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Pews News

AUGUST AT A GLANCE

Key:

BCP - Book of Common Prayer;

CW - Common Worship;

MWB - Methodist Worship Book;

SotW – Service of the Word

Festivals & Commemorations in **RED**

Sun, 3 rd August	TRINITY 7	
9.30am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Mary's
11am	Family Service	St Helen's
Sun, 10 th August	TRINITY 8	
9.30am	Holy Communion (MWB)	St Mary's
11am	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Helen's
Sun, 17 th August	TRINITY 9	
9.30am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Helen's
10.30am	Messy Church	St Mary's
4pm	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Mary's
Sun, 24 th August	TRINITY 10 / ST BARTHOLOMEW	
9.30am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Mary's
11am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Helen's
Sun, 31st August	TRINITY 11	
9.30am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Mary's
11am	Holy Communion (CW)	St Helen

REGULAR WEEKDAY SERVICES

Every Wednesday			
11am	Holy Communion (BCP)	St Mary's	
	NO TOTS IN AUGUST		

FOR YOUR PRAYERS

For our Church and Congregations

- For the Junior Choir appointment, that God would direct us to the right person
- For Revd Stephen and the Methodist Circuit
- For Revd Mel and Revd Matt in their new posts

For our Community

For Age Concern, for the Food Bank, and for the Pop-up Café

For the Needs of God's World

- For all those who are sick or in need of our prayers, especially Kevin
- For a just peace in Iran, Syria, Sudan, Ukraine, & Holy Land

The Collect for TRINITY 7

Almighty Lord and everlasting God, we beseech you to direct, sanctify and govern both our hearts and bodies in the ways of your laws and the works of your commandments; that through your most mighty protection, both here and ever, we may be preserved in body and soul; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. AMEN

If you have prayer requests, contact Fr Michael (890392)

NEWS, NOTICES, EVENTS, & UPDATES

Junior Choir Development Officer (Church & Community)



The Benefice of St Mary, Chalgrove with St Helen, Berrick Salome

St Mary's Chalgrove, and St Helen's Berrick Salome seek a dynamic and enthusiastic musician for the post of

JUNIOR CHOIR DEVELOPMENT OFFICER (CHURCH AND COMMUNITY)

The post is for 3 years in the first instance and is part time.

Closing date for applications is 15th September 2025. Interviews 29th September 2025.

For full information and a job pack, visit:

chalgrovechurch.org/vacancies



OHCT GoodHub Main Page QR Code

Saturday 13th September, Ride & Stride, both Churches

This year's Ride and Stride is on Saturday 13th September 2025 from 10am to 6pm. Full details of the event including how to sponsor a st/rider, how to take part, and how to make donations online are at www.ohct.org.uk/ride-stride

This year Alan and Jennifer Thompson are responsible for organising the welcome and paying in any cash donations from St Mary's sponsors. Alan is cycling round 20 or so local churches to raise money for St Mary's and Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust. He and other st/riders (for either church) would welcome sponsorship (details to follow).

If you could spare and hour or two on the 13th to welcome visitors to St Mary's there is a sign up sheet in the Church.

Riders and striders donation pages:

Alan Thompson:

https://www.goodhub.com/go/alanstmarysrideandstride

Sunday 28th September, St Mary's, HARVEST

Please note the change of time in the Link calendar for the final Sunday in September. The main service at St Mary's that day will be at 4pm, so that we can celebrate Harvest by sharing a meal together afterwards. Details to follow.

Bells – August Update

Sunday 10 th Wednesday 13 th Saturday 16 th	Chalgrove 9am Practice Chalgrove 7.30pm Bradfield Course Chalgrove 10.45; Berrick Salome 1.45
Sunday 17 th Wednesday 20 th Saturday 23 rd	Berrick Salome 9am; Chalgrove 10am Practice Watlington 7.00pm Branch Practice - Towersey 4 – 5.30pm
Sunday 24 th Wednesday 27 th	Chalgrove 9am Practice Chalgrove 7.30pm
Sunday 31st	Chalgrove 9am

GIVING TO ST MARY'S AND ST HELEN'S

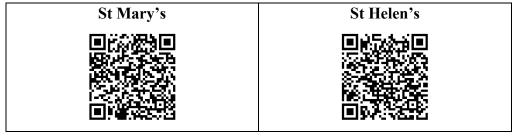
Cheque

Please make payable to	Please make payable to
'St Mary's PCC, Chalgrove'	'St Helen's PCC, Berrick Salome'

Bank transfer

St Mary's bank details		St Helen's bank details	
A/C No.	00033407	A/C No.	64119890
Sort Code	40-52-40	Sort Code	60-22-19

QR Code & Giving Websites



Church Media Links

St Helen's Church

A Church Near You: https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/34/

St Mary's Church

Website: https://chalgrovechurch.org

A Church Near You: https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/60/

FaceBook: https://www.facebook.com/StMarys.Chalgrove/

Benefice YouTube

https://www.youtube.com/c/stmaryschalgrovewithsthelensberricks alome/

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