#### Diary for week commencing 28 May 2017

Today		
Monday	12.30pm	Wedding - Christopher Coombs and Chelsey Whatley
Tuesday	7.30pm	Locking Bell Ringers
Wednesday	10.00am	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	Pentecost	

	[Duty Warden – Paul Elliott]
8.00am	Holy Communion
10.00am	Parish Pentecost Service - St Mark's
6.00pm	Service of Healing with Holy Communion

# Prayers

- For the children of Weston who are in the process of taking their exams.
- For the Bell Ringers who welcome our congregation to worship.
- For the families and friends of those killed or injured in the Manchester tragedy.
- For our nation facing a General Election, for justice, integrity and peace.
- For those parts of the world who do not have access to clean water.



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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 May 2017 The Seventh Sunday of Easter

8.00am Holy Communion Readings: Acts 1: 6 - 14 John 17: 1 - 11

10.00am Family Communion
Hymns and Readings
207 Hallelujah, sing to Jesus
202 Hail the day that sees him rise
431 Lord enthroned in heavenly splendour
400 Crown him with many growns

109 Crown him with many crowns

**During Communion** 

Readings: Acts 1: 6 - 14 John 17: 1 - 11

12.00pm Baptism Arabella Mary Collard Hunter Scott Bear Mages

**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—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 Seventh Sunday of Easter

May God arise, may his enemies be scattered; may his foes flee before him. Psalm 68: 1

#### 8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Acts 1: 6 - 14 - After Jesus had ordered the Apostles to remain in Jerusalem, they returned to the room where they were staying. Here they awaited the coming upon them of the Holy Spirit which Jesus had promised them. John 17: 1 - 11 - *Jesus Prays for his Disciples.* 

### **Readings 4thJune - Pentecost**

8.00am Readings Acts 2: 1 - 21\* John 20: 19 - 23
10.00am Reading Acts 2: 1 - 4, 14 - 21
6.00pm Reading - Service of Healing with Holy Communion Matthew 9: 18 - 26

# Prayers Collect

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven: we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### **Post Communion**

Eternal God, giver of love and power, your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world to preach the gospel of his kingdom: confirm us in this mission, and help us to live the good news we proclaim; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Notices for the week

**Worle Wide Express -** available today at the back of the church, please take your copy.

**Warning! Pathway to and from the Lower Graveyard** - the pathway leading down to the lower graveyard is closed to the public, due to work on the retaining wall. Access is via the steps only. The work is being carried out by North Somerset District Council and is expected to last for 6 to 8 weeks. Apologies to church members and the public for any inconvenience.

### Up-date on Interviews for Team Rector

We Praise God that things have gone well and an offer has been made for the Team Rector post. However Archdeacon Andy Piggott says that we are not allowed to give any further news for up to 6 weeks while DBS letters are exchanged etc. So please don't ask for any further information as we are not allowed to give it. Thank you all for your prayers during this process. Please continue to pray that the rest of the appointment process goes well and that we can make a further announcement to you with more details shortly.

**Please note -** Rev Anne will be on retreat from Tuesday 30 May to Saturday 3 June.

# Dates for the diary

**'Thy Kingdom Come'** is a global wave of prayer from our Archbishops to encourage us in prayer from Ascension to Pentecost. As a parish it would be good if we could take part in a small way by committing to say the Lord's Prayer at mid-day from Thursday 25 May to Pentecost Sunday 4 June, wherever you are and whatever you're doing. It would also a be a good idea if you could pray for the people who live in your road or locality, perhaps by walking along the road praying quietly whenever suits you. Rev Anne. See also: https://www.thykingdomcome.global/

### Parish Pentecost Service –Sunday 4 June 10am at St Mark's Church.

Please join us for this annual celebration as we give thanks for the coming of the Holy Spirit and the birth of the church at Pentecost. There will be no 10am service at St Martin's.