Diary for week commencing 28 August 2016

Today Monday Tuesday Wednesday Thursday

9.30am Holy Communion (St Mark's)

10.00am Holy Communion 11.00am Church Cleaning 6.30pm Choir Practice

7.30pm Bell Ringers Practice

Friday Saturday

[Duty Warden - Paul Elliott]

8.00am Holy Communion 10.00am Family Communion

12.30pm Baptism - Ellis Matthew White and

Rose Robyn Scott

6.00pm Service of Healing

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 our children and teachers as they return to their places of learning thinking especially of those starting new schools and colleges.
- For those who welcome people into our church and for those who enter.
- For our national sportsmen and woman who have achieved great results this summer, lifting the nation's spirits.
- For human beings moving between countries, for those bringing aid to them and for those trying to find political solutions to this crisis.

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Including Baptism & Wedding Enquiries Monday - Friday: 9.00am - 12 noon Wednesday: 7.00pm - 8.00pm (by appointment only)

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Sunday 28 August 2016 The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Acts 19: 1 - 11 Luke 14: 1, 7 - 11

10.00am Family Communion

Hymns and Readings:

164 From the Rising of the Sun170 Go Forth and Tell, omit v 3 (

734 We Really Want to thank you Lord

617 Stand Up Stand Up for Jesus

Readings: Acts 19: 1 - 11 Luke 14: 1, 7 - 11

12. 00pm Baptism - Layla Shay Coombs

Evening services within the parish

St. Martin's No service
St. Lawrence Holy Communion
Mead Vale Pub Presence

- Children are very welcome and encouraged in church—during August there will be an activity arranged, on the table in front of the Choir Vestry.
- 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 Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Sing for joy to God our strength; shout aloud to the God of Jacob!

Psalm 81:1

8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Acts 19: 1-11 – Paul travelled to Ephesus where he spoke boldly about the kingdom of God; all who listened to him heard the word of the Lord. – "God did extraordinary miracles through Paul." (v11)

Luke 14: 1, 7-11 - *The Parable of the Great Dinner* - "For all who exalt themselves will be humbled, and those who humble themselves will be exalted." (v11)

Readings for Sunday 4 September - The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity 8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Deuteronomy 30: 15 - end

Luke 14: 25 - 33

6.00pm Readings: Service of Healing - To be advised

Prayers

Collect

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; 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 forever.

Post Communion

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in 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.

Sanctuary Morning and Silent Parish Prayer, Saturday 3 September, 10am at St Lawrence Church, Mother Theresa said, "We must all take the time to be silent....especially those in who live in big cities ...where everything moves so fast. God is the friend of silence." There will also be the opportunity to pray in silence for our parish and appointment process for a new Team Rector.

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

Dates for your diary

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.