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HYMNS at St Mary's at 9.30am MP

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Collect Prayer

Lord of all power and might, the author and giver of all good things: graft in our hearts the love of your name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of your great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Old Testament Reading Ecclesiastes 1.2. 12-14.2, 2. 18-23 OT Pg: 643 Vanity of vanities, says the Teacher,

vanity of vanities! All is vanity.

I, the Teacher, when king over Israel in Jerusalem, applied my mind to seek and to search out by wisdom all that is done under heaven; it is an unhappy business that God has given to human beings to be busy with. I saw all the deeds that are done under the sun; and see, all is vanity and a chasing after wind.

I hated all my toil in which I had toiled under the sun, seeing that I must leave it to those who come after me – and who knows whether they will be wise or foolish? Yet they will be master of all for which I toiled and used my wisdom under the sun. This also is vanity. So I turned and gave my heart up to despair concerning all the toil of my labours under the sun, because sometimes one who has toiled with wisdom and knowledge and skill must leave all to be enjoyed by another who did not toil for it. This also is vanity and a great evil. What do mortals get from all the toil and strain with which they toil under the sun? For all their days are full of pain, and their work is a vexation; even at night their minds do not rest. This also is vanity.

New Testament Reading NT Pg: 216 Colossians 3. 1-11

If you have been raised with Christ, seek the things that are above, where Christ is, seated at the right hand of God. Set your minds on things that are above, not on things that are on earth, for you have died, and your life is hidden with Christ in God. When Christ who is your life is revealed, then you also will be revealed with him

Put to death, therefore, whatever in you is earthly: fornication, impurity, passion, evil desire, and greed (which is idolatry). On account of these the wrath of God is coming on those who are disobedient. These are the ways you also once followed, when you were living that life. But now you must get rid of all such things – anger, wrath, malice, slander, and abusive language from your mouth. Do not lie to one another, seeing that you have stripped off the old self with its practices and have clothed yourselves with the new self, which is being renewed in knowledge according to the image of its creator. In that renewal there is no longer Greek and Jew, circumcised and uncircumcised, barbarian, Scythian, slave and free; but Christ is all and in all!

Gospel Reading Luke 12. 13-21 NT Pg: 79

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus, 'Teacher, tell my brother to divide the family inheritance with me.' But he said to him, 'Friend, who set me to be a judge or arbitrator over you?' And he said to the crowd, 'Take care! Be on your guard against all kinds of greed; for one's life does not consist in the abundance of possessions.' Then he told them a parable: 'The land of a rich man produced abundantly. And he thought to himself, "What should I do, for I have no place to store my crops?" Then he said, "I will do this: Î will pull down my barns and build larger ones, and there I will store all my grain and my goods. And I will say to my soul, 'Soul, you have ample goods laid up for many years; relax, eat, drink, be merry." But God said to him, "You fool! This very night your life is being demanded of you. And the things you have prepared, whose will they be?" So it is with those who store up treasures for themselves but are not rich towards God.

Post Communion Praver

Lord God, whose Son is the true vine and the source of life.

ever giving himself that the world may live: may we so receive within ourselves

the power of his death and passion that, in his saving cup,

we may share his glory and be made perfect in his love;

for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Events, News and Notices

St Martin's Theological Institute: this autumn we will be launching our own theological institute in the parish that will host seminars and debates on a range of theological, political, ethical and sociological topics. From September we will be hosting a series of talks called 'Theology on a Sunday' led by a range of speakers. Further details to follow later in the summer. Events are free and open to all.

There is a quiet farewell for David Pitkeathly on Wednesday 6th August in the cafe between 10 - 11.00 and the Christian Centre managers would love you all to come and celebrate his time at the Centre.

Regular Coffee mornings are planned for new and existing members of the congregation. The first is Wednesday 27 August 11am in Putty's coffee shop in West Street. To support this get to know each other event, please sign the list at the back of church.

Dorking Area Foodbank. Requested donations of: jars of pasta sauce, tinned custard, toothbrushes, jars of instant coffee, shampoo and twin packs of toilet roll.

A plan for weekly bible studies on Tuesday evenings on St Matthew's Gospel. 9th September onwards at 7.30pm.

Parent and Toddler Group: we would like to start a weekday parent and toddler group at St Mary's in the autumn. If you're interested in either attending or would be able to support it, please speak to Anthony as soon as possible.

Ride and Stride on 13th September: we are keeping our churches open and, where possible, ready to welcome visitors on Ride and Stride day (which is a heritage open day in some of our churches). Please see the churchwardens if you can help. Anthony is intending to take part and cycle around as many local churches as possible during the day to raise money for our churches.

Forthcoming choral evensongs:

3rd August 6pm at St Martin's, 7th September 6pm at St Martin's on the eve of the Nativity of the Blessed Virgin Mary. 14th September 4pm at St Barnabas on the Feast of the Holy Cross (with the Whyte Effect). 5th October 6pm at St Martin's to mark the Dedication Festival.

Season of Generosity 21st September-12th October: during the autumn we will be launching our annual stewardship campaign. This will be an opportunity to review our giving both in terms of financial support, and also in regard to time and talents. We will also be encouraging congregations to sign up for the Parish Giving Scheme, as this is an excellent way in which we can minimise the bureaucracy around giving.

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers: Jacqueline Ko, Matthew Smith, Sue Hall, Mary and Andrew Cowan.



Ecumenical Prayers: Fr Ian Vane of St Joseph's

Prayers for Peace in the World, you are invited to Dorking Quaker Meeting, RH4 2LE, Tuesday August 5^{th.,} 6.30 for refreshments. 7.15 until 8.15. Quakers worship in silence unless moved by the spirit to share (ministry).

Please pray for those who have died.

Churches Together in Dorking Prayer intention:. St Barnabas Church, Ranmore

Diocesan Calendar of Prayer:

www.cofeguildford.org.uk/about/christian-calendar/calendar-of-prayer.

August intention: Guildford and Surrey Heath deaneries

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

Church Office opening times: 10-12pm 2 days a week (Monday and Friday). At other times, email *stmartinsdor-kingchurchoffice@gmail.com* or telephone: 01306 884229.

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Welcome, particularly if you are new or visiting, please stay for refreshments after the service.

Sunday 3rd August: Trinity 7

St Martin's, Dorking:

Sunday 3rd August, Trinity 7 8am Holy Eucharist BCP (BCP readings)

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

9.30am Sung Eucharist (Readings on notices) Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

> Choral Evensong @ 6pm Officiant: Chris Watts Breathe on me, Breath of God, 236 O God, our help in ages past, 746

Wednesday 6th August

11.15am Holy Eucharist Celebrant and Preacher: Caroline Lazenby

Friday 8th August, No service

Sunday 10th August, Trinity 8

8am Holy Eucharist BCP

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

9.30am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

6pm Said Evening Prayer Officiant: Anthony Rustell

Morning Prayer every weekday at 8.30am

No Evening Prayer this week

St Mary's, Pixham:

Sunday 3rd August

9.30am Morning Worship Officiant and Preacher: Chris Watts

Sunday 10th August

9.30am Morning Worship

Officiant and Preacher: Caroline Lazenby

St Barnabas, Ranmore

Sunday 3rd August

11am Sung Matins

Officiant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

Sunday 10th August

11am Sung Eucharist

Officiant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

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