

PARISH OF WORLE – STAFF TEAM

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Duties for Sunday 7 February 2016

Reader: Gill Walcot
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Sides people Howard S & Denise P
Teas: Sue R & Eileen B
Flowers Denise P

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!

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31 January

Holy Communion

**Theme: Reflections from
Paul's Sabbatical**

Led by
Revd Chris Elms &
Revd Paul Larcombe

Please stay for refreshments after the Service

St Mark's is a Fairtrade Church

Mission Statement

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

Prayer pointers:

- For those affected by the Zika virus, especially parents and children.
- For those caught up in the ongoing refugee crisis, who are trying to find safety and shelter.
- For those in Worle who are lonely, sad or grieving.



Acts 25:13-26:32

Truth Telling

Aim: to realise that God gives his people unexpected opportunities to carry out his plan.

Men's Breakfast & Ladies Day

Thank you very much to those of us who made the men's breakfast happen yesterday. We are very grateful to Phil Williams for speaking. Also, a number of women from St Mark's went along to Clevedon yesterday – why not ask them how the day went?

LENT COURSE - All dates are Mondays at 7.30pm, 15 February, St Martin's Church, 22 February St Mark's Church, 29 February Mead Vale church and 7 March St Lawrence Church.

Holey, Holy, Wholly....

So often we are aware of the gaps, the holes in our lives. Although we strive to live for God's sake, we find that bringing our whole selves to be present to God is harder than ever.

In our Lent Course this year, we look at how we can indeed learn to love the Lord our God wholeheartedly, with our entire souls, minds and strength.

This also means understanding the effect our bodies and their problems have on how we are feeling, and what we can offer to God and to each other.

Sanctuary Morning at Wick St Lawrence Church, Saturday 6 February, a chance for quiet reflection in rural surroundings. Drop in any time between 10 and 12.30, refreshments provided.

What's happening this week:

Wednesday:

9.30am Holy Communion at St Mark's
8.00pm Home Group – Colin & Colleen Guichard –

Thursday:

10.00am Holy Communion at St Martin's

Sunday:

10.30am Holy Communion

If you are visiting for the first time.....

Welcome!

Thank you for joining us this morning. We will be remembering what Jesus did for us on the cross with the bread and wine.

If you are a full member of the Christian church and would normally take communion you are welcome to join us at communion.

If you would like to receive a prayer of blessing instead, please come to the front with the yellow booklet as a sign that you wish to be prayed for.

Spring Musical Celebration – 27th Feb 2.30pm

Worle Chorale, WorleWind Band and local school musicians will be performing at Worle Community School. Tickets priced £3.50 for adults, £2.50 for concessions. Contact Worle School on 529 538 to buy tickets.

JAM children's ministry

Your children's ministry needs you!

We are in urgent need of helpers to support Ally Webb, our JAM leader. If you are able to help out once a month it would be hugely appreciated. You don't have to be young or have young children to help. You just need to have a servant's heart and be reliable! We know it's not suitable for everybody, but please speak to Ally or Chris if you think it might be for you.

Prayer Ministry at St Mark's

Would you like to receive God's healing touch through the prayer ministry of experienced, mature Christians? ***Dave & Lin Fortune invite you to their home on the first and third Thursday evening of each month.*** They live at 19 Buttercup Crescent, Wick St Lawrence, BS22 9FJ and their telephone number is 01934 516 919.