

HYMNS at St Martin's @ 9.30am

Introit:	Rejoice! The Lord is King	769
Gradual:	My Jesus, my Saviour	732
Offertory:	Lord, enthroned in heavenly splendour	453
Final:	Jesus shall reign where'er the sun	691

HYMNS at St Barnabas @ 11am

Introit:	At the name of Jesus	338
Gradual:	All hail grain the power of Jesu's name	332
Offertory:	Alleluia, sing to Jesus	271
Final:	Thy hand, O God, has guided	485

Collect Prayer

O God the King of glory,
 you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
 with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
 we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
 but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
 and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is
 gone before,
 who is alive and reigns with you,
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever.

New Testament Reading**Acts 16. 16-34****NT Pg: 145**

Once when we were going to the place of prayer, we were met by a slave girl who had a spirit by which she predicted the future. She earned a great deal of money for her owners by fortune-telling. This girl followed Paul and the rest of us, shouting, "These men are servants of the Most High God, who are telling you the way to be saved." She kept this up for many days. Finally Paul became so troubled that he turned round and said to the spirit, "In the name of Jesus Christ I command you to come out of her!" At that moment the spirit left her. When the owners of the slave girl realised that their hope of making money was gone, they seized Paul and Silas and dragged them into the market-place to face the authorities. They brought them before the magistrates and said, "These men are Jews, and are throwing our city into an uproar by advocating customs unlawful for us Romans to accept or practise."

The crowd joined in the attack against Paul and Silas, and the magistrates ordered them to be stripped and beaten. After they had been severely flogged, they were thrown into prison, and the jailer was commanded to guard them carefully. Upon receiving such orders, he put them in the inner cell and fastened their feet in the stocks.

About midnight Paul and Silas were praying and singing hymns to God, and the other prisoners were listening to them. Suddenly there was such a violent earthquake that the foundations of the prison were shaken. At once all the prison doors flew open, and everybody's chains came loose. The jailer woke up, and when he saw the prison doors open, he drew his sword and was about to kill himself because he thought the prisoners had escaped. But Paul shouted, "Don't harm yourself! We are all here!"

The jailer called for lights, rushed in and fell trembling before Paul and Silas. He then brought them out and asked, "Sirs, what must I do to be saved?"

They replied, "Believe in the Lord Jesus, and you will be saved – you and your household." Then they spoke the

word of the Lord to him and to all the others in his house. At that hour of the night the jailer took them and washed their wounds; then immediately he and all his family were baptised.

The jailer brought them into his house and set a meal before them; he was filled with joy because he had come to believe in God – he and his whole family.

New Testament Reading**Revelation 22. 12-14,16-17,20-21****NT Pg: 282**

I, John, heard a voice saying to me:

'See, I am coming soon; my reward is with me, to repay according to everyone's work. I am the Alpha and the Omega, the first and the last, the beginning and the end. Blessed are those who wash their robes, so that they will have the right to the tree of life and may enter the city by the gates.

It is I, Jesus, who sent my angel to you with this testimony for the churches. I am the root and the descendant of David, the bright morning star.'

The Spirit and the bride say, 'Come.'

And let everyone who hears say, 'Come.'

And let everyone who is thirsty come.

Let anyone who wishes take the water of life as a gift. The one who testifies to these things says, 'Surely I am coming soon.' Amen. Come, Lord Jesus! The grace of the Lord Jesus be with all the saints. Amen.

Gospel Reading**John 17. 20-26****NT Pg: 119**

Jesus looked up to heaven and prayed:

'Holy Father, I ask not only on behalf of these, but also on behalf of those who will believe in me through their word, that they may all be one. As you, Father, are in me and I am in you, may they also be in us, so that the world may believe that you have sent me.

The glory that you have given me I have given them, so that they may be one, as we are one, I in them and you in me, that they may become completely one, so that the world may know that you have sent me and have loved them even as you have loved me.

Father, I desire that those also, whom you have given me, may be with me where I am, to see my glory, which you have given me because you loved me before the foundation of the world.

'Righteous Father, the world does not know you, but I know you; and these know that you have sent me.

I made your name known to them, and I will make it known, so that the love with which you have loved me may be in them, and I in them.'

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God, giver of love and power,
 your Son Jesus Christ has sent us into all the world
 to preach the gospel of his kingdom:
 confirm us in this mission,
 and help us to live the good news we proclaim;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord.

News and Notices

Everybody Welcome: In June we will be completing the Everybody Welcome church audit course on Sundays at St Martin's at 6pm after a short service of compline. This short and lively four part course is about thinking how our churches can be open and welcoming to the wider community. I encourage all members of our church congregations to attend, especially members of the PCC. The course will run on 15th and 22nd June.

Dorking Area Foodbank. Requested donations of: 1 litre cartons of long-life milk, sanitary pads, multipacks of 6 bags of crisps, bars of chocolate, 1 litre cartons of long-life fruit juice and boxes of muesli bars.

Chamber Music Recital at St Martin's Church:

An exciting opportunity to hear more from a series of lunchtime recitals by Students of The Yehudi Menuhin School at 12 noon on 7th June. Entrance is free—retiring collection in aid of The William Cole Church Music Trust.

Date for your diary; St Martin's Church Summer Fair, Saturday 28th June 2025. Something for everyone.

The June issue of our magazine is available at the back of church.

Sunday 8th June at 6pm. A seminar to reflect on this significant Council and the creed or symbol that it created. An overview of doctrinal development in the first four hundred years of the church, and the implications for the contemporary church.

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

PRAYERS

Please remember in your prayers: Revd. Martyn Farrant, Sue Hall, Pauline Welton, Mary and Andrew Cowan and June Rainger.



Please pray for those who have died. Charlie Smith

Churches Together in Dorking Prayer intention: This week Crossways Community Baptist Church.

Diocesan Calendar of Prayer is at:

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

June intention: the deaneries of Farnham and Godalming.

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 10-1pm on 2 days a week (Monday and Friday). At all other times, please email the church office on smartinsdorkingchurchoffice@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 smartinsdorkingchurchoffice@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 1st June Easter 7

St Martin's

Sunday 1st June, Easter 7

Holy Eucharist BCP @ 8am

Sung Eucharist @ 9.30am

Choral Evensong @ 6pm

Wednesday 4th June

Holy Eucharist BCP @ 11.15am

Friday 6th June

Wholeness and Healing service @ 11.15am

Saturday 7th June

Chamber Music Recital at 12pm

Sunday 8th June, Whitsun/Pentecost

Holy Eucharist BCP @ 8am

Sung Eucharist @ 9.30am

Sunday 8th June at 6pm

Seminar: Nicea at 1700 years: Councils, Creeds and the limits of orthodoxy. (see notes)

Morning Prayer every weekday at 8.30am

Evening Prayer every weekday at 5pm

St Mary's

Sunday 1st June

Eucharist @ 9.30am

Sunday 8th June

Morning Worship @ 9.30am

St Barnabas

Sunday 1st June

Matins @ 11am

Sunday 8th June

Choral Eucharist and Patronal Festival @ 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**