

Diary for week Commencing 24 August 2014

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| Today | <i>St. Bartholomew Apostle</i> |
| Monday | <i>Bank Holiday</i> |
| Tuesday | 9.00am New boiler being fitted until 2 September |
| Wednesday | <i>St. Monica, Mother of St. Augustine</i> 9.30am Holy Communion (St Mark's) 2.00pm Open Church Afternoon - [Grace and Jenny] |
| Thursday | <i>St. Augustine of Hippo, Bishop</i> 10.00am Holy Communion 6.30pm Choir Practice 7.30pm Bell Ringers Practice |
| Friday | <i>The beheading of St. John the Baptist</i> 9.30am Cleaning Guild |
| Saturday | <i>John Bunyan, Spiritual Writer</i> 1.00pm Interment of Ashes |
| Next Sunday | Twelfth Sunday of Trinity [Duty Warden - Paul Elliott] 8.00am Holy Communion 10.00am Family Communion 6.00pm Fifth Sunday Service |

Handbells - no practice until Thursday 18 September

Home Group - Next meeting in September, date to be arranged.

Baby & Toddler Group - The new term will resume 9 September.

Prayer for the Week

- For all the voluntary organisations who have kept our town and coast safe throughout the summer.
- For St. Martin's Social Committee as they arrange events for the coming months.
- For our government as they work to provide aid for the persecuted without compromising our national security.
- For all those living in fear; and that humanity and religious tolerance may prevail.

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Monday - Friday

9.00am - 12 noon

Wednesday

7.00pm - 8.00pm

(by appointment only)

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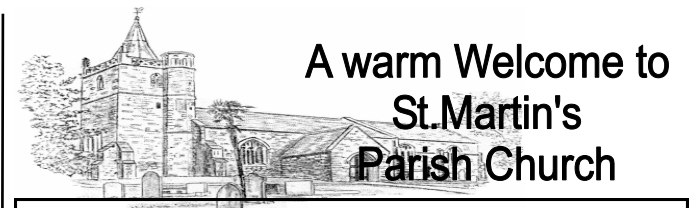
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BAPTISM & WEDDING

ENQUIRIES

At the Parish Office
During normal opening hours



A warm Welcome to St.Martin's Parish Church

Sunday 24 August 2014

Tenth Sunday after Trinity

Sermon Series: Psalms for Summer Psalm 135

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Psalm 135

Matthew 16: 13 - 20

10.00am Family Communion

Hymns & Readings:

564 Praise to the Lord, the almighty

185 God is good - we sing and shout it

7 All creatures of our God and King

1024 All my days I will sing this song

During Communion: 803 * 848 * 419 * 261 * 170

Reading: Psalm 135

Matthew 16: 13 - 20

12noon Baptisms

Evening services within the parish

St. Martin's - No service

6.00pm Mead Vale - Pub Praise

6.00pm St Lawrence - Holy Communion

- 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 Tenth Sunday after Trinity

Our help is in the name of the Lord, who has made heaven and earth.

Psalm 124: 7

8.00 & 10.00am Readings

Psalm 135 - 'Psalm of Salvation'

Matthew 16: 13 - 20 - Jesus asks the disciples, "Who do you say I am?"

Simon Peter answered, "You are the Christ, the Son of the living God." (v16)

Readings for Sunday 31 August - Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

Sermon Series Psalm 100 "*His faithfulness continues...*"

8.00 & 10.00am - Psalm 100 * Matthew 16: 21 - 28

6.00pm - Fifth Sunday Service

Prayers

Collect

Let your merciful ears, O Lord,
be open to the prayers of your humble servants;
and that they may obtain their petitions
make them to ask such things as shall please you;
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.

Post Communion

Lord of all mercy,
we your faithful people have celebrated that one true sacrifice
which takes away our sins and brings pardon and peace:
by our communion
keep us firm on the foundation of the gospel
and preserve us from all sin;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Notices for the week

Psalms for Summer - Our Sermon Series, looking at selected Psalms, continues today with Psalm 135: "Our Lord is greater than all gods". Bookmarks are available on the literature table.

Open Church Afternoons - St Martin's is open on Wednesday afternoons from 2pm to 4.30pm. People will be there to welcome you. Come and explore and enjoy the history and traditions of our Church. Look out for the banner and come along!

Confirmation Wells Cathedral on Saturday 1 November.

If you were baptised as a young person and would like to be confirmed by the Bishop, please let Revd Paul or Revd Anne know. This year our Deanery confirmation will be taking place at Wells and it would be a good opportunity for a group of us to go together.

www.churchofengland.org/our-faith/confirmation.aspx

Sunday 31 August - we welcome Archdeacon Andy Piggott, who will be preaching at our 10am service.

Dates for your diary

Sanctuary Morning - Saturday 6 September at Wick St Lawrence Church. Enjoy the quiet of the church, rest in God's presence and take time to pause in the busyness of life. Drop in any time between 10 and 12.30 for as long or short as you like. Refreshments provided. For more information call 01934 515610

Film Night - Saturday 6 September, 5.15 for 5.45pm in church. The film being shown is Les Misérables. Admission is free and refreshments will be available.

Jesus in the 4 Gospels - 12 Week Course, evening or daytime classes. A free taster class will be held Monday 15 September, 7.00 - 8.00pm, at Locking Castle Church - course tutor Liz Baker BA Hons PGCEA. For further information see poster in porch; flyers also available on literature table.

Harvest Weekend - Beetle Drive with Fish & Chip Supper - Saturday 27 September, 7.00pm in church. Costs: Adult Fish & chips - £9, Children sausage & Chips - £5. Please see sign-up list in porch. Additional information from Diane Swatton 513111.

Exploring Spirituality - A course run by the Diocese of Bath and Wells beginning September 2014. **Course 1 - Exploring Your Spiritual Journey.** Course beginning September 2015. **Course 2 - Equipping for Spiritual Accompaniment.** For more details please see poster in porch.

Weston Bible Week - 24 to 26 September 7.30pm at Milton Baptist Church. Three talks presented by Rev Dr Ian Stackhouse 'Eating your way through Luke' Please see poster in porch for more details.