

NOTICE SHEET for SUNDAY 13th SEPTEMBER 2026

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‘God’s love at the heart of all our activities and communities’

CHRIST CHURCH & ST MARK’S, WATFORD

15th Sunday after Trinity

READINGS Romans 14.1-12; Matthew 18.21-35

SERVICES 9.30am Service at St Mark’s.
11.00am Service at Christ Church.

For your monetary offerings, for regular giving, envelopes are available for you to put cash in, or the bank account details are below for those wanting to set up a regular standing order.

Could you let the church know if you intend to do so and are able to Gift aid too.

CHRISTCHURCH Watford PCC COOP account SORTCODE: 089078 Acct no: 50018550.

Christ Church Car Park Management System: Register Your Car.

Please remember to enter your car registration number into the tablet located either in the church or in the hall.

Please note that if this is not done you will be fined by the parking company.

Collect

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit
upon your Church in the burning fire of your love:
grant that your people may be fervent
in the fellowship of the gospel
that, always abiding in you,
they may be found steadfast in faith and active in service;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

FOR PRAYER AND PRAISE:

- **Those who are unwell or who need prayer:** Angela Bounds; Kimbra Jordan; Parvesh; Michelle’s Mum and Dad; Ollie; Portia; Rony; Pauline McCutcheon; Sylvia; Pat M.; Marc; Heidi; Emma; Deloris; Angela; Stephen; Laura Chappell; Mandy; Caroline H.
- **People of the Parish:** those living in Breakspeare Close; Maude Crescent; Halsey Place.
- **Businesses operating in:** Odhams Industrial Estate; Leggatts Close; Courtlands Drive.
- **Local organisations:** Watford & Three Rivers Refugee Partnership; Random Café.
- **Local churches and congregations:** Holy Rood Catholic Church; Holy Trinity.
- **Our Link Churches abroad:** Bishop Wilson Kamani and the Diocese of Ibba, South Sudan; and The Christian community at Kwa Mkono, Tanzania.

Contact us: email ccandstmwatford@gmail.com

Lift Off! Children and Families Outreach: admin@liftoff.org.uk

We’re also to be found on <https://www.facebook.com/ChristChurchStMarks>

THIS WEEK

Morning Prayer Readings		
Mon 14 September John 12.27-36a		
Tue 15 September Acts 16.25-end	9.30-11am 10-11.30am 1.15-2.45pm	Messy Tots (1) at St Mark's. The Joy Toddler & Parent Hub at Christ Church. Messy Tots (2) at St Mark's.
Wed 16 September Acts 17.1-15	10-11am 2pm	Morning Prayer at Christ Church, then coffee. Wednesday Circle: Andrew Chappel on 'Rickmansworth Waterways Trust' at St Mark's.
Thu 17 September Acts 17.16-end	10am-1pm	Foodbank at Christ Church.
Fri 18 September Acts 18.1-21	4.30-5.45pm 6.30-8.30pm	Lift Off! Ignite at St Mark's. Youth Club at Christ Church.
Sat 19 September Acts 18.22 – 19.7		

Sunday 20th September; 16th Sunday after Trinity

READINGS

Philippians 1.21-30; Matthew 20.1-16

SERVICES

8.00am Morning Prayer at Christ Church followed by Breakfast at 8.30am.

9.30am Service at St Mark's.

11.00am Service at Christ Church.

News

The next **PCC meeting** has been changed from 14th September to Monday 21st September at 7:30pm in Christ Church.

There will be no choir in September.

The Licensing and Installation Service for the Revd Jess Batten was held on Thursday.

A big thankyou to all who helped by providing cakes, making coffee, playing music or taking part in the service, to make Thursday night run so well.



Archdeacon of St Albans The Venerable Charles Hudson; Deputy Lieutenant of Hertfordshire Adam K Ginder; Reverend Jess Batten; Bishop of Hertford The Right Reverend Dr Jane Mainwaring.