Diary for week commencing 12 June 2016

Today Monday 9.00am Parish Holiday Baby and Toddlers (meeting at Court Farm) 9.30am Tuesday Deanery Synod 7.30pm Holy Communion St Marks Church Wednesday 9.30am Holy Communion **Thursday** 10.00am 11.00am Church Cleaning 6.30pm **Choir Practice** 7.30pm **Bell Ringers Practice**

Friday Saturday

Next Sunday The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

[Duty Warden - Paul Elliott]

8.00am Holy Communion 10.00am Family Communion 6.00pm Choral Evensong

Prayers

- Heavenly Father, as we move into our Team Rector vacancy, would you help us to share responsibility to grow in faith, love one another, care for those in need, reach out to others and welcome newcomers. Lord Jesus, guard and grow this Parish and its four churches during this vacancy. By the power of your Holy Spirit please guide those who are seeking the right minister for us, and those who are seeking the right church for their ministry, that together we may discover your way for the future and see your kingdom grow. Amen
- For Weston Street Pastors, that more volunteers would come forward for this worthwhile work, which takes place on Saturday evenings.
- For the Bell Ringers as they call the congregations to worship and as they mark significant occasions.

Prayer for the Referendum

God of truth, give us grace to debate the issues in this referendum with honesty and openness. Give generosity to those who seek to form opinion and discernment to those who vote, that our nation may prosper and that with all the peoples of Europe we may work for peace and the common good; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord.

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Sunday 12 June 2016 The Third Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Ephesians 1: 15 - 23

Mark 12: 13 - 17

10.00am Family Communion to Celebrate the Queen's 90th Birthday

Hymns and Readings:

497 O Give thanks to the Lord

Our God is so Great

200 Great is thy faithfulness

Be Still for the Presence of the Lord

109 Crown Him with Many Crowns

National Anthem

During Communion: 1* 3 * 48 * 170

Readings: Ephesians 1: 15 - 23 Mark 12: 13 - 17

Evening services within the parish

St. Martin's No service

St. Lawrence Evening Worship Mead Vale Evening Prayer

- 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 The Third Sunday after Trinity

Lead me, LORD, in your righteousness because of my enemies— make your way straight before me. Psalm 5: 8

8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Ephesians 1: 15 - 23 - In his letter to the Ephesians Paul gives thanks for their faith in Jesus. — "I pray that the God of our Lord Jesus Christ, the Father of Glory, may give you a spirit of wisdom and revelation as you come to know him..." (v17)

Mark 12: 13 - 17 - In an attempt to trap him, some Pharisees and Herodians were sent to Jesus in the temple to question him on the taxes paid to the emperor. Jesus replied to them saying – "Give to the emperor the things that are the emperor's and to God the things that are God's." (v17)

Readings for Sunday 19 June - When we begin a new sermon series in the mornings. "Bible Heroes of Faith" beginning with Abraham

8.00am and 10.am Readings

Genesis 12: 1 - 9 * John 15: 9 - 17 **6.00pm Readings - Choral Evensong** Genesis 24: 1 - 27 * Mark 5: 21 - end

Prayers

Collect

Heavenly Father

as we celebrate the ninetieth birthday of Her Majesty the Queen, receive our heartfelt thanks for all that you have given her in these ninety years and for all that she has given to her people. Continue, we pray, your loving purposes in her, and as you gather us together in celebration, unite us also in love and service to one another; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Post Communion

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Notices for the week

'The Servant Queen and her King' - a book from the Bible Society, cost £1 is on sale after the service, a compilation of the Queen's faith and her speeches over the years with a forward from the Queen.

Cleaning - Over many years a team have been cleaning St Martin's on a Friday morning. It has been decided that the cleaning of church will now take place on Thursdays from 11am to 1pm. It is time to thank Jenny Thompson, who has now retired from the team after many faithful years. We are now looking for a few more volunteers to help the "Holy Dusters" maintain our high standards. If you can help please speak to Paul Elliott or give him a ring on 513968.

Take a taxi for Royal Afternoon Tea - this afternoon to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday, in Wick St Lawrence Village Hall at 2.30pm, Tea inludes sandwiches, mini quiche, scones with jam and cream, cake, and strawberries, tea or coffee and a choice of prosecco or elderflower presse to toast the Queen. Tickets are £8 call 515710

Well done Mick! - Mick Harley recently recorded some familiar songs on CDs that have been on sale in St. Martin's Church over the past few weeks. Mick has borne the costs of production himself and is giving all of the proceeds of sale to a charity of the choir's choice so they will be able to donate £66.00 to a charity in the next few days.

Baby and Toddler Group - will be having their summer outing to Court Farm on Tuesday so no meeting in church.

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 21 June—Parish Wide Prayer Meeting - at 7.30 - 8.30pm for the Vacancy and appointment of a new Team Rector. Please join us at this Important Season in the life of our parish.

Christians Against Poverty - The Weston Area CAP Centre will be launched at a service on Sunday 26 June at 3pm, at Priory School, Worle. Chris Brown, a senior leader from CAP, will be speaking about the amazing CAP story. All are welcome to attend.

Exploring Spirituality Year 1 - Starts fortnightly on Thursdays in September at the Old Deanery, Wells. Explore your spiritual journey, with input from the diocesan team about different traditions of Christian spirituality. For details, contact Margaret Hayward 01934 628431

Weston Light Orchestra - will be in concert in St Martin's on Saturday 2 July 2016 at 7.30pm. Tickets are available today price £12 per person which will include a Buffet with Wine or Fruit juice see poster in Porch