



THE PARISH OF
CHANDLER'S FORD

ST. BONIFACE AND
ST. MARTIN IN THE WOOD
Sunday 29th October Trinity 20

WELCOME TO OUR PARISH.

You are warmly invited to stay for refreshments which are served after our 9.15am, 10.00am and 4.00pm services. If it is your first visit, you are invited to fill in a Welcome card and hand it to one of our welcome team.

ST. BONIFACE

10.00am	HOLY EUCHARIST	Rev. Canon Peter Doores
12noon	HOLY BAPTISM	Rev. Tony Palmer
4.00pm	INFORMAL WORSHIP	Rev. Tony Palmer

ST. MARTIN IN THE WOOD

9.15am	HOLY EUCHARIST	Rev. David Boutflower
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COLLECT

God, the giver of life,
whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church:
by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ
and make us eager to do your will,
that we may share with the whole creation
the joys of eternal life;
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.

READINGS

Matthew 24: 30-35 (pg. 29 NT)
1 Thessalonians 2: 1-8 (pg. 218 NT)
Leviticus 19: 1-2, 15-18 (pg. 114 OT)

Diary for the Week

Tuesday 31 st	9.15/10.35am	Little Stars	(M)
	4.00pm	Light Party	(M)
	7.15pm	FUSE	(B)
Friday 3 rd	10.00am	NOVO – Women’s group	(M)
Saturday 4 th	4.30pm	Bonfire Party	(M)

St. Martin’s Patronal Festival will be next Sunday (5th November) and there will be a Parish Eucharist at 9.15am at St. Martin’s. There will not be a 10.00am service at St. Boniface, so we can celebrate as a parish.

Remembrance Sunday will be the 12th November, and both morning services will take place at **10.45am**.



Giving & Gift Day. A huge thank you to all have responded so generously to the Giving and Gift Day. So far, we have received donations of **£13,400** and increased annual giving of £2,500 (Including the Gift Aid we can claim). This year’s predicted deficit was around £13,000, which is now covered – thank you so much.



Tuesday 31st October 4.00pm-5.30pm St. Martin’s Reception- Year 6
Come dressed as your favourite goody or baddy. £1.50 per family, includes party food.

All Souls’ Service 6.30pm Sunday 5th November St. Boniface

This is our annual service during which we take time to remember, and thank God for, those who have died. If you would like the name of a loved one read out at the service, please put their name on the list which is available at the back of both churches, or contact the Parish Office (80265977).

Fairtrade Open House, Wednesday 8th November 10.00am – 8.00pm at 8, Hiltingbury



Road. Wide range of new gifts, crafts and food from Traidcraft including Christmas cards, Advent Calendars and delicious Christmas foods. Complimentary wine and other refreshments.

Do come along and bring a friend!



Beacon Café

10.00am – 12noon 7th & 21st November St. Boniface

Home-made cakes, newspapers, crafts & chat.

A special welcome to those new to the parish and those who would otherwise be on their own.

Deirdre Tomlinson has sadly died. Deirdre was a huge and enthusiastic contributor to parish life over many years and will be very much missed. The funeral will be on Monday 6th November at 1.30pm at St. Boniface and all are invited.

Safeguarding training. The dates of the 2018 Diocesan Safeguarding Trainings have now been published. If you need to do a C1 or C1 and C2 training please contact the Parish Office for a list of the dates. To book a place on a training please contact Siona Jeffery at the Diocese – 01962 737347 (siona.jeffery@winchester.anglican.org). For further information: email globrown@btinternet.com. Thank you. Gloria Brown

Christmas cards. Duncan McKellar has produced Christmas cards with one of his famous cartoons, featuring characters from St Martin's and St Boniface Now available in packs of five A5 cards plus envelopes at £5. Also available at £30: full-scale framed prints of the picture. Samples available in both churches. Orders, by 12 Nov please, on form in church, or by email to Brian Ridsdale br@ridsdales.com Profits to be shared between the parish and Christian Aid's Christmas appeal.

Christmas Shoeboxes. We will be joining in the Samaritan's Purse Christmas Shoebox Appeal again this year. Leaflets are now available in both churches explaining how to make up a box. It can be fun to do one between a group of friends, family or organisation, if the task seems a bit daunting on your own. If, between us all in the parish, we can make 100 boxes, we can have a collection from the parish office. Can we do that?! The deadline for having the boxes ready for collection will be printed in the news sheet as soon as we are given it. Any queries, please ask me personally or via the Parish Office. Thank you. Barbara Dobson.

The **2017 Christian Aid Quiz** will be held on Saturday 11th November 2017 at St Martin in the Wood. There will be a Ploughman's Supper with licensed bar and soft drinks. Put together teams of 6, or buy individual tickets and we will put teams together on the night. Entry is by ticket only at £8. When you buy your ticket you will be asked to confirm whether you want a cheese or ham ploughman's or gluten free. Tickets are available from Tim Groves (07886 352291), Brian Ridsdale, David Parkinson (07759 829869), Stephen Dominy and the Parish Office. Last year we were full to capacity and had to disappoint some. Get them now before they run out !

Robert and Katherine Everett would like to thank everybody, especially the Men's Breakfast group for their support in the sponsored walk 'Hike for Mike'. We both survived!!! and the money raised will pay for an active wheelchair for our son. A big thank you.

Nettie Crossley and her daughters Jan and Juliet and families would like to thank so many friends for their kindness and many gestures of support during, and since, the bereavement of Dr. John.

Congratulations to Rev. Fiona Gibbs who has been invited to become an honorary Canon at Winchester Cathedral. She will be installed on Sunday 26th November at 3.30pm during Evensong at the Cathedral, and all are welcome to attend the service.

Mid-week Services

St. Boniface

Wednesday 9.15am **Holy Communion** Rev. Ian Bird
10.00am **Praise and Play**
5.30pm **Evening Prayer**

St. Martin in the Wood

Thursday 10.00am **Holy Eucharist** Rev. Tony Palmer

Services for Sunday 5th November: St. Martin's Patronal Festival

St. Boniface

8.00am **Holy Communion** Rev. Andrew Williamson
4.00pm **Informal Service** Ali Hill/Rev. Tony Palmer
6.30pm **All Souls' Service** Rev. Ian Bird/Rob Hayter

St. Martin in The Wood

9.15am **Parish Eucharist** Rev. Christine Whitehead/Rev. Ian Bird

Being baptised today: Rose Parsons

We give thanks for the life of: Deirdre Tomlinson

Please pray for: John Hill, Lesley Griffiths, Grace, Maureen Hawkins, Frank Damerell, Mary Colquhoun, Kate, Dorothy, Sharon West, Michelle Young, Dorothy Young, Winafred Perrott, Michael, Bishop Jonathan, Nancy, Sam Jowett, Jenny, Jane, Annabelle, Jim, Elisabeth & John, Sam, The Grant family, The Hunt family, Mary, Leslie Budd, Gwynath Williamson, Sara, Elizabeth Pearson, Rebecca, Edward, Elaine, Simon Field, Brenda, Sue, Peter.

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