

Diary for week commencing 4 September 2016

Today	6.00pm	Service of Healing
Monday		
Tuesday		
Wednesday	10.00am	Holy Communion (Mead Vale)
	7.00pm	Bell's Heritage
	7.30pm	St Martin's Leadership Group at 21 Westmarch Way
Thursday	10.00am	Holy Communion
	11.00am	Church Cleaning
	6.00pm	Choir Practice
	7.30pm	Bell Ringers Practice
Friday	3.00pm	Bell's Heritage
Saturday		
Next Sunday	The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity	
		[Duty Warden – Barbara Perkins]
	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Family Communion
	6.00pm	No Service

Prayers

- Heavenly Father, would you guard and grow this Parish and its four churches during our Team Rector vacancy. By the power of your Holy Spirit guide us as we seek the right minister and those who are seeking the right church for their ministry. Together may we discover your way for the future and see your kingdom grow. Amen
- For all students returning to college and for all the mature students as they embark on their degree courses on the Weston Campus.
- For the Social Committee as they make plans for the forthcoming events in St. Martin's.
- For the family and friends of Makayah Mc Dermott and Rozanne Cooper, who were killed by a car being pursued by police in London on Wednesday.
- For all those who were affected by Hurricane Herman as it hit Florida on Friday.

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Including Baptism &
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Monday - Friday:
9.00am - 12 noon
Wednesday :
7.00pm - 8.00pm
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Sunday 4 September 2016
The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Deuteronomy 30: 15 - End
Luke 14: 25 - 33

10.00am Family Communion

Hymns and Readings:

- 302** I want to walk with Jesus verses 1,2,3,5
- 935** Take up your cross verses 1,2,4,6
- 624** Take my life, and let it be
- 404** Let all the world in every corner sing

During Communion: 380 * 375 * 142 * 48 * 753

Readings Deuteronomy 30: 15 - End
Luke 14: 25 - 33

12. 30pm Baptisms - Ellis Matthew White and Rose Robyn Scott

6.00pm Service of Healing

- 691** This is the day
 - 170** Give thanks with a grateful heart
 - 50** Be still
 - 133** Father I place into Your hands
- Reading Luke 4: 16-21

- Children are very welcome and encouraged in church—there are supervised activities for the children which take place during the service 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 The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

I praise you because I am fearfully and wonderfully made; your works are wonderful, I know that full well.
Psalms 139: 14

8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Deuteronomy 30: 15-end - Moses commanded the people of Israel to love the Lord and walk in his ways, thus ensuring that they may live in the land promised to their ancestors. "...Choose life so that you and your descendants may live." (v19)

Luke 14: 25-33 - Jesus told those travelling with him that in order to follow him they should leave all behind them. ".....none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions." (v33)

6.00pm Service of Healing

Readings for Sunday 11 September - The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am and 10.00am Readings

1 Timothy 1:12 - 17* Luke 15: 1 - 10

Prayers

Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit upon your Church in the burning fire of your love: grant that your people may be fervent in the fellowship of the gospel that, always abiding in you, they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service; 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

Keep, O Lord, your Church, with your perpetual mercy; and, because without you our human frailty cannot but fall, keep us ever by your help from all things hurtful, and lead us to all things profitable to our salvation; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Notices for the week

Bright ideas - We continue to look for bright ideas to raise funds during our cash flow crisis and have a bit of fun doing so. Can you grow a fiver? - could you make cakes/biscuits and sell them at school or after church? - could you hold a coffee morning and charge £1 a person? - is there a sponsored activity we could support you in? - are you crafty and can make things to sell? - could you do someone a good turn for church funds? - do you have any other bright ideas? Please let Paul Elliott, Barbara Perkins, Rev Anne or Rev Gilly know and we will support you putting them into action.

Coffee Morning for St Martin's - thank you to all who came along and bought items for the 'everyone wins' tombola. Just under £100 was raised. Every little helps!

Parish Office - We continue to look for volunteer support in the Parish Office. 3 hours a week, days are flexible. Please contact Liz Winter for more information.

National Heritage Open Days - For a number of years National Heritage have organised, annual Open Days for people to visit places which are not normally open. This year the Central Council of Church Bellringers have been invited to open their towers with a challenge of 500 Towers. St. Martin's Church Bell ringers have decided to participate and will be opening St Martin's tower and bell chamber on Thursday 8th September, between 7.45 until 9pm and on Friday 9th September between 3pm until 7pm. Please telephone Christopher Swatton 01934 513111 for further information

Dates for your diary

The next Parish Prayer will take place at St Martin's on Wednesday 14 September from 7.30—8.30. It really is an uplifting hour worth coming to.

Coffee Morning - Saturday 17 September, 10am to 11.30am at Mead Vale Community Hall.

Free Films at St Martin's - Saturday 24 September.

A family film will be shown at 3pm, title to be confirmed, with snacks and popcorn for sale.

At 5pm we will be showing "The Railway Man" with refreshments for sale.

10th Anniversary Service of the founding of Street Pastors Sunday 2 October, Victoria Methodist Church 4pm, with speaker Les Isaac, founder of the movement. Service followed by a buffet tea.