

Diary for week commencing 30 April 2017

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| Today | 6.00pm | Fifth Sunday Service |
| Monday | | |
| Tuesday | 9.15.am | Baby and Toddler Group |
| Wednesday | 10.00am | Holy Communion (Mead Vale) |
| Thursday | 10.00am | Holy Communion |
| | 11.00am | Church Cleaning |
| | 6.15pm | Choir Practice |
| | 7.30pm | Bell Ringers Practice |

Friday
Saturday

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| Next Sunday | The Fourth Sunday of Easter |
| | [Duty Warden – Paul Elliott] |
| | 8.00am Holy Communion |
| | 10.00am Family Communion |
| | 12.00pm Baptisms |
| | 6.00pm Service of Healing |

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.
- Please pray for the shortlisting meeting on Wednesday 3 May of candidates for the post of Team Rector.
- For the young people of Weston taking important exams at this crucial time of their lives.
- For our Lay PCC members, especially those who are newly elected, and for the work they do for our Parish.
- For the peacemakers and aid workers, bringing hope and relief to those in places of conflict.

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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 30 April 2017
The Third Sunday of Easter

8.00am Holy Communion

Readings: Acts 2: 14a, 36 - 41
Luke 24: 13 - 35

10.00am Family Communion

Hymns and Readings

367 Jesus is Lord!
1047 God will make a way
170 Give thanks with a grateful heart
842 Here is bread, here is wine
109 Crown Him with many crowns

During Communion: 964 * 965 * 142 * 162

Readings: Acts 2: 14a, 36 - 41
Luke 24: 13 - 35

6.00pm Fifth Sunday Service

Hymns and Reading

113 NEH Love's Redeeming work is done
115 NEH Now the green blade riseth
427 NEH O praise ye the Lord
476 NEH Ye servants of God

Reading: John 21: 1-19

- 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 Easter

The LORD protects the unwary; when I was brought low, he saved me.

Psalm 116:6

8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Acts 2: 14a, 36-41 - *The First Converts* - Peter tells the crowd to “..Repent, and be baptized every one of you in the name of Jesus Christ so that your sins may be forgiven; and you will receive the gift of the Holy Spirit.” (v38)

Luke 24: 13-35 - The appearance of Jesus on the road to Emmaus.

6.00pm - John 21: 1-19

Readings 7 May - The Fourth Sunday of Easter

8.00am and 10.00am Readings

Acts 2: 42 - end * John 10: 1 - 10

6.00pm - To be advised

Prayers

Collect

Almighty Father,
who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples
with the sight of the risen Lord:
give us such knowledge of his presence with us,
that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life
and serve you continually in righteousness and 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 for ever.

Post Communion

Living God,
your Son made himself known to his disciples
in the breaking of bread:
open the eyes of our faith,
that we may see him in all his redeeming work;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Notices for the week

Fifth Sunday Service - Please join us today for this special service which will take place at 6pm. The service concerns a cockerel and some fish. We'll take the opportunity to look at this meeting of Jesus and his friends at the lakeside, after the crucifixion. It sheds light on an earlier meeting, and for us in our time too. We'll think about the food Jesus gave them too. Do come and share this time with us, led by Rev Gilly Bunce

Thank you to all who joined us for the Annual Parish Meeting last week. We are grateful to Paul Davies, Sarah Taylor and Claire Watters who have all been elected onto St Martin's Leadership Group and WPCC. Please pray for them and all on the LG whose members are also: Paul Elliott, Barbara Perkins, Yvonne Criddle, Grace Rubery, Amy Proctor and Diane Swatton.

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.

Dates for the diary

Archdeacon's visitation - Wednesday 3rd May, All Saints Wrigton, 7pm a service of blessing and affirmation all Church Wardens, Clergy and Readers.

Sanctuary Morning - Wick St Lawrence Church, Saturday 6 May, drop in any time between 10am and 12.30pm, for peace and quiet. Refreshments provided.

Family Beetle Drive - Wick St Lawrence Village Hall, Saturday 6 May 5pm. Cost is £2 to include a hot dog at 'half time' drinks and other refreshments for sale.

SERVICE OF THANKSGIVING IN MEMORY OF LOVED ONES - Sunday 7 May, St. Martin's at 6.00pm followed by refreshments. This annual service offers the opportunity to give thanks and remember those we have loved and lost. Everyone is very welcome.

Christian Aid Fair - on Saturday 13 May at St Mark's Church 10.00am - 2.00pm. Bacon butties, tea and cake, activities, Whack the Rat, stalls and displays.

Coffee Morning - Saturday 20 May 10.30am Mead Vale Community Centre please join us for refreshments and fellowship.

Ascension Day - Thursday 25 May at 7.00am. There will be a service in St. Martin's to celebrate this day. Please see the sign up sheet in the porch if you would like bacon rolls and coffee, following the service There will also be the usual mid-week Holy Communion service at 10am.