

## Readings for St Mary's Pixham are:

**Deuteronomy 30. 9-14**      **OT Pg: 200**

**Luke 10. 25-37**              **NT Pg: 76**

### Collect, Special Prayer for today

O God, the protector of all who trust in you,  
without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy:  
increase and multiply upon us your mercy;  
that with you as our ruler and guide  
we may so pass through things temporal  
that we lose not our hold on things eternal;  
grant this, heavenly Father,  
for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### New Testament Reading

**Colossians 1. 1-14**      **NT Pg: 214**

Paul, an apostle of Christ Jesus by the will of God, and Timothy our brother, To the saints and faithful brothers and sisters in Christ in Colossae: Grace to you and peace from God our Father. In our prayers for you we always thank God, the Father of our Lord Jesus Christ, for we have heard of your faith in Christ Jesus and of the love that you have for all the saints, because of the hope laid up for you in heaven. You have heard of this hope before in the word of the truth, the gospel that has come to you. Just as it is bearing fruit and growing in the whole world, so it has been bearing fruit among yourselves from the day you heard it and truly comprehended the grace of God. This you learned from Epaphras, our beloved fellow-servant. He is a faithful minister of Christ on your behalf, and he has made known to us your love in the Spirit. For this reason, since the day we heard it, we have not ceased praying for you and asking that you may be filled with the knowledge of God's will in all spiritual wisdom and understanding, so that you may lead lives worthy of the Lord, fully pleasing to him, as you bear fruit in every good work and as you grow in the knowledge of God. May you be made strong with all the strength that comes from his glorious power, and may you be prepared to endure everything with patience, while joyfully giving thanks to the Father, who has enabled you to share in the inheritance of the saints in the light. He has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us into the kingdom of his beloved Son, in whom we have redemption, the forgiveness of sins.

### Gospel Reading

**Luke 10. 25-37**              **NT Pg: 76**

A lawyer stood up to test Jesus. 'Teacher,' he said, 'what must I do to inherit eternal life?' He said to him, 'What is written in the law?

What do you read there?' He answered, 'You shall love the Lord your God with all your heart, and with all your soul, and with all your strength, and with all your mind; and your neighbour as yourself.'

And he said to him, 'You have given the right answer; do this, and you will live.' But wanting to justify himself, he asked Jesus, 'And who is my neighbour?' Jesus replied, 'A man was going down from Jerusalem to Jericho, and fell into the hands of robbers, who stripped him, beat him, and went away, leaving him half dead. Now by chance a priest was going down that road; and when he saw him, he passed by on the other side. So likewise a Levite, when he came to the place and saw him, passed by on the other side. But a Samaritan while travelling came near him; and when he saw him, he was moved with pity. He went to him and bandaged his wounds, having poured oil and wine on them. Then he put him on his own animal, brought him to an inn, and took care of him. The next day he took out two denarii, gave them to the innkeeper, and said, "Take care of him; and when I come back, I will repay you whatever more you spend." Which of these three, do you think, was a neighbour to the man who fell into the hands of the robbers?' He said, 'The one who showed him mercy.' Jesus said to him, 'Go and do likewise.'

### News

#### St. Mary's Pixham - Shared Summer Lunch.

This will be on Sunday 21st July in the Church shortly after Morning Service. A Suggested Donation of £10 each for adults, which will go to the Church repair fund, will be gratefully received. If you would like to come, or for further details, please contact Julie Mellows on [j.e.mellows@gmail.com](mailto:j.e.mellows@gmail.com)

**Sussex Festival Choir** perform Beethoven Mass in C, Puccini Messa di Gloria at Arundel Cathedral on Sunday 21st July at 7.15pm. Tickets £24, concessions £22. In support of St Wilfrid's and St Catherine's Hospices. Tickets and enquiries- 01372 741100 [stephenhope60@gmail.com](mailto:stephenhope60@gmail.com)

#### Advanced notice for events at St Mary's Pixham:

\*Bank Holiday Monday 26th August 2019, Teas and Scones, between 10.30-4.00pm. Drop in for a cuppa and a chat.

\*Saturday 21st September 2019, Heritage Open Day, 10-4pm, including Musicians Music Medley with a Trio of French Horns, local history displays, Pixham Group of Artists Art Exhibition, displays about Gertrude Jekyll and Sir Edwin Lutyens, refreshments including ploughmans' lunches. All proceeds to go towards Phase 2 of St Mary's fundraising, covering the cost of repairs and repainting of all the gutters and downpipes, and most of the cost of improvements to the electrical system.

The summer issue of the Methodist magazine **The Connexion** has been published. There will be a few free copies at the back of church, or you can request from [www.methodist.org.uk/theconnexion](http://www.methodist.org.uk/theconnexion).

The latest edition of the **Grapevine (for July)** is now available online. If you need a printed version please ask the church office.

The **Traidcraft Stall** will be at St Martin's on 1st September. Further dates to follow.

'Come & Sing' event at St Martin' in support of **St. Catherine's Hospice on Saturday 28th September** - Rutter, Sprig of Thyme - beautiful arrangements of a set of traditional folk songs, instrumental items, and concluding with the 'Rhythm of life (Sweet Charity) with audience participation! Accompanied by the Sinfonia da Chiesa ensemble. Singers £15, audience free admission - retiring collection - singers from 1pm, performance at 7pm.

**CTD Shared Service:-** 29th September, 6pm at the Friends' Meeting House.

**Advanced date for your diary! Quiz Night** on Saturday 19th October at the Christian Centre. 6.15pm for a 6.30pm start. To secure your place please contact Elizabeth Dobson on 01306 881479 or e-mail [emddh7@hotmail.com](mailto:emddh7@hotmail.com)

**Dorking Foodbank.** For the next week can we please ask for the following items: Tinned Meat, Biscuits, Dried Skimmed Milk and Shower Gel. The donation point is in the Christian Centre lobby. Please ensure food items are within date.

**News and Notices for the Weekly News Sheet** are to be forwarded to the church office by the close of business on Wednesdays. Tel: 01306 884229 or e-mail [smartinsdorkingchurchoffice@gmail.com](mailto:smartinsdorkingchurchoffice@gmail.com)

**Churches Together in Dorking Prayers.** Members of CTD all pray for one church, community, congregation, organisation or initiative each week. This week we are praying for BeMe Project.

Those in our congregation who have long term concerns are named in our prayer corner and are prayed for regularly.

**Please remember in your prayers:**  
Rosie Pegram, Sandra Lowry, Iris Ball, Mark Burgess, Brian and Betty Smith, Paul Berning, Tim Golding, Steve Parker, Dr Pat Goode, Renate MacLennan.  
**And those who have recently died:**  
Janet Gosling.



# st martin's DORKING

WITH ST. MARY'S PIXHAM

Welcome, particularly if you are new or just visiting; it is lovely to have you with us, and do join us after the 10 o'clock service for coffee.

## Sunday 14th July Fourth after Trinity

### St. Martin's

**8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)**

President: David Cowan

**10.00am St Martin's @ 10**

**Holy Communion**

President: David Cowan

**3.00pm**

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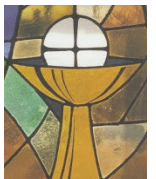
Led by: Derek Tighe

### St. Mary's

**10.30am Morning Prayer**

Led by: Chris Watts

**St Barnabas** No Service



## This Week

<b>Tuesday</b>	7.15pm	Julian Meeting
<b>Wednesday</b>	11.00am	<b>Holy Communion</b>
	7.30pm	Parochial Church Council Meeting
<b>Saturday</b>	10.00am	Christian Centre Coffee Morning
	7.30pm	Dorking Philharmonia Concert

## Sunday 21st July Fifth after Trinity

### St Martin's

**8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)**

**10.00am St Martin's @ 10  
Holy Communion**

**12.30pm Private Baptism**

**4.00pm St Martin's Family Service**

### St Mary's

**10.30am Pixham Praise with Holy Communion**

### St Barnabas

**11.00am Holy Communion**



### PRAYERS IN CHURCH

Morning Prayer is at 9am in the Lady Chapel Monday to Thursday.

There is a break in Led Midday Prayer until Fri 19th July.