

The Marden Vale Team Ministry

Derry Hill: Christ Church - Foxham: St. John the Baptist - Bremhill: St. Martin
Calne & Blackland: St. Mary the Virgin, Holy Trinity, St. Peter
Bible Sunday

Services around the Team

8am Holy Communion at St Mary's
10am Parish Eucharist at St Mary's
10am All Age Communion + Baptism at St Martin's
10.30am Holy Communion at Holy Trinity
6pm Evensong at St John the Baptist

Wednesdays: Holy Communion 10am at St Mary's

Next week - All Saints' and All Souls'

8am Holy Communion at St Mary's
9.30am Parish Eucharist at St John the Baptist
10am Parish Eucharist at St Mary's
11am Parish Eucharist at Christ Church
3pm All Souls' at St Mary's
3pm All Souls' at Christ Church
6pm Evensong at St Martin's

Diary for October and November

Tue 25th 7pm Derry Hill PCC at Christ Church
Wed 26th 12pm Funeral at St Mary's (T/I Mr Leslie Edwards)
6pm Meditation at Christ Church, DH
7.30pm Foxham Standing Cttee at St John's
Thu 27th 10-11.30am Coffee&Chat at Christ Church, DH
3.30pm Interment of Ashes at Holy Trinity
(T/I Mrs Sheila Taylor)
7.30pm Bremhill PCC in the Village Hall
Fri 28th 10-11.30am Coffee & Cake at Bremhill Village Hall
2pm Crafternoon at Christ Church, Derry Hill
Sat 29th 10am Bremhill Churchyard Tidy-Up
7pm Oktoberfest Supper-Foxham Reading Room
Tue 1st 7.30pm DH&S Gardening Club-Christ Church, DH
Wed 2nd 12.30pm Funeral at St Mary's
(T/I Mr Michael Rawle)
2.30pm MUP&F at Christ Church, DH
Thu 3rd 7.30pm Calne PCC in Church House
Fri 4th 2pm Crafternoon at Christ Church, Derry Hill

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, Liz Kinch, Doreen Williams, Sonia Strange, Margaret Bell.

The departed: Leslie Edwards, Sheila Taylor, Mike Rawle, Alexandra Cresswell, all who mourn the loss of loved ones; all whose anniversary of death falls at this time.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Province de L'Eglise Anglicane Du Congo

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.

Climate: We pray for all who are affected by the extreme weather conditions

School: We pray for all the children, young people and staff of our local schools.

Baptisms: We pray for Hallie and Theo being baptised at St Martin's this Sunday, and their family and friends.

Vacancy: Please pray for wisdom, guidance and generosity of spirit as we discern the way forward for the Marden Vale Benefice and the appointment of a new Team Rector.

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



7pm Saturday 29th October
at Foxham Reading Room
Tickets available from
faywardall@outlook.com



All Souls' Service 30th Oct Christ Church, Derry Hill at 3pm

If you wish your loved one to be remembered by name at this service, please add their name to

the list which is in each church or email lindac@mardenvale.org.uk All are welcome to attend this service. If you have concerns about being indoors, symbols of remembrance (crosses for the yew arch and candles to light) will be available in the porch.

Thank you to everyone who took part in Ride+Stride to raise funds for our churches.



The sponsored walk to Bowood Chapel at Derry Hill raised £675. Thanks to Lord Lansdowne and those who welcomed walkers and provided hospitality and to Richard and Mary Aylen who organised the event.

Bible Study Group Tuesday evenings 7-8.30pm

Hosted by Rachel Collins at 8 Barry Place, Derry Hill.

We'll be looking at the Parables - each session is stand-alone, so no problem if you miss a session. Do come and join us - all are welcome. Please contact Linda Carter (see below) if you are interested and to purchase the book (£5.50)
NB. No meeting 25th Oct.



Crafternoon every Friday 2-4pm Christ Church, Derry Hill

Bring your latest portable project - knitting, crochet or needlecraft - and join us for a cuppa

Your time to chat and to share skills and ideas
£3 a session

(Tea and coffee included)
All abilities welcome

Any queries contact
Christine 817780, Liz 812138 or
Marcia 820196



Giving

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

Calne Food Bank

Open 12pm-4pm Mon & Fri, 10am-1pm Wed 4A Mill Street, Calne, SN11 8DP www.calnefoodbank.co.uk
calnefoodbank@gmail.com

Support Ukraine

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

DEC (Disaster Emergencies Committee) Appeals

Click [here](#) to donate Afghanistan Crisis Appeal Click [here](#) to donate to Pakistan Floods Appeal

Readings for Bible Sunday

Collect

Merciful God,
teach us to be faithful in change and uncertainty,
that trusting in your word
and obeying your will
we may enter the unfailing joy of Jesus Christ our Lord

Psalm 119:129-136

Your decrees are wonderful;
therefore my soul keeps them.
The unfolding of your words gives light;
it imparts understanding to the simple.
With open mouth I pant,
because I long for your commandments.
Turn to me and be gracious to me,
as is your custom towards those who love your name.
Keep my steps steady according to your promise,
and never let iniquity have dominion over me.
Redeem me from human oppression,
that I may keep your precepts.
Make your face shine upon your servant,
and teach me your statutes.
My eyes shed streams of tears
because your law is not kept.

Isaiah 45:22-end

Turn to me and be saved,
all the ends of the earth!
For I am God, and there is no other.
By myself I have sworn,
from my mouth has gone forth in righteousness
a word that shall not return:
'To me every knee shall bow,
every tongue shall swear.'

Only in the Lord, it shall be said of me,
are righteousness and strength;
all who were incensed against him
shall come to him and be ashamed.
In the Lord all the offspring of Israel
shall triumph and glory.

Romans 15:1-6

We who are strong ought to put up with the failings of the weak, and not to please ourselves. Each of us must please our neighbour for the good purpose of building up the neighbour. For Christ did not please himself; but, as it is

written, 'The insults of those who insult you have fallen on me.' For whatever was written in former days was written for our instruction, so that by steadfastness and by the encouragement of the scriptures we might have hope. May the God of steadfastness and encouragement grant you to live in harmony with one another, in accordance with Christ Jesus, so that together you may with one voice glorify the God and Father of our Lord Jesus Christ.

Luke 4:16-24

When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me,
because he has anointed me
to bring good news to the poor.
He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives
and recovery of sight to the blind,
to let the oppressed go free,
to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour.'



And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, 'Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.' All spoke well of him and were amazed at the gracious words that came from his mouth. They

said, 'Is not this Joseph's son?' He said to them, 'Doubtless you will quote to me this proverb, "Doctor, cure yourself!" And you will say, "Do here also in your home town the things that we have heard you did at Capernaum." ' And he said, 'Truly I tell you, no prophet is accepted in the prophet's home town.

Keeping in touch

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Website www.mardenvale.org.uk Derry Hill's [Facebook page](#) Foxham's [Facebook Page](#)

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