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Collect Prayer

Lord, you have taught us
that all our doings without love are nothing worth:
send your Holy Spirit
and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love,
the true bond of peace and of all virtues,
without which whoever lives is counted dead before you.
Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Old Testament Reading**1 Kings 19. 15-16, 19 to end Pg: 349**

The Lord said to Elijah, '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 again; for what have I done to you?' He returned from following him, took the yoke of oxen, and slaughtered them; using the equipment from the oxen, he boiled their flesh, and gave it to the people, and they ate. Then he set out and followed Elijah, and became his servant.

New Testament Reading**Galatians 5.1, 13-25 NT Pg: 203**

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.

Gospel Reading**Luke 9. 51-62****NT Pg: 75**

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 Jesus 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.'

Post Communion Prayer

Loving Father,
we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son:
sustain us with your Spirit,
that we may serve you here on earth
until our joy is complete in heaven,
and we share in the eternal banquet
with Jesus Christ our Lord.

News and Notices

There will be a sequel seminar to the recent one to cover 325-381AD, on 29th June at 6pm.

'From Nicaea to Constantinople: the creation of Trinitarian orthodoxy after the Council of Nicaea. A seminar to explore the theologies of God after the creation of the Nicene Symbol in June 325 AD.'

Dorking Area Foodbank. Requested donations of: tinned soup, hair conditioner, bars of chocolate, multipacks of muesli bars, 1 litre cartons of long-life fruit juice and children's sunscreen.

As we are part of an eco-church and trying to obtain our silver badge, **bring your own cup for coffee after church.**


Are you clever with the needle? We are looking for people who would kindly help mend or repair the choir robes. The exciting start of the junior choir means more help needed! I've been very grateful for the response but if there is still anyone else handy with a needle please see Carol Stewart (07884011194) if you feel you can help.

Residents and businesses in Surrey are currently served by a 2-tier system of local government made up of a County Council and eleven Districts and Borough Councils. In February 2025, the Secretary of State invited councils to submit a proposal for unitary local government across Surrey to replace the existing 2-tier system. In response to this invitation, a number of proposals were submitted. MHCLG has launched a consultation on some of these proposals and I thought the organisation you represent might want to respond. The consultation document is available online at Local government reorganisation in Surrey - GOV.UK and responses may be made on the online platform 'Citizen Space,' by email to lgreorganisation@communities.gov.uk, or in writing to LGR Consultation, Fry Building 2NE, Ministry of Housing, Communities and Local Government, 2 Marsham Street, London SW1P 4DF. The consultation will run for seven weeks to 5th August. The consultation will inform an assessment of the merits of the proposals. This will be carried out by the Minister of State to decide which proposal, if any, to implement. Should it be agreed to proceed with the implementation of a proposal it is anticipated that elections for Councillors to the new unitary authorities would be in May 2026. This would enable new authorities to go live in April 2027. Karen Brimacombe, Chief Executive, Mole Valley District Council

Home Communion: if you are unwell and not able to get to church, or if you know of another member of the congregation who is not able to get to church, please let the parish office know, so that a member of the ministry team can visit and offer communion at home.

Your **July/August magazine** is available at the back of church.

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers: Charlotte Simmons, Jacqueline Ko, Matthew Smith, Sue Hall, Pauline Welton, Mary and Andrew Cowan and June Rainger. 

Please pray for those who have died. Peter Millson, John Hope (Methodist Superintendent Minister),

Churches Together in Dorking Prayer intention: This week, New Life Church

Diocesan Calendar of Prayer is at: www.cofeguildford.org.uk/about/christian-calendar/calendar-of-prayer.
July intention: the deaneries of Aldershot and Cranleigh.

Download Daily Prayer App and Everyday Faith from Google Play or Apple App Store.

Church Office opening times have changed: Church office opening hours are 10-12pm on 2 days a week (Monday and Friday). At all other times, please email the church office on stmartinsdorkingchurchoffice@gmail.com or call the office telephone: 01306 884229.

Weekly News Sheet Content needs to be submitted to Vicki by TUESDAY afternoon for inclusion in the next issue: email stmartinsdorkingchurchoffice@gmail.com



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WITH ST. MARY'S PIXHAM

Welcome, particularly if you are new or just visiting, please join us for coffee after the service.

Sunday 29th June Trinity 2

St Martin's

Sunday 29th June, Trinity 2

Holy Eucharist BCP @ 8am

Sung Eucharist @ 9.30am

From Nicaea to Constantinople @ 6pm (see notes)

Wednesday 2nd July

Holy Eucharist BCP @ 11.15am

Friday 4th July

Wholeness and Healing service @ 10am

Please note new regular time

Sunday 6th July, Trinity 3

Holy Eucharist BCP @ 8am

Sung Eucharist @ 9.30am

Choral Evensong @ 6pm

Morning Prayer every weekday at 8.30am

Evening Prayer every weekday at 5pm

St Mary's

Sunday 29th June

Morning Worship @ 9.30am

Sunday 6th July

Eucharist @ 9.30am

St Barnabas

Sunday 29th June

Sung Eucharist @ 11am

Sunday 6th July

Matins @ 11am

God of Mission

**Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
vision to our planning,
wisdom to our actions,
and power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
in spiritual commitment to you,
and in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen**