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.)

5 November - All Saints' Day (Gold or White)

Services around the Benefice

08:00 St Mary's Calne Holy Communion
10:00 St Mary's Calne Parish Eucharist
10:00 Holy Trinity Quemerford Family Service
10:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Holy Communion
10:30 Christ Church Derry Hill Family Service
16:00 St Martin's Bremhill Evensong followed by Bonfire

Sunday 12 November – Remembrance Sunday

08:00 St Mary's Calne Holy Communion

09:30 St John the Baptist Foxham Remembrance

10:00 St Mary's Calne Remembrance

10:50 St Martin's Bremhill Remembrance

11:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Remembrance

18:00 Bowood Evensong

Today's Collect: God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Post Communion Collect: God, the source of all holiness and giver of all good things: may we who have shared at this table as strangers and pilgrims here on earth be welcomed with all your saints to the heavenly feast on the day of your kingdom; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Regular events:

Tuesdays

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

Wednesdays

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

Thursdays

Derry Hill church 10:30 coffee & chat

St Mary's church: 18:30 – 19:00 Christian Meditation

Fridays

Bremhill Village Hall 10:00 coffee & cake Derry Hill church 14:00 Crafternoon

St Mary's church: NO Choir Practice; 19:30 Bellringing

Other Notices

Wednesday 8 November

Holy Trinity church 11:30 Funeral Service for the late Heather McKellar

Friday 10 November

St Mary's church 10:15 Schools Remembrance Service

Saturday II November

Holy Trinity churchyard 10:00-13:00 Maintenance volunteers morning

St Martin's Bremhill 14:00-16:00 half muffled ringing for Remembrance by Calne Branch and visiting bell ringers from the Salisbury Diocesan Guild of Ringers

Sunday 12 November

3pm – 6pm Calne Methodist Church - Messy Church

Please pray for: Mark Steele, Christine Gundry, Mark Jennings, Lynne Cottrell, Rob Simons, Jacob Maloy, Paul Crayford, Liz Kinch, Doreen Williams, Sonia Strange, Judy Scott, Amelia Bolter, Ken Goodship, Alex Grenfell, Cheryl Heaton, Christopher, Connor, Revd Craig Manley, Curtis, Debbie Smith, Eddie Elliott, Teresa Elliott, Goff Morris, Jennifer Fenton, John Keller, baby Kallie Davey, Nicola Rigby, Rex Hitchens, Henry Wonham and Thomas.

All those in need of God's healing.

<u>Care for each other</u> - 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:

Baby Alex Watt and Baby Amaya Watt, Heather McKellar and 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.

On Sunday 26th November at 3pm there will be a Deanery Evensong at St Bartholomew's Church in RWB—a chance for us to get together as a Deanery, celebrate Christ the King, hear about our partners in the churches of Sudan and South Sudan, and enjoy some pre-Advent fellowship. We are also inviting singers to come and form an ad hoc choir. For more information please contact the Rural Dean Jane, jane@chelmsworth.com

Following our experiment in the month of October, 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

Today's readings are:

Revelation 7.9-17

I John 3.1-3

Matthew 5.1-12

Psalm 34.1-10

If you would like to receive a Gluten Free wafer at Communion please let the Churchwardens or priest know before the service.

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

Calne Lantern Parade - Calne Partnership of Churches will be having a stall at the Lantern Parade - they would love offers of help to run it. So if you could spare an hour or two between 11.30 and 6.30 on Saturday 25 November contact Steven Colby on stevenc@mardenvale.org.uk

Harvest Donations

Please accept our grateful thanks to all, across the Marden Vale benefice, who donated to Calne Foodbank so generously through the harvest festival collections.

We have been encouraged at the support received from the community again this year.

It has been a year of change and we have been fortunate to find permanent premises more suited to achieving our aims.

To date this year, we have supported over 200 households in the SNII area, issuing a total of over 1800 food parcels. This is an increase of 27% on 2022.

These figures are not really surprising given the current cost of living crisis but, with your help, we will do our best to continue helping those in need. Thank you again for your continued support.

On behalf of the trustees, volunteers and clients of Calne Foodbank

An opportunity to help with Messy Church - the Messy Church that is being run by the Methodists, Baptists and Anglicans is going really well. More help is needed with the meal at the end, not with preparing the food but with helping to serve from 4pm onwards. This is a really important part of Messy Church, ensuring the families who come are looked after during the meal. If you would like to volunteer, or want a bit more information about what is involved, please get in touch with Steven Colby on stevenc@mardenvale.org.uk

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, SNII 0HU,

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

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