

PARISH OF WORLE – STAFF TEAM

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PARISH OFFICE

Parish Administrator - Liz Winter
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Mon-Fri 9.00am - noon
Wed 7.00-8.00pm by appointment only

Duties for next Sunday:

Reader: Gill Walcot
Intercessions: Dave Fortune
Sides people: Howard S & Denise P
Teas: Jane/ Diane
Flowers: Gill W

If you need to change your duty please swap with someone else on the rota. Readers & Intercessors please let Rev Chris Elms know of the swap you have made. Tel: 515 438 or chriselms1@gmail.com.



Welcome to St Mark's Church

Sunday 25 May 2014

Holy Communion

6th Sunday of Easter

Led this morning by Revd Chris Elms

Theme: The Unknown God?

Readings: Acts 17: 22-31

LIFT 9.30am - 10am

**Drop-in prayer time each Sunday
in 'Gethsemane' room**

St Mark's is a Fairtrade Church

Please stay for refreshments after the Service

Mission Statement

A Community centred on the *living* Jesus; growing, serving
and reaching out in His name.

Please remember in your prayers:

- The Staff Team and all those who serve our Church.
- The life and work of St Mark's Church.
- Our local community.
- Our Armed Forces serving in Afghanistan, the ones who have not returned and the ones who have come home with life-changing injuries.
- Those who have suffered a bereavement or loss.
- Members of the church family who have family or friends who are ill or in hospital.

PART TIME FINANCIAL ADMINISTRATOR

Required for the Parish of Worle, with its four churches. This is a half time post (on average across the year), £10,000 actual salary, mostly home-based, with core hours. Accountancy experience and IT skills essential. AAT qualification preferred.

Please request an Application Pack from the Parish Office, email: office@worlepo.co.uk (telephone: [01934 515922](tel:01934515922))

United Pentecost Service - Our Parish Pentecost service takes place on Sunday 8 June at St Mark's Church at 10.30am. This year we will be gathering indoors and would like you to bring to the service anything that is red or yellow or anything which to you is a symbol of Pentecost or the Holy Spirit. We look forward to seeing you there.

St Mark's - Mission Update

This is a regular slot keeping you updated about our mission activity.

AIM 1: Build on our relationship with St Marks School

Please pray regularly for the staff, pupils and parents at St Mark's school.

AIM 2: Reach out to families and children

Thursday Mum's & Toddlers Group

Between 1.15 and 3pm every Thursday afternoon during term time, Rosemary & Anne run this fantastic group to serve families in the area. A range of toys and craft activities are laid out and the children just play and meet new friends, while the parents and grandparents can chat over a hot drink.

What's happening this week:

Monday:

7.45pm Home group - Lesley & Alan Faulkner

Wednesday:

9.30am *Holy Communion at St Mark's
2.30pm Friendly Mosquitoes (every Wednesday)
7.45pm Home Group – Colin & Colleen Guichard

Thursday:

10.00am Holy Communion at St Martin's
1.00pm-3.00pm Toddler Group (Term time only)
7.30pm Worship Group Rehearsal (Term time only)

Sunday:

9.30am *Lift* - prayer meeting in Gethsemane
10.30am Holy Communion

*First Wednesday in the month 10.00am Mead Vale Community Hall

Holy Communion, today at 10.30am

If you are new to St Mark's.....

Welcome!

Thank you for joining us this morning. We will be singing songs about Jesus, saying sorry for the things we do wrong and, with the bread and wine, remembering what Jesus did for us on the cross.

If you believe that Jesus is God's Son and would normally take communion in a church service you are welcome to join us at communion. If you would like to receive a prayer of blessing instead, please come to the front and place your hands by your side so that the minister will know to pray for you.

A Huge Thank You to Rosemary!

Rosemary Burden stepped down as Deputy Church Warden in April and on behalf of all of us in the congregation and on the Leadership Group, we want to say:

THANK YOU ROSEMARY!

...for all her tireless hard work as warden. We will be giving Rosemary a bunch of flowers and a card during the service (make sure you've signed the card!) Also, we will take a *retiring collection for Rosemary* as an expression of our gratitude.

Rosemary continues to run the Thursday afternoon Mums & Toddlers group, and continues as the Children's Ministry Co-ordinator, although she will be stepping down from this role at the end of the year.