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.)

28 April 2024 Easter 5 White

Services around the Benefice

09:30 St Peter, Blackland Holy Communion

10:00 St Mary's Morning Praise

10:00 St Martin's Bremhill All Age Holy Communion

(followed by APCM)

10:45 Holy Trinity Quemerford Holy Communion

18:00 St John the Baptist Foxham Evensong

18:00 Calne Methodist church Calne Partnership Service

Sunday 5 May Easter 6 (White)

08:00 St Mary's Holy Communion

10:00 St Mary's Holy Communion

(Followed by APCM II:00)

10:00 Holy Trinity Quemerford Family Service

10:00 Christ Church Derry Hill Holy Communion

10:30 Christ Church Derry Hill Family Service

18:00 Bremhill - Rogation Service

Today's Collect: Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life: give us compassion and courage to risk ourselves for those we serve, to the glory of God the Father

Post Communion Collect: Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Regular events:

Tuesdays

Church House 10:00-11:30 SMUFs (St. Mary's Under Fives) Term time only.

Derry Hill church 14:00 - 16:00 Handbells

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

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: 19:00 choir practise 19:30 Bellringing

Other Notices:

Monday 29 April St Mary's and Church House completion of electrical works

Tuesday 30 April Holy Trinity and St Peter's completion of electrical works

Derry Hill church 12:00 noon Funeral Service of the late Gordon Harfield followed by committal at North Wiltshire Crematorium

Wednesday I May St Mary's 10:00 C&B Mothers' Union corporate Communion

Derry Hill church 14:00 DH Mothers' Union Prayer and Fellowship Group

FOHTCC's concert by SUPA NOVA, held on Saturday 13 April in Holy Trinity Church. was most enjoyable and successful and raised £451.00. Thanks to the choir and all that attended.

Thank you to all who contributed to Lent Lunches this year \sim to soup dragons, helpers and all who came to the lunches. Over £600 has been sent to Safe Families. (Final total after Gift Aid to be confirmed

Derry Hill Mothers' Union Prayer & Fellowship Group meet in Christ Church on Wednesday Ist May at 2pm when we will be having a talk about Christian Aid. If anyone wishes to join us they will be made most welcome.

There will be No 10:00 Holy Communion Service at St Mary's on Wednesday 8 May – There will be a 10:00 Service on Thursday 9 May – Ascension Day

Saturday II May – Christ Church Derry Hill at 7:30pm– HMS Pinafore – Performed by MASK, Chippenham Tickets £10 (£8 concessions) available on the door or contact Peter Rigby peter.rigby1947@btinternet.com All proceeds to church funds.

A Musical "Rings of Fire" Written by Edward Barham. Music by Adrian Brind and Gerald Hird Calne Methodist Church on Friday 17 May - 7:30 and Saturday 18th May - 3pm Tickets on the door £8 – Under 17 Free or Email: olddeadtree@btinternet.com or 07805 105695 Raising funds for Prostate Cancer Research

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: 123456

Please pray for: Geoff Moment, Erin Powell, Sarah Cleverley, Jane Coleman and Nicola Rigby All those in need of God's healing.

Please pray for the family and friends of: Michael O'Donnell, Lucinda Mayhew, and Gordon Harfield 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.

Today's readings are:

Genesis 22.1-18 Acts 8.26-end John 15.1-8

Psalm 22.25-end

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 ~ we offer a cup of tea and visitors are welcome to a guided tour of the church

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

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