

Welcome to The Marden Vale Team Ministry

(Christ Church, Derry Hill; Holy Trinity, Quemerford;
St. John the Baptist, Foxham; St. Martin, Bremhill;
St. Mary the Virgin, Calne; and St. Peter, Blacklands.)

28 May Pentecost - Whit Sunday

<p>Services around the Benefice</p> <p>09:30 St Peter's Blackland Holy Communion (BCP) 10:00 St Mary's Morning Prayer 10:00 St Martin's Bremhill All Age Communion 10:45 Holy Trinity Quemerford Holy Communion 14:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Baptism – We welcome the family and friends of Milo Austin-Pratt 18:00 St John the Baptist Foxham Evening Prayer</p>	<p>Sunday 4 June – Trinity Sunday</p> <p>08:00 St Mary's church Holy Communion 10:00 St Mary's Parish Eucharist 10:00 Holy Trinity Quemerford Family Service 10:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Said Communion 10:30 Christ Church Derry Hill Family Service 18:00 Zoom Evening Prayer (lindac@mardenvale.org.uk)</p>
<p>Today's collect: Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite in us your holy fire; strengthen your children with the gift of faith, revive your Church with the breath of love, and renew the face of the earth, through, Jesus Christ our Lord.</p>	
<p>Post Communion Collect: Faithful God, who fulfilled the promises of Easter by sending us your Holy Spirit and opening to every race and nation the way of life eternal: open our lips by your Spirit, that every tongue may tell of your glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.</p>	
<p>This week:</p> <p>Regular events:</p> <p>Tuesday Church House: No SMUF's this week ½ term</p> <p>Wednesday St. Mary's church: 10:00 Holy Communion 31 May - Visit of the Blessed Virgin Mary to Elizabeth</p> <p>Wednesday Church House: No Wednesday Club ½ term</p> <p>Thursday St Mary's church: 18:30 – 19:00 Christian Meditation</p> <p>Friday St Mary's church: 19:00 Choir Practice</p>	<p>Other Notices:</p> <p>Tuesday 30 May Holy Trinity - 19:30 FOHTCC committee meeting</p> <p>Wednesday 31 May:</p> <p>Holy Trinity 13:00 Interment of ashes the late Gerald Morgan</p> <p>West Wilts Crematorium 15:30 Funeral of the late Barbara Kennett</p> <p>Thursday 1 June St Mary's church – 10:00 - Heating engineers carrying out various checks (3 hours plus)</p> <p>Friday 2 June:</p> <p>Church House 10:00 to 13:00 Cuppa and Chat, all are welcome at our Parish Drop-in session</p> <p>St Mary's church 17:00 Rehearsal for wedding of Kimberley Smith & John Beardon</p> <p>Saturday 3 June St Mary's church 13:00 We welcome the family and friends of Kimberley and John who are to be married today</p>
<p>Please pray for: Cheryl Heaton, Christopher, Connor, Revd Craig Manley, Curtis, Debbie Smith, Eddie Elliott, Teresa Elliott, Goff Morris, Ian Cleverley, Jennifer Fenton, John Keller, baby Kallie Davey, Nicola Rigby, Rex Hitchens, and Thomas.</p> <p>and all those in need of God's healing.</p> <p><u>Care for each other</u> - if you become aware that someone from the church is in need of a phone call, visit or is in hospital then please advise the Parish office (01249 816522) so that a member of the ministry team can help.</p>	<p>Please pray for the family and friends of: Mary Ayles, Pearl Russell, Rosemary Applegate and Barbara Kennett who have recently died and all those who mourn the loss of a loved one.</p> <p>Pray too for: The people of Afghanistan, East Africa, Haiti, Iran, Iraq, Myanmar, Somalia, Sudan, South Sudan, Syria, Turkey, Ukraine, Yemen and especially those who have become refugees because of conflict.</p> <p>The victims of violence and for those who have lost their homes because of natural disaster or famine.</p> <p>For those helping people and families in poverty.</p>

A Rhythm of Prayer for the Archbishop's Visit 9-11th June: In June, Archbishop Justin joins us for a weekend to lead us in a diocese-wide evangelistic mission. Please join with the whole diocese in prayer asking God to be at work before, during and after this really special weekend. Find the prayer diary [Archbishop of Canterbury's Mission - The Diocese of Salisbury \(anglican.org\)](https://www.archbishopofcanterbury.org/mission)

Archbishop Justin will visit schools, an army base, a prison, join in a young people's event and spend time with the Gypsy and Traveller community during the weekend.

The mission will culminate in a celebration event in Salisbury Cathedral Close on the afternoon of 11 June. All are welcome to join in person or via Youtube live stream.

Almighty God, Whose Son commanded us to go and make disciples, give grace to your servant Justin, our archbishop, as he comes to visit us; increase in him and in us boldness in proclaiming the gospel, attentiveness in listening, and love for all your children as we seek to make Jesus known in our diocese here and now; through the same Jesus Christ who is alive and reigns, one God, now and for ever, Amen

FOSM. Following a recent committee meeting and due to various circumstances we have decided to **postpone the July Coffee morning** until September. This will now take place on **Saturday 9th September**. We had asked that the Smartie tubes be returned at the next coffee morning so if and when you have filled yours please return them to Jane Wells (or Kevin) or failing this one of the committee - Penny, Eve, Mary or Tim. Thank you.

Today's readings:
Acts 2.1-21

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, 'Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power.' All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, 'What does this mean?' But others sneered and said, 'They are filled with new wine.'

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved."

John 20.19-23

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

Psalms 104.26-37

There go the ships,
and Leviathan that you formed to sport in it.
These all look to you to give them their food in due
season; when you give to them, they gather it up;
when you open your hand, they are filled with good
things.
When you hide your face, they are dismayed;
when you take away their breath, they die
and return to their dust.
When you send forth your spirit, they are created;
and you renew the face of the ground.

May the glory of the Lord endure for ever;
may the Lord rejoice in his works—
who looks on the earth and it trembles,
who touches the mountains and they smoke.
I will sing to the Lord as long as I live;
I will sing praise to my God while I have being.
May my meditation be pleasing to him,
for I rejoice in the Lord.
Bless the Lord, O my soul.
Praise the Lord!

New Team Rector Revd Caspar Bush: Please pray for Caspar and his family as they prepare to move to Calne.

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Any items for the next notice sheet should be sent to notices@mardenvale.org.uk by 12 noon on Wednesday next.

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