Wareham's Church of England Family

Mothering Sunday

4th Sunday of Lent

15th March 2026

God of love,
passionate and strong,
tender and careful:
watch over us and hold us
all the days of our life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

This Sunday's Services 15th March 2026

Bible Readings: Exodus 2: 1-10 · Luke 2: 33-35

Time	Service	Location
8am	Holy Communion (*BCP*)	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
9am	Breakfast Church	Sandford St Martin's
10am	Praise Communion	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
10.30am	Holy Communion (*BCP*)	St Nicholas, Arne
10.30am	Morning Worship	Sandford St Martin's
4pm	Fire Pit	Holme Priory, East Holme

Wednesday 18th March St Edward, Martyr

11am	Holy Communion	St Martin on the Walls, Wareham

Mission Prayer

Loving God,
we praise and thank you, for the way you mother us.
Thank you, for our mothers and all who have loved and cared for us.
We pray for those for whom this day may be difficult:
those who have painful experiences of family relationships,
those living with loss and grief
and those who have not known loving care, growing up.
Bless the world-wide work of the Mother's Union, as they seek to support families and put your love into practical action.
Amen

Coming Up

Thursday 19th March **Big Church Spring Clean**
10am St Martin on the Walls, Wareham

Come along and enjoy spring cleaning and clearing.
Bring gloves and dusters if you can.

Tea, coffee & cake to finish.

Easter Lilies **In Memory of Loved Ones**

Would you like a lily in the display together with a named loved one?
Please contact Pat Cherrett clive.cherrett1@homecall.co.uk **Cost £5**

Can you Help with Hospitality ?

Saturday refreshments in the Parish Hall offers wonderful welcome and hospitality to all. Come and join the friendly team providing this great community service. Get in touch if you can help.

Please contact Carol Turner: 01929 556761

Thank You

To Mary Appleton and all who helped her to make the beautiful flower posies distributed on Mothering Sunday.

We Pray

For our church family:

Helen & Eddie Byron, Simon Clare, Jane Patterson, John Cleaton, Tom Lane, Garry Guinness and June Gover. We continue to pray for baby Sylvia and her family.

For those to be Baptised:

Axel Austin Blacklock: 22nd March, 12.30pm, Lady St Mary's

For those who have died:

Betty Bingham: Funeral Service, 16th March, 11 am, Lady St Mary's
All warmly invited to go directly afterwards to The Reception:
Kingston Country Courtyard, West St, Kingston, Wareham, BH20 5LR

RSVP, if attending to: Bella 07769 701131

Gathering for Prayer

Parish Prayer Group

Every Tuesday at 7.30 – 8.30 pm, in one of our homes.
All welcome. We pray for global and local needs, mission and ministry and individuals. For venue, contact Parish Office Tel: 01929 550905

Prayers for Peace

Every Friday at 5pm in Lady St Mary Church.
All are invited to make time to pause and pray for peace in our world, in our communities and in our own lives.

Donations

Please consider making a Donation to support the work and maintenance of the church in the Parish of Wareham. Contactless donations can be made by selecting your donation amount and tapping the digital giving machine in church.
Alternatively, you can simply scan the QR code.

Thank you for your generous support of this Church

Next Sunday 22nd March 2026

5th Sunday of Lent Passion Sunday

Bible Readings: Ezekiel 37. 1-14 · John 11. 1-45

Time	Service	Location
8am	Holy Communion (*BCP*)	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
9am	Breakfast Church	Sandford St Martin's
10am	Sung Communion	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
10.30am	Holy Communion	Sandford St Martin's
12.30pm	Holy Baptism	Lady St Mary's, Wareham
6pm	Evensong *(BCP)*	St John the Evangelist, East Holme

Wednesday 25th March 2026 The Annunciation of Our Lord

11am	Holy Communion	St Martin on the Walls, Wareham

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