

### **HYMNS at St Martin's at 9.30 A and M**

<b>Indroit:</b>	<b>I, the Lord of sea and sky</b>	<b>494</b>
<b>Gradual:</b>	<b>Blest are the pure in heart</b>	<b>602</b>
<b>Offertory:</b>	<b>Great is the faithfulness, O God my Father</b>	<b>650</b>
<b>Final:</b>	<b>Name of all majesty</b>	<b>736</b>

### **HYMNS at St Mary's at 9.30am MP**

<b>Hymn 1:</b>	<b>All my hope on God is founded</b>	<b>16</b>
<b>Hymn 2:</b>	<b>I, the Lord of sea and sky</b>	<b>857</b>
<b>Hymn 3</b>	<b>Love Divine, all loves excelling</b>	<b>449</b>
<b>Hymn 4</b>	<b>Name of all majesty</b>	<b>481</b>

### **HYMNS at St Barnabas at 11am NEH**

<b>Introductory:</b>	<b>Thou whose almighty word</b>	<b>466</b>
<b>Gradual:</b>	<b>Blest are the pure in heart</b>	<b>341</b>
<b>Offertory:</b>	<b>Love Divine, all loves excelling</b>	<b>408</b>
<b>Final:</b>	<b>O Jesus, I have promised</b>	<b>420</b>

### **Collect Prayer**

God our redeemer,  
you have delivered us from the power of darkness  
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:  
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,  
so by his continual presence in us he may raise us  
to eternal joy;  
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord.

### **New Testament Reading**

**Acts 17. 22 - 31**      **NT Pg: 147**

Then Paul stood in front of the Areopagus and said, 'Athenians, I see how extremely religious you are in every way. For as I went through the city and looked carefully at the objects of your worship, I found among them an altar with the inscription, "To an unknown god." What therefore you worship as unknown, this I proclaim to you. The God who made the world and everything in it, he who is Lord of heaven and earth, does not live in shrines made by human hands, nor is he served by human hands, as though he needed anything, since he himself gives to all mortals life and breath and all things. From one ancestor he made all nations to inhabit the whole earth, and he allotted the times of their existence and the boundaries of the places where they would live, so that they would search for God and perhaps grope for him and find him - though indeed he is not far from each one of us. For "In him we live and move and have our being"; as even some of your own poets have said,

"For we too are his offspring."

Since we are God's offspring, we ought not to think that the deity is like gold, or silver, or stone, an image formed by the art and imagination of mortals. While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent, because he has fixed a day on which he will have the world judged in righteousness by a man whom he has appointed, and of this he has given assurance to all by raising him from the dead.'

### **New Testament Reading**

**1 Peter 3. 13 - 22**      **NT Pg: 251**

Now who will harm you if you are eager to do what is good? But even if you do suffer for doing what is right, you are blessed. Do not fear what they fear, and do not be intimidated, but in your hearts sanctify Christ as Lord. Always be ready to make your defence to anyone who demands from you an account of the hope that is in you; yet do it with gentleness and reverence.

Keep your conscience clear, so that, when you are maligned, those who abuse you for your good conduct in Christ may be put to shame. For it is better to suffer for doing good, if suffering should be God's will, than to suffer for doing evil. For Christ also suffered for sins once for all, the righteous for the unrighteous, in order to bring you to God.

He was put to death in the flesh, but made alive in the spirit, in which also he went and made a proclamation to the spirits in prison, who in former times did not obey, when God waited patiently in the days of Noah, during the building of the ark, in which a few, that is, eight persons, were saved through water. And baptism, which this prefigured, now saves you - not as a removal of dirt from the body, but as an appeal to God for a good conscience, through the resurrection of Jesus Christ, who has gone into heaven and is at the right hand of God, with angels, authorities, and powers made subject to him.

### **Gospel Reading**

**John 14. 15 - 21**      **NT Pg: 117**

'If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you for ever.

This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you. I will not leave you orphaned; I am coming to you. In a little while the world will no longer see me, but you will see me; because I live, you also will live. On that day you will know that I am in my Father, and you in me, and I in you.

They who have my commandments and keep them are those who love me; and those who love me will be loved by my Father, and I will love them and reveal myself to them.'

### **Post Communion Prayer**

God our Father,  
whose Son Jesus Christ gives the water of eternal life:  
may we thirst for you,  
the spring of life and source of goodness,  
through him who is alive and reigns,  
now and for ever.

# st martin's DORKING

WITH ST. MARY'S PIXHAM

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

## Sunday 10th May, Easter 6 Rogation Sunday

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8am Holy Eucharist BCP

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

9.30am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

11am Extraordinary PCC Meeting

3pm Rogation Walk to St Barnabas, see notes

### Wednesday 13th May

11.15am Holy Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: tbc

### Friday 15th May

10am Wholeness and Healing Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

### Sunday 17th May, Easter 6

8am Holy Eucharist BCP

Celebrant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

9.30am Sung Eucharist

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followed by the Annual Parochial Church Meetings  
6pm St Martin's Institute, The Revd Canon David Eaton  
will be talking about spirituality and art, looking at the  
paintings of Stanley Spencer.

**Morning Prayer** every weekday at 8.30am

**Evening Prayer** every weekday at 6pm

### St Mary's, Pixham:

#### Sunday 10th May

9.30am Morning Worship

Celebrant and Preacher: Barbara Steadman Allen

#### Thursday 14th May, Ascension Day

7.30pm Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: Gerard Mee

#### Sunday 17th May

9.30am Eucharist

Celebrant and Preacher: Gerard Mee

### St Barnabas, Ranmore:

#### Sunday 10th May

11am Sung Eucharist

Officiant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

5pm Evensong, see notes

Officiant and Preacher: Anthony Rustell

#### Thursday 14th May, Ascension Day

11am meet in Steer's Field for walk to church for

Sung Eucharist

Officiant and Preacher: Gerard Mee

#### Sunday 17th May

11am Choral Eucharist with The Whyte Effect Choir

Officiant and Preacher: Richard Cheetham

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

**Rogation Procession/Walk: This afternoon for Rogation Sunday** There will be a walk from St Martin's to St Barnabas (for evensong at 5pm) and back (possibly via Denbies for a glass of wine). Weather permitting, we will start around 3pm and have a leisurely wander up the hill.

**Forthcoming APCM.** St Martin's 17th May after 9.30am morning service.

**Dorking Area Foodbank.** Requested donations of: potatoes, squash, pulses, long life milk, long life fruit juice and chocolate bars.

**The revised Electoral Roll** is now on display. Please inform Elizabeth Dobson of any errors or omissions.

**Confirmation classes 2026:** If you would like to be confirmed, or are interested in enquiring about confirmation preparation, please talk to Anthony as soon as possible

**Denbies Tour - date tbc.** We would like to organise a train and indoor wine tour and tasting at Denbies in June. As Denbies require payment with booking, we need commitment (plus £) to go forward. If interested, sign list at back of church with name, contact details plus preference for midweek or weekend date.

**Church Office News:** The church office and church personnel email address have changed. Please use these new addresses with immediate effect:

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Please be aware that the company supporting phone calls to the church office is due to change at some point on Tuesday May 12th. There could be some teething problems, and some things cannot be setup until the change happens. Please use email to the office if necessary. The number (884229) is not changing. Also, our new electronic Church Bookings system has gone live, so we no longer use a paper diary!

**Dorking Chamber Orchestra Summer Concert**, at St Martin's Church, Saturday 16th May at 5.30pm.

**Notice of an Extraordinary PCC Meeting** to be held on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> May at 11.00

## PRAYERS

**Please remember in your prayers:** Janette Masters, David and Daphne Annett, Pam Mason, Dick Gover, Pauline Welton, Jacqueline Ko, Matthew Smith, Mary & Andrew Cowan. 

**Please pray for those who have died.** David Bassett, Alan Barlow, Moira Whiting.

### Diocesan Calendar of Prayer:

www.cofeguildford.org.uk/about/christian-calendar/calendar-of-prayer. April intention: Runnymede and Woking deaneries.

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

**Weekly News Sheet** Content to be submitted by TUESDAY afternoon for inclusion in the next issue

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