

<b>Diary for week Commencing 17 May 2015</b>	
<b>Today</b>	6.00pm Service of Thanksgiving in Memory of Loved Ones
<b>Monday</b>	
<b>Tuesday</b>	<i>Dunstan, Archbishop of Canterbury, 988</i> 9.30am Baby and Toddler Group in church 2.15pm Home Group Meeting 45 Savernake Road
<b>Wednesday</b>	<i>Alcuin of York, Deacon, Abbot of Tours, 804</i> 8.00am Prayers for St. Martin's 9.30am Holy Communion (St. Mark's) 2.00pm Church Open Afternoon (Tarra & Jenny)
<b>Thursday</b>	<i>Helena, Protector of the Holy Places, 330</i> 10.00am Holy Communion 7.30pm Bell Ringers Practice
<b>Friday</b>	9.30am Cleaning Guild
<b>Saturday</b>	
<b>Next Sunday</b>	<b>Pentecost - Joint Service at St. Mark's Church</b> [Duty Warden - Barbara Perkins] 8.00am Holy Communion 10.00am United Pentecost Service at St. Mark's Church

Please note there is no Choir Practice on Thursday 21 May

### Prayers

- For the young people of Weston taking important exams at this crucial time of their lives.
- For our lay PCC members and the work they do for St. Martin's.
- For the new Government as it starts its first term of office.
- For the rapid response rescue services stationed throughout the world ready to be despatched at a moment's notice.

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#### Monday - Friday

9.00am - 12 noon

#### Wednesday

7.00pm - 8.00pm

(by appointment only)

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### BAPTISM & WEDDING

#### ENQUIRIES

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During normal opening hours



## A warm Welcome to St.Martin's Parish Church

[www.stmartinsworle.org.uk](http://www.stmartinsworle.org.uk)

### Sunday 17 May 2015 Seventh Sunday of Easter

#### 8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Acts 1: 15 - 17, 21 - 26  
John 17: 6 - 19

#### 10.00am Family Communion

Hymns and Readings:

- 366** Jesus is king
- 50** Be still for the presence of the of the Lord
- 465** Meekness and majesty
- 689** Thine be the glory

During Communion: 1183 \* 975 \* 934 \* 1157 \* 517

Readings: Acts 1: 15 - 17, 21 - 26  
John 17: 6 - 19

*Please note there is no 10am service next Sunday at St Martin's - United Pentecost Service 10.30am at St Mark's*

#### 6.00pm Service of Thanksgiving In Memory of Loved Ones

Hymns and Reading:

- 449** Love divine, all loves excelling
- 16** All my hope on God is founded
- 674** There is a green hill
- 649** The King of love my shepherd is
- 882** Lord of all hopefulness

Reading: Luke 24: 13 - 35

- 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.
- 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 Seventh Sunday of Easter

*For the Lord knows the way of the righteous, but the way of the wicked shall perish.*  
*Psalm 1: 6*

### 8.00 & 10.00am Readings

Acts 1: 15 - 17, 21 - 26 - *Matthias Chosen to Replace Judas.*

John 17: 6 - 19 - *Jesus Prays For His Disciples* - Jesus asks his Holy Father to protect the disciples by the power of his name - "Sanctify them by the truth; your word is truth." (v17)

### 6.00pm Readings

Luke 24: 13 - 35 - *On the road to Emmaus*

### Readings for 24 May - Pentecost

8.00 am - Acts 2: 1 - 21 \* John 15: 26 - 27, 16: 4b - 15

10.00am - *There is no 10am service next Sunday at St Martin's - United Pentecost Service 10.30am at St Mark's*

6.00pm - *No Service*

## 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

**Service of Thanksgiving in Memory of Loved Ones** - Today at 6.00pm at St. Martin's. This service is held every year and provides an opportunity for people to remember their loved ones, through prayers and the lighting of a candle. Everyone is welcome to attend.

**Listen Again** - if you would like to listen to any of the sermons from our 10am service please go to [www.stmartinsworle.org.uk](http://www.stmartinsworle.org.uk)

**St Martin's Open Church Afternoons** - Please note the Church will be open to visitors each Wednesday from 2.00 - 4.30pm throughout the summer.

**Manna** - the Diocesan magazine is available today on the literature table.

**Love Weston & District - 'Neighbours in Modern Britain'** Wednesday 20 May 7.30pm at Locking Castle Church. A talk will be given by Rebekah Brettell National Director of Neighbourhood Prayer Network. Please see poster in porch.

**Bishop's Visitation** - this took place at John's Church, Keynsham, last Monday. Bishop Peter Hancock presided over the swearing in of new Churchwardens. Please give thanks and pray for all who serve as Churchwardens in our churches.

### Dates for your diary

**United Pentecost Service** - Our Parish Pentecost service takes place on Sunday 24 May at St Mark's Church at 10.30am. Once again this year we will be gathering indoors. We look forward to seeing you there. (This means that there is no 10am service next Sunday at St Martin's).

**Christian Art Exhibition and sale** - It will be taking place at Boulevard United Reformed Church, Waterloo Street in Weston-super-Mare from Friday 22nd to Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2015. Opening hours on Friday and Saturday are 10.30am to 4.30pm and on Sunday the Exhibition is open from 12.30pm to 4.30pm. Admission is free. There will also be a range of stalls selling handmade jewellery, cards and prints, a Fair Trade stall and a second hand book and dvd sale. Homemade refreshments and light lunches will be available throughout.

**St Martin's Church Fellowship** - a trip to Oakham Treasures, Portbury on Tuesday 16 June. Leave church at 11.15am and return from Oakham at 4.30pm. Please see poster and sign up sheet in porch for more information