

**PARISH OF WORLE –
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Duties for Sunday 29 May 2016

Reader	Denise Perkins
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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.

Revd Chris Elms' days off in May: 5, 14, 20, 27

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Including Baptism & Wedding Enquiries

Monday - Friday:

9.00am - 12 noon

Wednesday :

7.00pm - 8.00pm

(by appointment only)

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22 May 2016

Holy Communion

Theme:
The Holy Spirit

Readings:
Psalm 139:7 & John 16:1-15

Led by
Revd Chris Elms & Penny Devereux

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:

- Pray that five non-Christian people you know will be led to the Lord
- Ask the Lord to help you share your faith in a natural and relaxed way with your friends
- Perhaps ask the Lord to give you more non-Christian friends

Children & Holy Communion

Last week's service was special for many reasons, one of which was the admission to Holy Communion of around 20 children from across the parish. Those children at St Mark's who are now admitted to communion are as follows:

Henry Back
Andrew, William & Otilie Trust
Molly Elms
Summer & Honey Hemmens

Please pray for them and other children as they grow in the Lord.

Safeguarding - a message from St Mark's Leadership Group

There is an opportunity to serve in the very important role of Safeguarding Coordinator. *This is not a parish-wide role*; it's about handling DBS applications (Disclosure and Barring Service) for St Mark's volunteers, and having good, strong methods of ministry so that we can:

- provide a safe space for all
- handle risk and dangers in a strong way
- reassure visitors and new people that we run a tight ship

We all want to reach out around us with the love of Jesus, and we know that some are more vulnerable than others. This role is a crucial part of how we do that. It's not a role everyone can do, but if you are interested please speak to one of the Leadership Group. Thank you, Revd Chris

Prayer straps

Have you remembered to pray for five friends regularly? This video by Pete Greig explains how to use a prayer strap as a memory aid:

www.youtube.com/watch?v=MNIZooHYgl4

If you would like a prayer strap they are available at a price of 50p, please see Revd Chris.

What's happening this week:

Wednesday:

9.30am Holy Communion at St Mark's (First Wednesday of the month at Mead Vale at 10am)
8.00pm Home Group – Colin & Colleen Guichard –

Thursday:

10.00am Holy Communion at St Martin's
1.00pm Mother and Toddler Group (Term time only)

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 Christian 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.

Sanctuary Morning - Saturday 5 June. Drop in anytime between 10 am and 12.30pm, refreshments provided. Come and find peace and space for you.



Session 7 Jeremiah 31:1 - 6, 32: 1-15

Buying a field

Aim: to live in hope because God knows the

Royal Afternoon Tea - Saturday 11 June to celebrate the Queen's 90th birthday, will be served in Wick St Lawrence Village Hall. First sitting 2.30pm, second sitting 4.00pm. Tea includes sandwiches, mini quiche, scones with jam and cream, cake, and strawberries, tea or coffee and a choice of prosecco or elderflower presse to toast the Queen. Tickets are £8 and places limited so please book your table early via Sandra, 515716 or visit www.wick-st-lawrence.com

Please bring your bible along to each Sunday service

We'll grow together as we understand the bible more.

How is your bible reading coming along? Do you have any daily devotional notes? Why not try Nicky Gumbel's 'Bible in one year' reading plan with notes? www.bibleinoneyear.org

'Ignorance of the Scriptures is ignorance of Christ.' Jerome - 4th Century AD