Diary for week commencing 12 March 2023		
Today	8.00am 10.00am	,
Monday	7.30pm	Link with St Martin's School Meeting in church
Tuesday		Open Door Lent Group - session 3
Wednesday	7.00pm	PCC Meeting in church
Thursday	11.00am 6.15pm	Said Holy Communion Cake and Coffee Choir Practice Bell Ringing Practice Men's Fellowship at The Nut Tree
Friday	8.00am	Holy Dusters
Saturday		

Sunday 19 March Fourth Sunday of Lent—Mothering Sunday

[Warden on duty Jill Preddy]

8.00am Said Holy Communion

10.00am All Age Service for Mothering Sunday

Followed by refreshments

6.00pm Evensong

Refreshment Rota: Gill Yeoman and Carol Savill

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.

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Sunday 12 March 2023 Third Sunday of Lent

8am Said Holy Communion

Led by Rev Jon Ormrod

10am Said Holy Communion with Hymns

and Sunday School meeting in

Church

Led by Rev Gilly Bunce

Hymns:

I cannot tell
As the deer
I heard the voice of Jesus say
Here is love, vast as the ocean

Psalm 95

First Reading:

Romans 5: 1-11

Read by: Sheonagh Ormrod

Gospel Reading:

John 4: 5-42

Read by Rev Gilly Bunce

Refreshments will be served after the 10am Service.

Refreshment Rota: Carol Savill and Jo Hunt

Collect

Eternal God
Give us insight to discern your will for us,
To give up what harms us,
And to seek the perfection we are promised
in Jesus Christ our Lord
Amen

Post Communion

Merciful Lord, grant your people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow you, the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Please pray for...

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

All those in New Zealand struck by an earthquake in the wake of a cyclone.

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 this week.

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

Electoral Roll

Please check the register on the Communications table to see if you are on the roll and that your details are correct. For those not currently on the Electoral Roll there are blank forms on the table. Conditions and instructions are printed on the form. Please return your completed forms promptly (by Friday 17 March at the very latest) to the Church Office. If forms are returned late you will not be put on the Electoral Roll until after the APCM, so you will not be able to vote at the APCM

Notices

Lent House Group

Session 3 will be on Tuesday 14 March and will run for the next three weeks. 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.

School Meeting

Please see attached the flier regarding building closer links with the school and some projects we may be able to support as a Church. Please think about this and pray hard about it and discern what God is calling you to do and help with. The first thing you can do is simply put Monday 13th March at 7.30pm into your diary, and then come along and find out what the various opportunities are. If you are unable to come on 13th March then pop in to Open Door one Tuesday afternoon between 4pm and 6pm and chat to Jon about it.

Receiving Communion This can be done in three ways

- 1 Receive the bread and wine from the chalice as previously done
- 2 Receive the bread only
- 3 On being offered the bread, indicate to the person administrating the wafers that you wish to have the bread dipped in the wine. The celebrant will then keep and dip the wafer and offer the dipped wafer to the recipient

Alternatively you are very welcome to come for a blessing.

Daffodils

Don't forget to bring in your daffodils on Mothering Sunday on Sunday 19th March

Men's Fellowship

This will take place at 7.30pm on Thursday 16th March at the Nut Tree. All men are invited

Easter Parish Magazine—Volunteers required to deliver

Like the Christmas Edition of the Parish Magazine, we are going to deliver the Easter magazine to all households in the parish. The magazines themselves could be picked up ready for delivery between 10am and 12noon on Saturday 25th March, or on Sunday 26th March. Do please sign up the list in church if you are able to help with this important act of mission.

Sunday Lunch - 26 March at Midday

It will be at The Summer House and the table is booked for midday. The choice on the day is either the carvery or from the menu.

Please sign up on the list by the Sunday before if you are planning to come. Any queries please contact Yvonne