

# St Martin's in Herne with St Peter's Greenhill

*Our mission is to share God's love and to grow as God's people*

## Sunday March 10<sup>th</sup> 2019

A very warm welcome to our Services today.  
*Please stay for coffee after the 10.00 am service. Our crèche area welcomes all parents with babies and toddlers. Children's/Youth Groups are also open to all.*

**PLEASE TAKE THIS  
LEAFLET HOME  
WITH YOU**

**Today:**

**The 1<sup>st</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**8.00 am Holy Communion**  
*(Order 2)*

**10.00 am Holy Communion**  
*with Children's Groups and  
Crèche*

**3.00 pm Tea & Chat**  
*in the Church (Institute) Hall*

### COLLECT

Almighty God,  
whose Son Jesus Christ fasted  
forty days in the wilderness, and  
was tempted as we are, yet  
without sin: give us grace to  
discipline ourselves in obedience  
to your Spirit; and, as you know  
our weakness, so may we know  
your power to save; through  
Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

**Amen.**

**TO OUR VISITORS:** Please do not park on the old pub frontage, except in the first 2 spaces, which the church rents for its use for those in need. *Thank you.*

The church only functions thanks to the generosity of its members and others who give in response to God's gifts to them. There will be a collection during the third hymn at the 10.00 am Service. If you are a taxpayer, please use a Gift Aid envelope (*available at the ends of the pews or from the table by the entrance*).

If however you give through the church's regular giving scheme or are unable to give today, please just pass the basket on. *Thank you.*

## See separate sheet for today's Bible Readings

**PLEASE PRAY FOR** those who are unwell including:

Kenneth, Margaret, John, Christopher, Tim, Craig, Murray, Grace, Josh & his sister Grace, Samuel, Alex, Gwen, Jan, Ruth, Lillian, Guy, Di, Gill, Katie and their families.

*We commit to God's eternal love those who have died and we pray for those who mourn the deaths of their loved ones.*

**Note:** If you would like us to pray for anyone or have asked for prayers for someone and their names may now be removed from the list, please tell Revd Carol. *Thank you.*

### **TODAY'S PRAYER AFTER COMMUNION**

Lord God,  
you have renewed us with  
the living bread from  
heaven; by it you nourish  
our faith, increase our hope,  
and strengthen our love:  
teach us always to hunger  
for him who is the true and  
living bread, and enable us  
to live by every word that  
proceeds from out of your  
mouth; through Jesus Christ  
our Lord. **Amen**

## **THIS WEEK**

Mon March 11 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm Churchwardens' Meeting @ The New Vicarage 8.00 pm Standing Committee Meeting @ The New Vicarage
Tues March 12 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am Tuesday Toddlers @ St Martin's Church Hall
	10.00 am Community Café @ Greenhill St Peter's
	7.30 pm Lent Creative Prayer Evening @ St Martin's
Wed March 13 <sup>th</sup>	9.00 am Morning Prayer
	10.00 am Holy Communion
	7.00 pm Tapestry Team Meeting
Thurs March 14 <sup>th</sup>	7.00 pm Choir Practice
Fri March 15 <sup>th</sup>	9.30 am Little Fishes @ Greenhill St Peter's
Sat March 16 <sup>th</sup>	10.00 am Saturday Coffee in St Martin's
	11.30 am Baptism in St Martin's
	4.00 pm – 6.00 pm Messy Church @ Greenhill St Peter's

## **Hymns at 10.00 am:**

- Opening:** (19) All my hope on God is founded  
**Gradual:** (173) Forty days and forty nights  
**Offertory:** (330) I will sing the wondrous story  
**Closing:** (373) Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us

### **LITTLE FISHES NEEDS HELP!**

*Little Fishes - our Greenhill St Peter's Friday Toddler Group - is very popular and regularly attracts a total of between 20 to 30 attendees every week in school term time.*

*We could really do with one more helper to join our team. Are you that person? Please speak to Revd Cat or Natalie for more info. Thank you.*



**SATURDAY COFFEE IN ST MARTIN'S CHURCH – 10.00 am every week. All are welcome.**

*If you would like to help serve occasionally, please speak to Priscilla Cox. Thank you.*

## **THE ST MARTIN'S with ST PETER'S CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL**

In 2019 our Church Electoral Roll has to be completely re-written. **Everyone who wants to be on the roll has to re-apply. If you do not, then your name will be removed from the roll.** Once the new roll is published and confirmed you will not be able to re-apply until after the APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting) on Sunday April 14<sup>th</sup>.

**The Electoral Roll application forms are now available and our new roll must be completed no later than March 17<sup>th</sup>.** Remember that this is your chance to be involved in the decision-making of the parish so it is an important opportunity. (You cannot elect officers of the PCC or vote at the APCM if you are not on the roll). ***If you have any questions please do speak to Andrew Gough, Electoral Roll Officer (Tel. 01227 373879).***

## Herne St Martin's TRANSPORT TO CHURCH

*We are aware that some of our number would benefit from a lift to church.*

*We would therefore like to draw up a list of DRIVERS and a list of THOSE REQUIRING TRANSPORT so that the two can be matched.*

*Please add your name and contact details to the **LARGE YELLOW SHEET** (on the table near the entrance to church) as indicated so that lifts can be arranged. Thank you for your help.*

*Revd Carol*

### **NEXT WEEK:**

**The 2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Lent**

**March 17<sup>th</sup> 2019**

**8.00 am Holy Communion** *(Order 2)*

**10.00 am Holy Communion**  
*with Children's Groups and Crèche*

**12.00 noon Holy Baptism x 2**

### **KCC Community Warden:**

Mandy Quy-Verlander can be contacted on 07969 584180, in case of need.

### **NOTICES for this sheet .....**

*..... if you have any items that you would like included in this notice sheet please e-mail or drop a note to Revd Carol by Tuesday evening at the latest. Thank you.*

## **CONTACTS etc.**

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