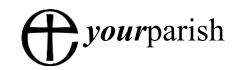


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St Michael & All Angels Church

Serving the Parish of Summertown





SEVENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY 3 AUGUST 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

PARTNERSHIP WALKS

Another of our Partnership Walks is planned for Saturday, 9 August, starting 10am at St Bartholomew's Church, Yarnton and then a gentle walk across fields to the Oxford Canal and downstream ending up near the Plough and/or St Peter's. All very welcome. Further enquiries to Bill Clarke on Oxford 510109.

OXFORD HISTORIC CHURCHES TRUST RIDE & STRIDE

Sat 13 Sep. We are looking for cyclists, walkers and runners to visit as many churches as possible. We also need welcomers, who can also be sponsored, to sit in church for 1hr to meet & greet and sign sponsorship forms. Half of the sponsorship money will go to StM&AA's. Sponsorship forms available soon.

Jonathan Scheele

LAVENDER SEED HEADS

Please help yourselves to the lavender which is at the front of the church. Excellent for making lavender bags or to put amongst your clothes to deter moths. There is plenty for everyone.

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

SUMMER EVENTS FOR OLDER PEOPLE

... are being organised by some of the Churches in North Oxford. Info available in the Threshold. If you're interested in any of the events, please use the contact details on the information notice. For the events in Stmaa, 21 Aug, get contact Sue Smith -559433 - susan@sharetoo.co.uk. Or for St Peter's, 15 Aug, contact Viv Bridges -558705 - vivbridges@btinternet.com





WHY I LIKE ST MICHAEL'S

Some recent comments from those in the know!
"... very friendly and welcoming and
fantastic for children; they can be seen
and heard; always welcome!"

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