

Please take home.

News and Thoughts, 19th July -1st August



This is a compressed message to include the next couple of weeks, as I will be away for some of the time.

Our services will follow the usual times.

Sunday 8:00am, 10:30am 3:00pm

Monday 9:00am

Tuesday 9:00am, 5:30pm

Wednesday 9:00am, 1:00pm, 5:30pm

Thursday 9:00am, 5:30pm

Friday 9:00am, 1:00pm

For those who join us from home or while travelling, I think this link [St. Michael at the North Gate Church, Oxford - YouTube](#) will give you access.

The readings for the next three Sundays are thought-provoking and encouraging/challenging. As ever, it may be useful to ponder why the lectionary-compilers across the centuries, and then in the 16th Century with tweaks from Cranmer, thought that these were the readings that the church and the nation needed to hear during the summer months. We will be 7th Sunday in Trinity, moving to St James for the 26th July, back to the 9th Sunday in Trinity for the 1st August. If you are at a distance and would like a copy of the BCP (Book of Common Prayer), which includes the lectionary, to be able to follow along, then please do say.

Some hymns to enjoy – perhaps now unfamiliar to some, but back in the day these were very popular (might bring back some memories!)

[Blessed Assurance](#)

[Turn Your Eyes Upon Jesus](#)

[Lord, it is eventide](#)

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