

A very warm welcome to you, whether you are new to St Matthew's and All Saints' or worship with us every week. We hope you will feel at home in our churches. Please introduce yourself to someone, and stay for coffee, which is served after most services. Please see the back page for useful information for visitors.

If you are a newcomer or visitor, do please consider filling in and returning a welcome card, so that we can be in touch with information about groups and activities of interest and how we can serve you.

# THIS SUNDAY

26th June - The Fifth Sunday after Trinity
8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) at All Saints'
9:30am Morning Worship at All Saints'
11:00am Morning Worship at St Matthew's
6:15pm Holy Communion at St Matthew's
Youth Fellowship at St Matthew's Church Hall
6:00-7:15pm for those in school years 7-9
7:00-8:45pm for those in school years 10-13

## NEXT SUNDAY

3rd July - The Sixth Sunday after Trinity
8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Matthew's
9:30am All Age Worship at All Saints'
11:00am All Age Worship at St Matthew's
6:15pm Evening Prayer at St Matthew's
Youth Fellowship at St Matthew's Church Hall
6:00-7:15pm for those in school years 7-9
7:00-8:45pm for those in school years 10-13

# HARWELL CHILTON CHURCHES

#### **C O N T A C T S**

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> If you would like to talk with the Rector about any matter, please contact Jonathan directly, or via the Church Office

> St Matthew's Harwell with All Saints' Chilton

## CHILTON SCOUTS

The Chilton Scout Group is in need of a Beavers section leader and also assistant leaders for both the Beavers and Cubs sections. For more info, please contact Joe Suttner on 07768 351000 or e-mail joe.suttner@yahoo.co.uk.

## PRODUCTION

# **OLD TESTAMENT TALES**



LAMPS Collective has cooked up a treat for you this summer as it presents the classic tales of The Old Testament. Humour, heart and honesty are the key ingredients in this funny, thought provoking and slightly bonkers theatrical feast. Wed 6th - Sun 10th July 2016 7.30pm plus 4pm matinee on Sun 10th at The Unicorn Theatre, Abingdon. A great event to invite friends and neighbours to. Tickets f9 50/f8 00 from The Bookstore, Abingdon or buytickets.at/lampscollective (Suitable for ages 9-900)

For more information please contact

Julie Kemp-Harper, LAMPS Collective, 01235 521049

www.lampscollective.com

#### HOLIDAY CLUB SERVICE



We have our special Holiday Club service next Sunday, 3rd July at 11am in St Matthew's Harwell. Do **invite families along** to join us and get introduced to some of the fun, faith & festivity of our Camelot capers.

## DIDCOT FOODBANK



Please continue to bring your food donations to help people around Didcot. Donations can be left at both churches. Requests for: tinned meat/meat pies, longlife baguettes (that require baking), pasta sauces, (pref tomato), packet puddings, whole UHT milk, pkt potato, long life juice, biscuits, treats, cereal, sugar, tinned veg. Thank you for your support. *Mel & Margaret Gibson* 

# PRAYER SPACES

Churches Together in Didcot are running Prayer Spaces in Didcot Girls School from 11-15th July. Please contact Karen if you'd like to help and please also pray that it would be well received. Karen.beck140@gmail.com

#### CHILDREN & FAMILIES WORK



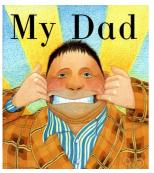
We've been at Chilton Primary School with Prayer **Spaces** this week and will be going to Harwell Primary School all of next week. It has been a fantastic reminder of

why Jesus told us adults to, *"become like little children".* It's lovely to experience the sincerity & simplicity of the children's prayers. Why not come and see the tent in action during the week? I guarantee you'll be impressed. Contact Peter.

**Get the Figure you've always wanted**: *Pebbles* (n/a) / *Kids Church* (12) / *Pathfinders* (10) / *YF* (9—just 1 session this week) / *Fledgelings* (36 children & 28 adults) / *Y Club* (10). All provided by the sacrifice of 12 volunteers giving 25 hours of their time. In addition there was holiday club planning meetings. And not forgetting 230 children (+staff) each spending up to an hour in the prayer-spaces tent thanks to 14 volunteers giving 81 hours of time. **WOW!** 

Fledgelings are carrying on with their "God made me" theme. This week they thought about the sense of smell and made their own "Smelly Paintings" - just mix paint with herbs, spices & essences! A feast for noses as well as the eyes!





Among the 32 children and 30 adults who came to enjoy our Father's Day celebration were 14 dads. The BBQ & beer were very much appreciated—but so was the reminder that we have an awesome Heavenly Father, *who is our refuge and strength*, *A very present help in trouble.* 

#### GWP SUMMER

## Great Western Park Activities week -25th - 29th July 2016. GWP are holding a series of craft and fun activities for all ages during the final week of July in GWP. There are so many things to get involved with and we are seeking support for registration, refreshments, lending a hand with activities and crafts and joining in the fun. If you would like to help please contact Mark Bodeker on 07970 111110 or email markbodeker@gmail.com

#### HARVEST BARN DANCE

Saturday 1st October 7-11pm, Chilton Village Hall. Live music with "the Shady Grove String Band" plus experienced caller – tickets (£10 per adult and £7.50 per child, on sale soon) includes a baked potato + choice of toppings. Raising funds for Tearfund.



# VISITORS' INFO

Children are especially welcome at our services. There are groups for primary aged children in Harwell, and a family area in Chilton with activities for younger children.

At our services of Holy Communion all who love the Lord are welcome to share with us. If you require a gluten-free wafer please indicate this to the sidespeople before the service.

Both churches have a hearing loop, and large print service and weekly noticesheets are available. Toilets are at the back of the church in Harwell and accessed from outside at Chilton.

#### N O T I C E S H E E T I T E M S

Please submit noticesheet items to Vicky by Wednesday of the preceding week, either via the website, by email, by phone, or by leaving a note in the vestry. The deadline for Broadsheet items is the 2<sup>nd</sup> Wednesday of the month.

News items also appear on our website. You need to be logged-in to see some of them.

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# PRAYER FOCUS

...in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God' Philippians 4:6

## Please pray for...

- For reconciliation and wise decisions in the wake of the Referendum result
- A peaceful solution to the troubles in Iraq, Syria, Ukraine and Gaza
- All those seeking refuge from war-torn countries
- Those who live in The Green, Chilton and in The Holloway, Harwell
- The guests and team members involved in the Alpha Course
- Prayer Spaces in Schools
- The 'Pastoral Care' teams of our Churches
- Those in the 'Prayer' groups of our Churches
- Those who meet for 'Home groups' and those who lead them

# Collect for the 5th Sunday after Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; 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.