

# The Marden Vale Team Ministry

## Christ Church, Derry Hill St. John the Baptist, Foxham St. Martin, Bremhill

### 26th June - Trinity 2

#### Services

##### Sunday 26th June - Trinity 2

10am All-Age Communion at Bremhill  
6pm Patronal Evening Service at Foxham

##### Sunday 3rd July - Thomas the Apostle

10am Said Communion  
10.30am Family Service at Derry Hill  
6pm Zoom Evening Prayer  
(Link available from [lindac@mardenvale.org.uk](mailto:lindac@mardenvale.org.uk))

##### Sunday 10th July - Trinity 4

9.30am Parish Eucharist at Foxham  
11am Parish Eucharist at Derry Hill  
6pm Evensong at Bremhill

#### Diary for June

Tue 28th 2pm Worship & Ministry Meeting in Bremhill  
7pm PCC Meeting at Christ Church, DH  
Wed 29th 6pm Meditation at Christ Church, DH  
7.30pm Handbells at Christ Church, DH  
7.30pm PCC Meeting at St John's, Foxham  
Thu 30th 7.30pm PCC Meeting at Bremhill Village Hall

Please click [here](#) or see below for COVID guidance.

#### Keeping in touch

Contact Linda Tel: 01249 817926  
or email: [lindac@mardenvale.org.uk](mailto:lindac@mardenvale.org.uk)  
Website [www.mardenvale.org.uk](http://www.mardenvale.org.uk)  
Derry Hill's [Facebook page](#) Foxham's [Facebook Page](#)

#### Sunday 17th July at 3pm Farewell Service for Bob and Sadie at St. Mary's, Calne

All welcome

*Deidre Aldhouse is organising a collection for a gift. If you would like to contribute please contact her on 01249 814262*

For our families:

**This Sunday at Bremhill** we are thinking about Fruits of the Spirit. Join us at **10am** for a Communion Service.

#### Next Sunday at Derry Hill-on-Sea(!)

Join us for some seaside fun and fishing. Bring a picnic  
All welcome to our **Family Service** at **10.30am**



**Prayer:** Click [here](#) to leave prayer requests or to join the Church of England Daily Prayer

**The sick:** Mark Steele, Christine Gundry, Mark Jennings, Lynne Cottrell, Rob Simons, Jacob Maloy, Paul Crayford, Jackson Goodship, Liz Kinch, Doreen Williams, Sonia Strange, Margaret Bell, Sara Brake.

**The departed:** all who mourn the loss of loved ones; all whose anniversary of death falls at this time.

**Anglican Cycle of Prayer:** Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan

**Ukrainian Families:** Please pray for the families and individuals who are living among us. May they find peace, comfort, friendship and a warm welcome here.

**Afghanistan:** Please pray for the people of Afghanistan in the aftermath of the earthquake.

Churches open for private prayer  
Bremhill - daily from 9am to 4pm  
Derry Hill - Tue-Sat 9am to 4pm, Sundays 12-4pm  
Foxham - Sundays 11am-4pm

#### Afghanistan Crisis Appeal - DEC

Click [here](#) to donate to the DEC (Disaster Emergencies Committee) Afghanistan Crisis Appeal

#### Support Ukraine

More information from the Church of England and Salisbury Diocese about how you can help is available [here](#)

God of peace and justice, We pray for the people of Ukraine today. We pray for peace and the laying down of weapons. We pray for all those who fear for tomorrow, that your Spirit of comfort would draw near to them. We pray for those with power over war or peace or wisdom, discernment and compassion to guide their decisions. Above all, we pray for all your precious children, at risk and in fear, that you would hold and protect them. We pray in the name of Jesus, the Prince of Peace. Amen.

#### Calne Food Bank

Open 12pm-4pm Mon & Fri, 10am-1pm Wed  
4A Mill Street, Calne, SN11 8DP

[www.calnefoodbank.co.uk](http://www.calnefoodbank.co.uk)  
Email: [calnefoodbank@gmail.com](mailto:calnefoodbank@gmail.com)

#### Giving

Find out how to support your local church on our [Giving](#) page. QR Codes are also available in all our churches.



## Readings for Trinity 2

### Collect

Faithful Creator,  
whose mercy never fails:  
deepen our faithfulness to you  
and to your living Word,  
Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Psalm 77:

I will call to mind the deeds of the Lord;  
I will remember your wonders of old.  
I will meditate on all your work,  
and muse on your mighty deeds.  
Your way, O God, is holy.  
What god is so great as our God?  
You are the God who works wonders;  
you have displayed your might among the peoples.  
With your strong arm you redeemed your people,  
the descendants of Jacob and Joseph.  
*Selah*

When the waters saw you, O God,  
when the waters saw you, they were afraid;  
the very deep trembled.  
The clouds poured out water;  
the skies thundered;  
your arrows flashed on every side.  
The crash of your thunder was in the whirlwind;  
your lightnings lit up the world;  
the earth trembled and shook.  
Your way was through the sea,  
your path, through the mighty waters;  
yet your footprints were unseen.  
You led your people like a flock  
by the hand of Moses and Aaron.

### 1 Kings 19:15-16,19-end

Then the Lord said to him, 'Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place.

So he set out from there, and found Elisha son of Shaphat, who was ploughing. There were twelve yoke of oxen ahead of him, and he was with the twelfth. Elijah passed by him



and threw his mantle over him. He left the oxen, ran after Elijah, and said, 'Let me kiss my father and my mother, and then I will follow you.' Then Elijah said to him, 'Go back

### Galatians 5:1,13-25

For freedom Christ has set us free. Stand firm, therefore, and do not submit again to a yoke of slavery. For you were called to freedom, brothers and sisters; only do not use your freedom as an opportunity for self-indulgence, but through love become slaves to one another. For the whole law is summed up in a single commandment, 'You shall love your neighbour as yourself.' If, however, you bite

and devour one another, take care that you are not consumed by one another.

Live by the Spirit, I say, and do not gratify the desires of the flesh. For what the flesh desires is opposed to the Spirit, and what the Spirit desires is opposed to the flesh; for these are opposed to each other, to prevent you from doing what you



want. But if you are led by the Spirit, you are not subject to the law. Now the works of the flesh are obvious: fornication, impurity, licentiousness, idolatry, sorcery, enmities, strife, jealousy, anger, quarrels, dissensions, factions, envy, drunkenness, carousing, and things like these. I am warning you, as I warned you before: those who do such things will not inherit the kingdom of God.

By contrast, the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, patience, kindness, generosity, faithfulness, gentleness, and self-control. There is no law against such things. And those who belong to Christ Jesus have crucified the flesh with its passions and desires. If we live by the Spirit, let us also be guided by the Spirit.

### Luke 9:51-end

When the days drew near for him to be taken up, he set his face to go to Jerusalem. And he sent messengers ahead of him. On their way they entered a village of the Samaritans to make ready for him; but they did not receive him, because his face was set towards Jerusalem. When his disciples James and John saw it, they said, 'Lord, do you want us to command fire to come down from heaven and consume them?' But he turned and rebuked them. Then they went on to another village.

As they were going along the road, someone said to him, 'I will follow you wherever you go.' And Jesus said to him, 'Foxes have holes, and birds of the air have nests; but the Son of Man has nowhere to lay his head.' To another he said, 'Follow me.' But he said, 'Lord, first let me go and bury my father.' But Jesus said to him, 'Let the dead bury their own dead; but as for you, go and proclaim the kingdom of God.'

Another said, 'I will follow you, Lord; but let me first say farewell to those at my home.' Jesus said to him, 'No one who puts a hand to the plough and looks back is fit for the kingdom of God.'



Oxen Ploughing' 1903 - Clarence Gagnon

