

## 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.)

**3 September - 13<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

<p><b>Services around the Benefice</b>                  08:00 St Mary's Holy Communion                  10:00 St Mary's Parish Eucharist                  10:00 Holy Trinity, Quemerford Family Service                  11:00 Christ Church, Derry Hill Harvest Thanksgiving and Picnic                  12:30 St Mary's Baptism - We welcome the family and friends of Prudence Falcini-Salmon                  18:00 St John the Baptist, Foxham Harvest Thanksgiving</p>	<p><b>Sunday 10 September – Trinity 14</b>                  09:30 St John the Baptist Foxham Parish Eucharist                  10:00 St Mary's Morning Prayer                  10:00 St Martin's Bremhill Morning Prayer                  11:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Parish Eucharist                  15:00 St Mary's – Thanksgiving Service – Rededication of the Bells. Clock and tower.</p>
<p><b>Today's Collect:</b> Almighty God, you search us and know us: may we rely on you in Strength and rest on you in weakness, now and in all our days; through Jesus Christ our Lord.</p>	
<p><b>Post Communion Collect:</b> God our creator, you feed your children with the true manna, the living bread from heaven: let this holy food sustain us through our earthly pilgrimage until we come to that place where hunger and thirst are no more; through Jesus Christ our Lord.</p>	
<p><b>Regular events:</b>  <u>Tuesdays</u>  <b>Derry Hill (8 Barry Place):</b> No Bible Study this week  <u>Wednesdays</u>  <b>St Mary's church:</b> No Holy Communion  <b>Derry Hill church:</b> 18:00 Meditation; 19:30 Handbells  <u>Thursdays</u>  <b>Derry Hill church</b> 10:30 coffee &amp; chat  <b>St Mary's church:</b> 18:30 – 19:00 Christian Meditation  <u>Fridays</u>  <b>Bremhill Village Hall</b> 10:00 coffee &amp; cake  <b>Derry Hill church</b> 14:00 Crafternoon  <b>St Mary's church:</b> 19:00 Choir Practice; 19:30 Bellringing</p>	<p><b>Other Notices:</b>  <b>Tuesday 5 September</b>  <b>Holy Trinity-</b>19:30 FOHTCC committee meeting  <b>Wednesday 6 September</b>  <b>St Mary's church</b> -11:00 prayers for the Benefice  <b>Christ Church Derry Hill</b> -14:00 Mothers' Union Prayer and Fellowship group  <b>Church House</b> - 19:00 C&amp;B Standing Committee  <b>Thursday 7 September</b>                  19:30 Benson Hall, Compton Bassett Deanery Synod  <b>Friday 8 September</b>  <b>St Mary's church</b> – 19:00 rehearsals begin for the Festival Evensong  <b>North Wiltshire Crematorium</b> 13:00 Funeral Service of Lorna Turk  <b>Saturday 9 September St Mary's</b>                  09:00 – 12:30 FOSM Coffee Morning                  10:00-18:00 Wiltshire Historic Churches Trust Ride and Stride</p>
<p><b>Please pray for:</b> 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, Caroline Ransom, Cheryl Heaton, Viv Bisby, 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.</p>	<p><b>Please pray for the family and friends of:</b> Lorna Turk, Ken Munday and Danny Fowler and all who have recently died; all who mourn the loss of a loved one; all whose anniversary of death falls at this time.  <b>Pray too for:</b>                  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.                  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.</p>

**SMUF's (St Mary's Under Fives)** We are looking forward to welcoming babies and toddlers with their Mum's and carers on Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> September. We really would love some help with this though. If you would like to volunteer to help, even if you can't make every week, then please do contact Jenny (819097) or Revd Teresa tel 07963 399645

Everyone is invited to the service of rededication for the bells, clock and tower on Sunday 10 September, starting at 3pm. The preacher will be Bishop Andrew and the handbell team from Derry Hill will give a performance during the service

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Following a summer break Derry Hill Mothers' Union Prayer and Fellowship Group will meet in Christ Church Derry Hill starting on 6 September at 2pm and meeting on the first Wednesday of each month – All are welcome.

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A warm welcome awaits anyone who would like to join the choir for the Festival Evensong on Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October in St. Mary's Church. Rehearsals are on a Friday – starting 8<sup>th</sup> September at 19:00 in St Mary's Church

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<p><b>Today's readings are:</b> Jeremiah 15.15-21 Psalm 26.1-8 Romans 12.9-21 Matthew 16.21-28 If you would like to receive a Gluten Free wafer at Communion please let the Churchwardens or priest know before the service.</p>	<p><b>Our Churches are open for private prayer:</b> 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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Please join us for a time of prayer in St. Mary's Church at 11am on Weds 6th September to pray for Teresa and all those involved in the ministry of our churches, as well as for Caspar as he prepares to join us. We will have a simple liturgy and a time for open prayer (or just come and sit with us and pray silently if you prefer) lasting approximately half an hour. Liz & Kevin, P&D group

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On **Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> September at 3pm** St Mary's church, Calne the Revd Caspar Bush is to be licensed as the new Team Rector for the Marden Vale Benefice. The Bishop of Salisbury The Rt Revd Stephen Lake, will be leading this service. All are welcome to attend so do come and meet Caspar.

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The next Holy Trinity churchyard bi-monthly maintenance volunteers morning will be held on 16 September 10:00 - 13:00. For more information contact Stan Anniss.

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Holy Trinity Church has won the Bishop's Award 2022 for the Wiltshire Living Churchyard and Cemetery Project for 1 year of continued Good Management for Wildlife in the Churchyard

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Calne Methodist Church is staging a performance of 'The Face' written by Edward Barham and Directed by Hugh Pilcher-Clayton. Friday 15 September at 7:30pm and Saturday 16 September at 3:00pm – Contact 01249 812749 or 01249 822453 for further information and tickets (Adults £10 children 17 and under £3)

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**You may have heard the good news** that Archdeacon Sue has agreed to the recruitment of a new team vicar to live at the Derry Hill vicarage. This post will be part-time - three days a week plus Sundays - in return for a half stipend. This is good news! We were not at all sure what sort of post the diocese would let us have, though they are permitting this on the understanding that all our parishes look at how the level of our financial giving can be increased. Also we expect that like Caspar, this new team vicar will work across all the parishes in some way. The recruitment process will begin in earnest once Caspar our new team rector is in post from the end of September. However, we're keen to hear your thoughts on what sort of person (and with what sort of gifts) we should be trying to recruit. Please direct any thoughts you may have on this matter to Ann in the office.

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Any items for the next notice sheet should be sent to [notices@mardenvale.org.uk](mailto:notices@mardenvale.org.uk) by 12 noon on Wednesday next.

<p>Contact us: Church House - 30, Church Street, Calne, SN11 0HU, (Open – 09:00 – 13:00 on Mon., Weds., &amp; Fri. only) Tel. 01249 816 522. (excluding bank holidays) Email <a href="mailto:enquiries@mardenvale.org.uk">enquiries@mardenvale.org.uk</a> Web <a href="https://www.mardenvale.org.uk">https://www.mardenvale.org.uk</a> or <a href="https://www.pariahofcalneandblackland.org.uk/">https://www.pariahofcalneandblackland.org.uk/</a></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• Team Vicar The Revd Teresa Michaux <a href="mailto:tmx256@hotmail.co.uk">tmx256@hotmail.co.uk</a> Tel. 01249 817 841 or 07963 399 645 (Tues. - Fri. mornings only)</li><li>• Licensed Lay Ministers Enid Powell Tel. 01249 813 801 &amp; Steven Colby Tel. 01249 819 097 <a href="mailto:stevenc@mardenvale.org.uk">stevenc@mardenvale.org.uk</a></li><li>• Church Army Sister Jenny Colby Tel. 01249 819 097</li></ul>
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