

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.)

Sunday 26 July -Trinity 8 (Green)

Services around the Benefice 09:30 St Peter's Holy Communion 10:00 St Mary's Morning Praise 10:00 St Martin's Morning Praise 10:45 Holy Trinity Holy Communion 11:00 Christ Church Morning Prayer 12:30 St Mary's Baptism of Michalis Ballingall 18:00 St John the Baptist Evensong 18:00 Calne Methodist Church Farewell service for Craig Manley.	Sunday 2 August Trinity 9 (Green) 08:00 St Mary's Holy Communion 09:30 Christ Church Spoken Holy Communion 10:00 St Mary's Holy Communion 12:30 Christ Church Baptism of Wynter Watts and Ashton Watts 18:00 St Martin's Evensong
Today's Collect: Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord.	
Post Communion Collect: Strengthen for service, Lord, the hands that have taken holy things; may the ears which have heard your word be deaf to clamour and dispute; may the tongues which have sung your praise be free from deceit; may the eyes which have seen the tokens of your love shine with the light of hope; and may the bodies which have been fed with your body be refreshed with the fullness of your life; glory to you for ever.	

Regular events:

Mondays

Church House 10:00 - 12:00 Mary Makers Craft Group

Tuesdays

Church House 10:00 - 11:30 SMUFs (St. Mary's Under Fives) – Term time only - Starts again on 8 September

Derry Hill church 14:30 – 16:30 Handbells

Wednesdays

St Mary's church: 10:00 Holy Communion

Derry Hill church: Christian Meditation 18:00 – 18:30

Thursdays

Derry Hill church 10:30 coffee & chat

Fridays

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

St Mary's church: 19:30 Bellringing

Other Notices:

Sunday 2 August – No Sunday Club – Summer Holidays

Wednesday 5 August St Mary's church 14:00 – 15:30 Bereavement Café - Our informal café offers a safe space to share. All who are bereaved are warmly welcome. Free refreshments will be provided.

There is a summer break for St Mary's Choir Practice and Young Voices. We meet again on **Friday 4 September** at the new times of:- Young Voices 17:00 to 18:00 and Choir Practice 18:00 – 19:00

Eden Bridge Festival: A family focused Christian Festival which is taking place locally on **Saturday 22 August**. There will be lots of fun for people of all ages, along with plenty of praise and prayer. For more information or to book places (there is no cost), please go to the website: www.edenbridge.love

It is with great sadness that we learnt of the recent death of Margaet Hogarth. There will be a private cremation service for the family. On 5 October at Christ Church, Derry Hill there will be a Celebration of Life Service. Please remember the family in your prayers.

Zoom morning prayer for the whole benefice is at **8.30am every Friday morning**. Click here:

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

Meeting ID: 867 0702 9064 Passcode: 12345

Please pray for: Ann Cotton, Kathy Udex, Jane Mannall, Goff & Ann Morris, Brian & Rosemary Hick, Pamela Cooper and Nicola Rigby

All those in need of God's healing.

Please pray for the family and friends of: Margaret Hogarth

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, Myanmar, Iran, Pakistan, Sudan, South Sudan, Ukraine, Yemen and especially those who have become refugees because of conflict or as a result of natural disasters

Israel & the people of Palestine in Gaza and of Lebanon. The people of Venezuela and Greenland

The victims of violence. For those helping people and families in poverty.

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

Today's readings are:

1 Kings 3.5-12

Romans 8.26-39

Matthew 13.31-33, 44-52

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 – Mon-Sat 09:00 -16:00 and Sundays 12:00-16:00

Foxham — Sundays 11:00 – 16:00

St Mary's – daily from 09:00 – 16:00

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