

Diary for week commencing 19 March 2017

Today	6.00pm	Choral Evensong
Monday		
Tuesday	9.15am	Baby and Toddler Group
Wednesday	9.30am	Holy Communion (St Mark's)
Thursday	10.00am	Holy Communion
	11.00am	Church Cleaning
	6.15pm	Choir Practice
	7.30pm	Bell Ringers Practice

Friday
Saturday

Next Sunday	Mothering Sunday
	[Duty Warden – Paul Elliott]
	8.00am Holy Communion
	10.00am All-Together Holy Communion
	12.00pm Baptisms
	6.00pm No Service

Prayers

- Heavenly Father, would you continue to watch over our Parish as we seek a new Team Rector. By the power of your Holy Spirit encourage our churches, sustain your people, give wisdom to the interview panel, and bring in the person of your choosing.
- For the famine in East Africa and relief agencies working to alleviate suffering.
- For a release of joy and abundant life in our churches and parish.

Diocesan prayer for Shaping our Future being used at our Lent Course

Gracious God, may your Holy Spirit guide us into the future. Help us, throughout the parish, to show uninhibited reliance on your grace and power as we seek the renewal of our lives. Give us courage, rigour, imagination and generosity in order that your kingdom may come and your abundant life be known by all. Amen

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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 19 March 2017 The Third Sunday of Lent

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Romans 5: 1 - 11
Matthew 17: 1 - 9

10.00am Morning Praise

Hymns and Readings

367 Jesus is Lord

790 You are the King of glory

497 O give thanks to the Lord

806 Beauty for brokenness

760 When we walk with the Lord

Readings: Romans 5: 1 - 11
Luke 9: 28-36

6.00pm Choral Evensong

Hymns and Readings

20 All people that on earth do dwell

366 Jesus is King

1087 Lord I come before your throne of Grace

641 The day Thou gavest

Readings: Joshua 1: 1 - 9

Luke 2: 41 - End

Psalm: 24

• 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.

• 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 Third Sunday of Lent

Come, let us sing for joy to the LORD; let us shout aloud to the Rock of our salvation.
Psalm 95:1

8.00am Readings

Romans 5: 1-11 - *Results of Justification* - Paul, in his letter to the Romans, tells them that – “.... since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God, through our Lord Jesus Christ.” (v1)

Matthew 17: 1-9 - *The Transfiguration* - Jesus took James, Peter and John up a high mountain, where they heard a voice proclaim - “.....this is my Son, the Beloved: with him I am well pleased, listen to him!” (v5)

10.00am Readings

Romans 5: 1-11 - *Results of Justification* - Paul, in his letter to the Romans, tells them that – “.... since we are justified by faith, we have peace with God, through our Lord Jesus Christ.” (v1)

Luke 9: 28-36 - *The Transfiguration*

Readings 26 March - Mothering Sunday

8.00am Readings Exodus 2: 1 - 10 * John 19 25b - 27

10.00am Reading John 19: 25b - 27

Prayers

Collect

Almighty God,
whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain,
and entered not into glory before he was crucified:
mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross,
may find it none other than the way of life and peace;
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

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.

Notices for the week

Parish Membership and Electoral Roll - please check that you are listed. The list can be found on the literature table. Please note that due to the formatting of the page some information may appear to be missing, but it is not missing on the data base. If you are not on the list, please complete a form and return to the Parish Office by Friday 7 April.

Want to lead an abundant life? Come and learn more at our Parish Lent Course this **Tuesday, 21 March at Mead Vale Community Centre**. 7.30pm refreshments, 7.45 – 8.45pm. Our guest speaker is the **Andy Piggott, Archdeacon of Bath** who will be speaking to us from The Woman at the well in John's gospel about the abundant life Jesus offers us. Last Tuesday inspired us all as Bishop Peter spoke about the Transfiguration. A transcript is available from the Parish Office. If you would like a lift to Mead Vale on Tuesday or can offer a lift please contact Liz at the Parish Office on 515922

Parish Treasurer - Do you have what it takes to be our Parish Treasurer? This is such an important role and we would love to fill it before we appoint a new Team Rector. You will be supported by the individual church treasurers and clergy. A willing heart and some ability with figures would be necessary. Please pray to see if God is calling you to take on this vital ministry in the parish.

Team Rector Vacancy - The role is currently being re-advertised this in the Church press with a deadline of 20 April. Please continue to pray for the right person to be called to fill this vacancy. A copy of our Parish Profile is available on the Community Table at the back of church.

Sponsored Prayer Walk - Grace Rubery will be doing a sponsored prayer walk on Saturday 25 March. She will walk from Wells Cathedral to the top of Glastonbury Tor. There is a sponsor form on the literature table if you would like to support her.

Free Film Night - Saturday 25 March, doors open at 5.15pm and refreshments will be available. Film being shown is “The Lady in the Van.”

Lent Lunches 12.30 at St Mark's Church, all welcome for a meal of bread , soup, tea and coffee every Saturday during March.

Sunday 26th March at 2.30pm – Worle Chorale Concert

At St John's Church. Please see poster on notice board for more details.