



18th November 2018

Second Sunday  
before Advent

## Welcome to St Martin's Church

### Today's services and events

8am Holy Communion BCP  
10:30am Parish Communion  
6pm St Martin's Film Night

### WELCOME

Welcome to our services today. If this is your first time at St Martin's please introduce yourself to a member of the Clergy. Members of all Christian churches are most welcome to receive Holy Communion. We have an audio loop in the church. Children are most welcome to use our children's corner if they would like to. There is a WC just beyond the transept (side chapel).

Please use a yellow Gift Aid envelope if you would like to make a donation. We hope you enjoy the service and please join us for refreshments afterwards.

### THE COLLECT

Collect Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### DIARY (In the church unless otherwise stated)

|        |           |                               |
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| 10am   | Wednesday | Holy Communion                |
| 10am   | Wednesday | Marty's Friends Toddler Group |
| 6:30pm | Wednesday | Choir Practice                |
| 8.45am | Saturday  | Morning Prayer                |

### NEXT SUNDAY

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|--------|-------------------------------|
| 8.00am | Holy Communion (BCP)          |
| 9:00am | Holy Communion Community Hall |
| 10:30  | Parish Communion              |

### READINGS

Daniel 12.1-3  
Hebrews 10.11-14  
Mark 13.1-8

### POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Post Communion Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope: bring us at the last to that fullness of life for which we long; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

### CONTACTS:

|                  |                                         |              |
|------------------|-----------------------------------------|--------------|
| Rector           | Revd. Renos Pittarides                  | 01483 283713 |
| Assistant Clergy | Revd. Sandy Conway<br>(rest day Friday) | 01483 281497 |
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| Parish Office    | Mrs Kate Lane                           | 01483 654263 |

(this number can be used to book the Community Hall and The Canterbury Rooms)

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## PARISH PRAYER CALENDAR

### We pray for:

The bereaved relatives of Howard Lago.  
The residents of Ockham Road South.



## NOTICES

**THIS EVENING - ST MARTIN'S FILM NIGHT at 6pm** in The Canterbury Rooms (behind the church). "The Darkest Hour" Set in May 1940, it stars Gary Oldman as Winston Churchill, and is an account of his early days as Prime Minister during World War II. A must see! Followed by discussion and a light supper. All welcome.



**BEEHIVE - THURSDAY 22<sup>nd</sup> NOVEMBER AT ST MARTIN'S COURT at 2PM.** Coffee, cake and a time to share, whilst making a difference to others in need. Meeting together to work at MU projects. All welcome

### HELPING PEOPLE GET TO CHURCH

The Horsley Community Bus is being made available to St Martin's on Sunday mornings to help get people to church. We are looking for drivers to join a rota and are hoping to recruit enough drivers and helpers so that each driver is only on duty once every two months. Full training will be given. If you are interested, please call PCC member David Godwin on 07967 130802. Many thanks.

**'HOME FOR GOOD' Sunday 25th November 6.00 – 7.00pm**  
**Cheese and Wine Evening in The Canterbury Rooms (behind the church)** Home for Good is a Christian charity which promoted fostering and adoption within church communities. It also offers support to those who are foster carers or have adopted children. The PCC has decided to support this charity financially and to promote its work. During this hour we will be learning more about the work of the charity and hearing from people whose lives were transformed when they were adopted. Please come along and hear more.

### JUNIOR CHOIR

We have started a Junior Choir which will meet after school on Thursdays from 3.45 to 4.45pm. Please pass the word around! Contact Charlotte French for details: 07787 572071



**SONGS OF PRAISE THURSDAY 6<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER at 2:30pm at St Martins Court.** Come and sing your favourite hymns. All welcome.

### 4<sup>TH</sup> HORSLEY BROWNIE 60<sup>TH</sup> ANNIVERSARY

On Monday December 10<sup>th</sup> from 6.00pm 4<sup>th</sup> Horsley Brownie pack we will be having an open evening to celebrate its 60<sup>th</sup> birthday. All former members are invited to meet at the Community Hall. Refreshments provided. RSVP to Brown Owl at [horsleybrownies@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:horsleybrownies@yahoo.co.uk)



### PARISH CHRISTMAS LUNCH Sunday 13th January @ 12 noon.

We've reserved the whole of the attractive oak-beamed restaurant at Thatcher's Hotel for a 3-course lunch and coffee for just £20 each. Please take an invitation sheet from the church, select your menu and then return to Sue Stratford (01483 281669) - cheques made out to Friends of St Martin's please, or cash in named envelope.

**CHURCH WORKS** The church is closed whilst we are looking after a temporary organ. If you need access to the church, please speak to one of the Churchwardens, Andrew or Chris or Renos.

**REMOVAL OF FANS FROM THE CHURCH** Following discussions at the Premises Committee and PCC the Rector and Churchwardens are applying for a Faculty to have the two large fans in the nave permanently removed. A formal notice can be seen in the porch. Please feel free to speak to Renos, Chris or Andrew if you would like more information. Please note that this is the final notification.

### ALPHA 2019

The next Alpha course starts on Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> January 7.30pm. It will take place in the Canterbury Rooms over a number of Tuesday evenings. More details to follow but in the meantime please think about attending and inviting others to join us. More details [www.easthorsleychurch.org.uk/alpha](http://www.easthorsleychurch.org.uk/alpha)

