

Welcome to St Martin's Church

Sunday 10th February 2019

Welcome to today's services.

Please stay for refreshments after the 10 o'clock service

8.30am Holy Communion
10.00am Holy Communion

Preaching: Revd Bridget Baguley
Leading: Lesley Cohen

Is 6: 1-8 **Luke 5:1-11**

New to Church?

If you are new or visiting please introduce yourself to one of the clergy or the person who welcomed you today; we would love to meet you. If you have young children with you, please feel free to use the toys and books in the side chapel during the service. Children of school age are welcome to join the children's groups during the first half of the service.

New! –Joint Youth Group

4.00-6.00pm this evening at Sherwood Methodist Church.

Film and Pizza night! Everyone welcome ages 10+

Monday 11th February

2.00pm Knit & Natter (chapel)

6.30pm Messy Church prayer meeting (office)

7.45pm In Accord Choir

Tuesday 12th February

9.30am Jolly Tots

Acorn Home Group

Wednesday 13th February

8.45-9.15am Morning Prayer

Sanctuary Home Group

Thursday 14th February

7.00-8.00am Nottingham City Prayer –at The Malt Cross

9.00-9.30am Morning Prayer

6.00pm Big Window Theatre Company performance

7.30pm Music group (Chapel)

Friday 15th February

10.00am Open Voices

6.00pm Brownies

Sunday 17th February

8.30am Holy Communion

10.00am Holy Communion

6.00 – 7.00pm -Time to Remember; with Baguley Brothers Funeral Directors

Prayer diary

for your prayers during the coming week

- Alan Richardson
- Newstead Street, Byron Grove and Newfield Road, together with Sherwood Community Centre and The Place

Coming up

New! – Sherwood Youth Group. –4.00-6.00pm this evening Feb 10th 2019. All young people aged between 10 and 18 years are welcome at this new youth group to be held in Sherwood Methodist Church. Film and Pizza provided

Time to Remember – Sunday February 17th 6.00- 7.00pm -A service to remember and give thanks for those we love who have died, with Baguley Brothers Funeral Directors. Please speak to Bridget if you can help serve refreshments afterwards.

St Peter's coffee break concerts - 11:00am every Saturday in February, St Peter's Church next to City M&S- entry by donation, coffee from 10:15.

The Big Window Theatre Company - Thursday 14th February 6.00pm at St Martin's Church -A free opportunity to view the dress rehearsal for "If All The World Were Paper" - an hilarious play about friendship and falling out, for 3-6year olds and their grownups and siblings

Music on the newly restored Harrison organ - Sunday 3 March, 3.30pm After 80 years of sterling service, the organ at St Martin's has just undergone a thorough refurbishment. Come and enjoy popular classics played on this newly restored instrument. Programme to include pieces by Boccherini, Elgar, Bach, Samuel Barber, Widor and others.

With Richard Marsden- refreshments, comfy chairs and free admission; retiring collection in aid of Heart UK

Notices

St Martin's Electoral Roll - Every 6 years our Electoral Roll has to be renewed and as 2019 is the 6th year everyone who meets the criteria and wishes to be on St Martin's Electoral needs to complete a new form. Further details and application form are available at the back of church. Completed forms need to be given to Julie Day or placed in the sealed box before Sunday 17th March.

Supper at ours- join Bridget and Dave for an informal evening meal as we share our stories and get to know each other. Sign up on the notice board for a date that suits you – everyone is welcome.

Music on our Website- The Bible tells us to 'Sing a new song to the Lord'. At St Martin's we like to sing modern, contemporary songs as well as the much-loved hymns that have stood the test of time. You can now listen to some of the newer songs via the St Martin's web site. Just click on the links for music' and 'new songs' and you can listen to them whenever and wherever you want. Enjoy!

Our groups

We meet in various ways during the week, to grow as a community and explore life together. You're welcome to join us.

Knit and Natter – meet Monday 2-4pm in church for knitting, crafts and coffee

St Martin's Men's Group -an informal group of men sharing each other's company and growing in faith and friendship together. Open to men at St Martin's and their friends and neighbours.

Jolly Tots - a group for babies and children up to 4 yrs old and their parents / carers. It is held every Tuesday morning during term time from 9.30-11am in church.

Messy Church - fun, crafts, games and sharing food with all the family.

Celebrating together how much God loves us and learning more how to follow Him. Saturday afternoons, alternate months.

Life groups – We have four small groups who meet for Bible study, prayer and growing as disciples together. Tuesday / Wednesday evenings and Friday /

Christian Resources Exhibition – Wed 13th March in Manchester Brenda Blades and Gill James will be attending this event which costs £4 (if pre-booked) and have 3 spare places available in the car. Please contact Brenda (0115 9608888) if you would like to come.

Annual Church Meeting (APCM) – This will be held during and immediately after the 10am service on April 7th

Church Warden and PCC Vacancies – We will have vacancies for these positions at the APCM. Please consider prayerfully if this is something you are interested in. Wardens are elected annually, although it is usual to serve for a number of years. PCC members are elected for a term of three years.

Electoral Roll – This is the church membership list and is being renewed this year. Please pick up a letter and application form in church from today.

Lent Course

Worship in the Wilderness: Journeying with Jesus through the desert. "What place does sorrow have in worship?", "What does it mean to worship sacrificially?" and "Is there more to Lent than fasting from chocolate?"

A life-giving journey, exploring biblical, creative and transformational themes, such as simplicity, silence, sorrow, truth-speaking and being led by the Spirit.

Every Wednesday in Lent

7.30-9pm

Children receiving Holy Communion – we will be holding a series of three one hour sessions to prepare children to receive Holy Communion. If you and your child are interested in this please see Bridget.

Restorative Justice/Victim awareness course -Sycamore Tree is an accredited course based on Luke 19:1-10, it is delivered in six sessions over six weeks. The Prison Fellowship coordinator is looking for two or three people to volunteer on the course as a group facilitator, and more importantly act as a qualified tutor (minimum qualification is Level 3 Education and training), there would be up to 20 learners on each course and the group facilitators would lead (guided by the tutor) the small group work and assist the learners with their workbooks. if you feel you could take part or contribute contact stephenhawkins@prisonfellowship.org.uk

St Martin's Church Weekend Away- 20th -22nd September 2019, The Hayes Conference Centre Swanwick; Adults £150 Child/yp. £75 Under 6's Free. A fun weekend of digging into the Bible, worship, sharing good food and spending time together as church family- includes a children's programme of activities and an optional talent show on Saturday evening. With guest speaker Revd James Blandford-Baker. For further information speak to Bridget or Brenda (0115 9608888)

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