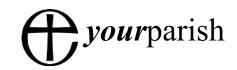


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St Michael & All Angels Church

Serving the Parish of Summertown





FIFTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 20 JULY 2025

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Parish website - www.stmichaels-summertown.org.uk The deadline for notices for the Sunday sheet is Wednesday at 12.00 noon

WELCOME TO OUR INCLUSIVE CHURCH FAMILY

St Michael & All Angels is a member of the Inclusive Church network. We are a church where people are called to come together to explore the mystery of God's love. All of us, without exception, are called by God. A special welcome to all visitors and newcomers. If you are new, please make sure you pick up a Welcome Pack before you leave.

MONDAY NIGHTS ARE CURRY NIGHTS

Every Monday StM&AA's will be offering a curry meal 5-6.30pm to the residents of EasyHotel, Summertown, who are under Oxford City Council care, waiting for accommodation. Some are refugees, some have no opportunity for fellowship. More volunteers welcome. See Gavin or Michael Taylor

WELCOME TO OUR NEW CURATE

Congratulations to Anastasia on her ordination as deacon into the Church of God. Anastasia will introduce herself to the congregation and share some of her hopes for the future. Please continue to prayer for Anastasia and for her daughter Agata

GODLY PLAY SUNDAYS

No Godly Play in July because Gavin is away (celebrating his 25th wedding anniversary in Paris!)

SAVE THE DATE: PARTNERSHIP AUTUMN LECTURE

Wed 8 Oct, 6.30pm, StM&AA's Speaker: the 2025 Reith Lecturer, Dr Gwen Adshead. In her role as a forensic psychiatrist and psychotherapist, Gwen Adshead has tried to understand the psychological mechanisms that give rise to violence and life-threatening behaviour toward others.

DO YOU KNOW ANYONE WHO IS SICK OR IN NEED OF **PASTORAL SUPPORT?**

Please contact Gavin if you know anyone who is suffering in mind, body or spirit, whether at home, hospital or hospice. Our ministry of healing is not just restricted to the 2nd Sunday of the month.

REMEMBER OUR COVENANT WITH CREATION

A reminder to pray and consider our individual and corporate promise to tackle climate change and to take all possible care of our earthly home. More covenant for creation leaflets can be found in the Threshold







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PLEASE STAY FOR COFFEE & VISIT OUR FAIRTRADE STALL AFTER THE 10AM SERVICE



WHY I LIKE ST MICHAEL'S

Some recent comments from those in the know!

"... children, people of all ages, cultures and backgrounds are all included"

SUNDAYS

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

1st Sunday of the month: **All-Age Family Eucharist**

2nd Sunday of the month: Sung Eucharist from the High Altar, Including the ministry of healing

> 6.30pm Taizé service In the Lady Chapel

WEEKDAYS

9.00 am Morning Prayer In the Lady Chapel

Choir Practice

Thursdays 6.30-7.45pm **Contact Duncan Saunderson** dsdsaunderson@googlemail.com

Men's Breakfast

1st Saturday of the month Contact Steve Hunter - 01865 552475

FOR CHILDREN

Godly Play

Every 3rd Sunday of the month for primary school-age children

St Michael's Choristers Age 3+ practise Thursdays in church

in term-time at 5.30 pm and sing on the 1st Sunday of the month Contact Alice - 07791 328108

Baby & Toddler Group

Tuesdays 10.00 - 12.00 noon Play for children and chat for carers Contact Juliet - 01865 552640

FOR STUDY

The CATechesis Group An occasional meeting by Zoom for study and conversation

Book Group

Meets during various seasons on Thursdays at 10am in the Threshold

