturday 9 May, 7.30pm at Wick St. Lawrence Church as part of their Rogation Weekend. Tickets are £7 adults £3 children, available on the door or from Sandra on tel. 515716.

Skittles evening - A great time was had by all who attended the Skittles Evening, held last week at the Golden Lion. The star bowler was Alvin who won a bottle of wine as first prize. Thanks to all who organised the event.

Dates for your diary

Rogation Sunday Cream Tea - Sunday 10 May, 2.30 - 5.00pm in Wick St. Lawrence Village Hall. Come to the country for an afternoon out.

Ascension Day Holy Communion Service - St Martin's Church Thursday 14 May, 7.00am. Bacon rolls and cappuccino will be available - please see sign up sheet in porch.

Spring Clean & Churchyard Clean-up - Saturday 16 May, 9.30am - 1.00pm. Could you help with the various jobs in any way? Coffee/Tea and Doughnuts will be available at half-time. Please sign up on sheet in porch.

Concert in aid of Motor Neurone Disease - Saturday 16 May, 7.30pm at Victoria Methodist Church. Tickets: £6 - see poster in porch.

Love Weston & District - 'Neighbours in Modern Britain' Wednesday 20 May 7.30pm at Locking Castle Church. A talk will be given by Rebekah Brettle National Director of Neighbourhood Prayer Network. Please see poster in porch.

Worle Parish Ladies Breakfast - Saturday 16 May, at St Martin's Church, 8-9am. Come and enjoy a continental breakfast and enjoy listening to our guest speaker Elizabeth Alden on the subject, "Raising Boys – A Survivor's Tale." Whether you've had boys or not it will be an enjoyable time. For numbers please sign up on the notice or contact Rev Anne Farmer 01934 515610