| Diary for week commencing 26 March 2023 |                              |  |
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| Today                                   | 8.00am<br>10.00am<br>12.00pm | ,  |
| Monday                                  | 11.00am                      | Funeral in Church Chris Swatton RIP                                      |
| Tuesday                                 |                              | Lent Group - session 5   |
| Wednesday                               | 9.00am                       | Worle Village School Easter Service in church                            |
| Thursday                                | 11.00am<br>6.15pm            | Said Holy Communion Cake and Coffee Choir Practice Bell Ringing Practice |
| Friday                                  | 8.00am                       | Holy Dusters   |
| Saturday                                | 9.00am                       | Ellis & Co removing Turret Door for repair                               |

# **Sunday 2 April Palm Sunday**

[Warden on duty Jill Preddy]

8.00am Said Holy Communion

10.00am Said Holy Communion with Hymns with

Procession

Refreshment Rota: Ann & Michael Butt

## **First Aiders**

If anyone is a qualified First Aider and would be willing to help at services, in case of an accident or emergency please speak to Paul Elliott.

## **Bell Ringing**

As you may have seen on television or heard on the radio there is a shortage of Bell Ringers around the country, for King Charles III Coronation. If you would be interested in learning this skill please phone Liz, the Administrator, on 07808832530 or email the Church Office at:

stmartinschurchworle1@gmail.com to arrange training.

### **CHURCH OFFICE**

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to 12 noon

Baptism & Wedding Enquiries please phone

### STAFF TEAM

#### Vicar

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### Reader

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## Churchwardens

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# Church Administrator

Liz Winter See Church Office above



Sunday 26 March 2023 Fifth Sunday of Lent Passion Sunday

8am Said Holy Communion Led by Rev Jon Ormrod

10am Said Holy Communion with hymns and healing
Led by Rev Jon Ormrod with
Yvonne Criddle

### Hymns:

Splendour of the King How deep the Father's love for us Come down O love divine O for a thousand tongues to sing

### Psalm 130

# Reading:

Romans 8: 6-11 Read by: Neil Adams John 11: 1-45

Read by: Yvonne Criddle

Refreshments will be served after the 10am Service.

Refreshment Rota: Margaret Smith and Jan Watkins

#### Collect

Gracious Father,
you gave up your Son
out of love for the world:
lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion,
that we may know eternal peace
through the shedding of our Saviour's blood,
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

### **Post Communion**

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever. Amen

Please pray for...

All those people in Turkey and Syria affected by the earthquakes.

Those who are caught up in conflict and war, remembering particularly the people of Ukraine

All who are affected by natural disasters and Climate Change.

For Diane Swatton and all of Chris Swatton's family following his death. Chris' funeral service will be held in church on tomorrow morning at 11am.

All those that are ill, who mourn and who are concerned about their futures

### **Lent Lunch**

We will be having a Lent Lunch of Soup and Bread in Church at 1pm on Tuesday 28 March. All Welcome

## **Easter Parish Magazines**

These are available at the back of church to collect either as individuals or for those who have kindly agreed to deliver them. All magazines need to be delivered by Friday 31st March

#### **Notices**

# **Annual Parochial Church Meeting**

Join us here at St Martin's Church for our Annual Parochial Church Council meeting on Sunday 16 April at 11am. This is a great opportunity to gather together as a parish to celebrate, look back at 2022 and forward into the end of this year. There will be opportunities to serve God on our church leadership groups and PCC. The agenda and annual report will be available from Sunday 2 April.

In the parish there are 2 vacancies for Parish Church Wardens (These are annual appointments).

St Martin's has 5 vacancies for PCC members (3 for 3 years and 2 for 2 years). Being on the PCC means you will be able you to bring your prayers and suggestions to contribute to the balanced running of our church. There are also 2 vacancies for Deanery Synod Representatives. This is vital if we want to see growth and change at St Martin's. Please speak to Jon, Paul Elliott or Jill Preddy if you would like any of this clarified. Nomination forms are available today on the Communication Table and need to be completed and returned to Liz Winter by 12 noon on Friday 14 April

# **Lent House Group**

Session 5 will be on Tuesday 28 March, which will be the last session. There is a choice of timings for the sessions one starts at 2.00pm and the other starts at 7.30pm. All are welcome to attend.

### **Easter Flowers**

If you would like to make a donations towards Easter Flowers, in memory of Loved Ones, there is a box for money on the font. Please write the name of the person who you are donating for, on the sheets provided.

We will be decorating the Church on **Saturday 8th April at 9.30am**. All welcome to comw and help

### St Martin's Church and Worle Wind Band Concert

You are invited to an afternoon selection of well-known music with tea and cake on Saturday 22 April at 3pm. Tickets cost £10 each and are available from the Church Office or in church from Jill or Paul.

### Sunday 2nd April—Palm Sunday

Weather allowing(!!!!!) the 10am service will start in Worle Village School Playground and we will then process from there, around and into church. For those who won't be able to do this then the service will start simultaneously in church at 10am.