



Ride and Stride 2025 - Saturday, September 13th

Do you enjoy cycling? Or walking? Horse-riding? Or have an unusual form of transport – like a vintage tractor? Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust, an organisation that makes grants to churches across the county for everything from essential repairs to projects to make your local church a building that can be of use to the whole community by installing a loo and kitchen for example, invites you to join in our Ride+Stride Event on 13th September 2025.

Counties all over England take part in this and together raised over £1.2 million in 2020 – half the monies raised are used by the Trusts to make grants and half remains in each participating local community to be used to maintain these beautiful historic buildings that are so much part of our landscape.

No preparation is necessary, just visit and explore some of the lovely churches we have around the area and those participating will very likely have refreshments available. If you can collect sponsorship or donations then all the forms will be available at the churches as well as the website below. There are some pre-defined routes to join others which can be seen on the website.

Bishop Gavin did 18 churches and 50 miles in 2023, a fine achievement! There are short routes, Oxford city routes and all-day routes as needed!

St. James' (Little Milton) will have some refreshments in the porch from 9am and the other benefice churches (Great Milton and Great Haseley) will be open and participating.

Like to find out more? Take a look at our website – www.ohct.org.uk or contact Stuart Humphrey on lm_pcc@outlook.com / 07813091305