



BARTHOLOMEW THE APOSTLE 24 AUGUST 2025

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 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

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 at the front of the church. Excellent for making lavender bags or to put amongst your clothes to deter moths

SAVE THE DATE: PARTNERSHIP AUTUMN LECTURE

Wed 8 Oct, 6.30pm, StM&AA's Speaker: the 2024 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

SILENT PRAYER

Sunday at 6.30pm during July and August, the Lady Chapel is a place of containment and peace as we meet and pray in silence

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!

"... the sense of community, social commitments and liturgy and church music"

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 Silent Prayer

In the Lady Chapel

WEEKDAYS

9.00 am Morning Prayer

In the Lady Chapel

Choir Practice

Thursdays 6.30-7.45pm
 Contact Duncan Saunderson
dstdsaunderson@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