

### Services and Meetings this week

St. Martin's, St. Kenelm's & Tresham Church: open weekdays 10 – 6pm  
St. Mary's opens daily 9am – 6pm.

#### **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> June**

10.00am Morning Prayer at Perry & Dawes

#### **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> June**

2.30pm Reflection Group at St. Mary's

#### **Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> June**

9.30am Holy Communion Service at St. Mary's

10.15am Coffee and chat after the communion service

#### **Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> June**

#### **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> June**

10.00am Home Communion Training at St. Mary's

2.00pm Concert Rehearsal at St. Mary's

5.15pm Junior Choir Practice at St. Mary's

6.15pm Choir Practice at St. Mary's

#### **Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June**

10.00am Concert Rehearsal at St. Mary's

7.00pm Amadeus Orchestra Concert at St. Mary's

#### **Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Pentecost**

9.30am Holy Communion at St. Mary's

9.30am Non communion Service at St. Martin's

Fathers Day Brunch following the service

11.15am Holy Communion at St. Kenelm's

4.00pm Father's Day activity event at St. Mary's

#### Principal Reading (from the Lectionary)

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31

2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Romans 5: 1-5

Gospel: John 16: 12-15

#### **Clergy:**

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www.northnibleychurch.uk



St Mary's Wotton

#### **Did you know – that St. Martin's produces an audio service which is**

**available every week?** The clergy (& others) take it in turns & you can listen to it here: <https://northnibleychurch.uk/recorded-services/> All the services are on here, so you listen at your leisure. It's for everyone, so do spread the word.

## Tyndale



## Benefice

Wotton-under-Edge with Ozleworth

North Nibley

Alderley (including Tresham)

Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2025

Pentecost

### Services

9.30am Holy Communion at St. Martin's

10.00am Family Service at St. Mary's

6.00pm Evensong at St. Mary's

### Collect

God, who as at this time  
taught the hearts of your faithful people  
by sending to them the light of your Holy Spirit:  
grant us by the same Spirit  
to have a right judgement in all things  
and evermore to rejoice in his holy comfort;  
through the merits of Christ Jesus our Saviour,  
who is alive and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

or

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,  
ignite in us your holy fire;  
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,  
revive your Church with the breath of love,  
and renew the face of the earth,  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Post Communion Prayer

Faithful God,  
who fulfilled the promises of Easter  
by sending us your Holy Spirit  
and opening to every race and nation  
the way of life eternal:  
open our lips by your Spirit,  
that every tongue may tell of your glory;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Gospel Acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia.

Come, Holy Spirit, fill the hearts of your faithful people and  
kindle in them the fire of your love.

**All: Alleluia.**



## **Principal Readings**

### **1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Acts 2: 1-21**

When the day of Pentecost had come, they were all together in one place. And suddenly from heaven there came a sound like the rush of a violent wind, and it filled the entire house where they were sitting. Divided tongues, as of fire, appeared among them, and a tongue rested on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other languages, as the Spirit gave them ability.

Now there were devout Jews from every nation under heaven living in Jerusalem. And at this sound the crowd gathered and was bewildered, because each one heard them speaking in the native language of each. Amazed and astonished, they asked, "Are not all these who are speaking Galileans? And how is it that we hear, each of us, in our own native language? Parthians, Medes, Elamites, and residents of Mesopotamia, Judea and Cappadocia, Pontus and Asia, Phrygia and Pamphylia, Egypt and the parts of Libya belonging to Cyrene, and visitors from Rome, both Jews and proselytes, Cretans and Arabs—in our own languages we hear them speaking about God's deeds of power." All were amazed and perplexed, saying to one another, "What does this mean?"

But others sneered and said, "They are filled with new wine." But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them, "Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem, let this be known to you, and listen to what I say. Indeed, these are not drunk, as you suppose, for it is only nine o'clock in the morning. No, this is what was spoken through the prophet Joel: "In the last days it will be, God declares, that I will pour out my Spirit upon all flesh, and your sons and your daughters shall prophesy, and your young men shall see visions, and your old men shall dream dreams. Even upon my slaves, both men and women, in those days I will pour out my Spirit; and they shall prophesy. And I will show portents in the heaven above and signs on the earth below, blood, and fire, and smoky mist. The sun shall be turned to darkness and the moon to blood, before the coming of the Lord's great and glorious day. Then everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

### **2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Romans 8: 14-17**

For all who are led by the Spirit of God are children of God. For you did not receive a spirit of slavery to fall back into fear, but you have received a spirit of adoption. When we cry, "Abba! Father!" it is that very Spirit bearing witness with our spirit that we are children of God, and if children, then heirs, heirs of God and joint heirs with Christ—if, in fact, we suffer with him so that we may also be glorified with him.

### **Gospel: John 14: 8-17**

Philip said to him, "Lord, show us the Father, and we will be satisfied."

Jesus said to him, "Have I been with you all this time, Philip, and you still do not know me? Whoever has seen me has seen the Father. How can you say, 'Show us the Father'? Do you not believe that I am in the Father and the Father is in me? The words that I say to you I do not speak on my own; but the Father who dwells in me does his works. Believe me that I am in the Father and the Father is in me; but if you do not, then believe me because of the works themselves. Very truly, I tell you, the one who believes in me will also do the works that I do and, in fact, will do greater works than these, because I am going to the Father. I will do whatever you ask in my name, so that the Father may be glorified in the Son. If in my name you ask me for anything, I will do it. "If you love me, you will keep my commandments. And I will ask the Father, and he will give you another Advocate, to be with you forever. This is the Spirit of truth, whom the world cannot receive, because it neither sees him nor knows him. You know him, because he abides with you, and he will be in you.

## **For your prayers:**

### ***For the family and friends of:***

Terry Brunson whose funeral was on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at St. Mary's

Dan & Leah who got married at St. Martin's on 30<sup>th</sup> May  
Joseph & Hannah who got married at St. Mary's on 24<sup>th</sup> May.  
Olive, Lillian, Freddie & Jordan who got baptised on 25<sup>th</sup> May at St. Mary's

**Prayer Chain/Ministry** - There is a group of people who will pray for you. To request prayer contact Joan Deveney (01453 844370) or Pat Forster (01453 842557). The Prayer Chain operates for a fortnight, unless otherwise requested.

There is also a notebook outside the Catherine Chapel for written prayer requests too.

*In June, we keep in our prayers, Holy Cross Church*

### **\*\*\*\*\* NOTICES \*\*\*\*\***

**Concerts at St. Mary's** – The Amadeus Orchestra will be performing Mozart and Poulenc on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> June at 7pm. Tickets available from 3choirs.org or on the door

For the June Wotton Concert Series London Mozart Players with Amadea Dazeley-Gaist will be at St. Mary's on 28<sup>th</sup> June at 7.30pm. Tickets from 3choirs.org

**St. Mary's Cleaning** - Are you free once every two weeks, for an hour, to clean part of the church?

We meet on a Friday just after nine. You would be cleaning one area out of - the organ loft, around the font & the two centre aisles. Tel: Kate Tutty 844371

**The 50 faces of the Holy Land exhibition** will be displayed at Tewkesbury Abbey from 2 to 15 June 2025.

Previously displayed in the Houses of Parliament, the poignant and impactful *50 faces of the Holy Land* exhibition showcases the resilience and faith of the Christian community of the Holy Land – traditionally defined as the area of Israel, Gaza, the West Bank and Jordan. See <https://www.tewkesburyabbey.org.uk/> for opening times.

**St. Mary's Eco Church** - have arranged to hold a further 'Gardening work time' in the churchyard. This is to tidy up the memorials by removing the encroaching grass from the memorial stones situated in the designated area to the parish office side of the church drive. The planned date is Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> June from 10am to approx 12noon. If you are able to give some time to assist we would appreciate the help. You would need to bring with you a tenor saw or something similar for cutting the grass around the stones. If you do not possess a saw, we will have tools available. If you can help, please sign the work sheet on the table at the church entrance. Thank you. *Alan Bell*

Father Figure Brunch at St. Martin's - after the morning Service, Hunter's ? is providing a full brunch in the church. Cost is £10 per person. Please let Lesley know if you think you might attend – [vicar@tyndalebenefice.co.uk](mailto:vicar@tyndalebenefice.co.uk)

**St. Mary's Fete** – see the inserted list. **Important: Can anyone help with providing a burger/sausage bar?** (Round Table unavailable this year!) 😞 So if you can help to provide, let Douglas know

Please think of raffle prizes when you need to clear out all those things which are lovely but need to be re-gifted!