

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.)

26 November - Christ the King (White)

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| <p>Services around the Benefice 09:30 St Peter's Blackland Holy Communion (BCP) 10:00 St Mary's Morning Praise 10:00 St Martin's Bremhill All Age Holy Communion 10:45 Holy Trinity Holy Communion 15:00 St Bartholomew's RWB Deanery Evensong 16:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Patronal Evensong 18:00 St John the Baptist Foxham Evensong</p> | <p>Sunday 3 December – Advent Sunday 08:00 St Mary's Holy Communion 10:00 St Mary's Parish Eucharist 10:00 Holy Trinity Family Service 10:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Holy Communion 10:30 Christ Church Derry Hill Family Service 18:00 St Martin's Bremhill Benefice Advent Service</p> |
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Today's Collect: God the Father, help us to hear the call of Christ the King and to follow in his service, whose kingdom has no end; for he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, one glory.

Post Communion Collect: Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

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| <p>Regular events: <u>Tuesdays</u> Church House 10:00-11:30 SMUFs (St. Mary's Under Fives) Term time only. Derry Hill (8 Barry Place) 19:00: Bible Study group hosted by Rachel Collins <u>Wednesdays</u> St Mary's church: 10:00 Holy Communion Church House: 15:30 - 17:30 Wednesday Club for children aged 4-11. Term time only Derry Hill church: 18:00 Meditation; 19:30 Handbells <u>Thursdays</u> Derry Hill church 10:30 coffee & chat St Mary's church: 18:30 – 19:00 Christian Meditation <u>Fridays</u> Bremhill Village Hall 10:00 coffee & cake Derry Hill church 14:00 Crafternoon St Mary's church: 19:00 Choir Practice; 19:30 Bellringing</p> | <p>Other Notices: Tuesday 28 November Holy Trinity church 13:30 – 15:00 Holy Trinity Academy KS1 rehearsal for Nativity Wednesday 29 November Holy Trinity church 09:00 -10:30 Holy Trinity Academy KS1 rehearsal for Nativity Church House 11:15 and 19:00 Advent wreath making with Joanna West Wilts Crematorium 11:45 Funeral service of the late Patricia May Cleverly (Pat) Thursday 30 November Holy Trinity church 13:30 – 15:00 Holy Trinity Academy KS1 rehearsal for Nativity Friday 1 December Holy Trinity church 09:00-10:30 Holy Trinity Academy KS1 rehearsal for Nativity</p> |
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Please pray for: Ian Liddle, Nicola Rigby and Debbie Smith
 All those in need of God's healing.
Care for each other - if you become aware that someone from the church needs 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.
Please pray for the family and friends of: Denise Andrews, Patricia Cleverly and Thomas Cowden
 All who have recently died; all who mourn the loss of a loved one; all whose anniversary of death falls at this time.
Pray too for:
 The people of Afghanistan, East Africa, Haiti, Iran, Iraq, Libya, Morocco, Myanmar, Somalia, Sudan, South Sudan, Syria, Turkey, Ukraine, Yemen and especially those who have become refugees because of conflict.
 Israel & the people of Palestine in Gaza.
 The victims of violence.
 For those who have lost their homes because of natural disaster, extreme weather conditions or famine.
 For those helping people and families in poverty.
 We pray for all the children, young people and staff of our local schools.

A new system for including people on the prayer request section of this weekly notice sheet, in the hope that more people will use this way of sharing prayer requests. Any name sent into Ann in the office will appear for four weeks, and then be removed. If you wish to resubmit the same name after this period you are welcome to do so, but the standard inclusion will be for four weeks

Zoom morning prayer for the whole benefice is to continue at **8.30am every Friday morning**. If you've not joined us yet, do give it a go! Click here:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86707029064?pwd=MTlnaGM2bnNBRStYN3Q0Vi9STWxudz09>

Meeting ID: 867 0702 9064 Passcode: 123456

From our Treasurer: Grateful thanks for the receipt of a donation of £5,000 towards the urgent repairs to the tower roof.

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| <p>Today's readings are: Ezekiel 34.11-16,20-24 Ephesians 1.15-23 Matthew 25.31-46 Psalm 95 If you would like to receive a Gluten Free wafer at Communion please let the Churchwardens or priest know before the service.</p> | <p>Our Churches are open for private prayer: Bremhill - daily from 09:00-16:00 Derry Hill – Tues-Sat 09:00 -16:00 and Sundays 12:00-16:00 Foxham – Sundays 11:00 – 16:00 St Mary's – Wed 11:00 – 13:00 and Fri 14:00 – 16:00</p> |
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Advent 'in a bag'

This year's Advent bags are based on the poem 'The Four Candles' by Aino Makoto <https://allpoetry.com/poem/496440-The-Four-Candles-by-Aino-Makoto>

and are available to pick up in churches from 26th November ready to begin on the first Sunday of Advent (3rd Dec).

Feel free to take a spare bag for a friend or neighbour, and please remember to hold the recipients of the bags in your prayers.

A huge thank you to all those who helped to put the bags together, and especially to the children & helpers of Wednesday Club and Holy Trinity Family Service!

Advent Wreath Making

You are invited to join Joanna, downstairs, in Church House on Wednesday 29 November to make your own Advent wreath, containing 4 candles.

This ties in with the theme of this year's Advent bags helping us on our Advent journey towards Christmas.

Two sessions are planned: 11:15am and 7pm. Everything you need will be provided at a cost of £6 per wreath.

Please contact Liz Roberts on 07876 196505 or e.are@btopenworld.com if you would like to book a place.

The Bowood Estate will generously donate a tree for the church's Christmas decorations.

It will be quite a size, so a team will be needed to get it vertical and decorated: volunteers welcome.

Wednesday evening 6th, starting 6:30. More details from Andy Miller 07977 095 914

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

Contact us: Church House - 30, Church Street, Calne, SN11 0HU,

(Open – 09:00 – 13:00 on Mon., Weds., & Fri. only) Tel. 01249 816 522. (excluding bank holidays)

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