



Welcome!

A welcome page for visitors from the US

Visit with us

Christ Church is part of the world-wide Anglican Communion, of which *The Episcopal Church (TEC)* is a member, though other Anglicans will also feel pretty much at home with us, probably Lutherans and Methodists as well.

Sunday services are liturgical, with an easy format to follow, and are generally middle of the road in style. We aim to offer Bible-based and relevant preaching, and well-chosen hymns and prayers. Each service lasts about an hour, and afterwards we offer tea or coffee and an opportunity to visit with members and other visitors.

Make a home with us

We know that increasing numbers of people from the US are making a new life for themselves in our part of Normandy. Most of us here have experienced the joys and challenges of coming to live in this beautiful region, so we may be able to answer your nagging questions and show you ways to make life in France easier! We offer a spiritual home-away-from-home where we can share Christian activity together without the need to struggle with worshiping in a less familiar language. Services are in English except when we include French on special occasions: so are our online Bible Study and House Group meetings.

Our church family includes people from Roman Catholic, Anglican Communion (not just Church of England!), Salvation Army, Methodist, Baptist, United Reformed and Presbyterian backgrounds. We welcome people 'as they are', aim to respect people's spiritual roots and experience, and recognize that we offer a home for people who hold a whole range of views on a whole heap of issues! There is no requirement to 'become an Anglican' in order to be accepted as a member here, and we try to avoid 'official party lines' on any current church issues which can so easily divide us. Our aim is to help each other to grow in faith, and to work together to 'build up the Body of Christ' (Eph 4: 12)

Take a look round our website, especially the page headed 'Church life and activities', to get a flavor of our church and what we offer. Ask us questions, give us a try! And if you like what you find, don't forget to tell others!

Giving to Christ Church

If you are glad we are here, please support Christ Church with your giving as well as in other ways. We encourage members to give regularly, and we hope people will give generously, but we do not set any particular amount or proportion ('tithe') because we recognise that people's situations are so varied. We can process gifts in euros (€) and sterling (£), but unfortunately not in USD (\$) at the present time. See the page headed 'Regular giving and donations' for further information.