

Welcome

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

4th September – The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Matthew's

9:30am Morning Worship at All Saints'

11:00am Camelot All Age Celebration at St Matthew's

6:15pm Evening Prayer at St Matthew's

No Youth Fellowship: re-starts next week

NEXT SUNDAY

11th September – The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) at All Saints'

9:30am Morning Worship at All Saints'

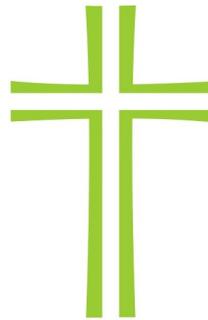
11:00am Morning Worship at St Matthew's

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

There are many church groups and activities happening every week and space does not permit inclusion of all of them. You can find details of all church events and groups on the church website: <http://HCChurches.org>



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CHURCHES**

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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

WHEELCHAIR

Have you seen the St Matthew's wheelchair? If you have borrowed it we would be very grateful if you could return it. If you still need to borrow the chair please let Jonathan or the Churchwardens know. Thank you.

CAP MONEY

Our next CAP money course will begin on Saturday 29th October at 10.30am. There will be two more meetings on 5th and 19th November at the same time at St Matthew's Church Harwell. The course is offered for free and is open to anyone who would like to learn to budget, save and spend well. Contact Vicky on 834256 or book your place at capmoneycourse.org



ST MATTHEW'S ROOF

On the night of 21/22 August lead was stolen from the south aisle roof of St. Matthew's. The roof has been made temporarily waterproof and work is underway to organise repairs. If anyone has any information that might be helpful to the Police please let Vicky know.

HARVEST BARNDANCE

**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.

Contact Vicky on 834256 to get your tickets.

***** TICKETS NOW FOR SALE *****

RIDE & STRIDE

This year the Oxfordshire Historic Ride and Stride is on Saturday 10th September between 10am and 6pm.



This is a county-wide bike ride, horse ride or walk where people are sponsored to check in at as many churches as they can, enjoying refreshments and some of Oxfordshire's most stunning scenery as they go. Money raised will be shared equally between the Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust which gives grants to churches needing help with restoration or renovation work, and the church of your choice. Please collect a sponsor form from Naomi at All Saints' or Vicky at St Matthew's. See www.rideandstrideuk.org

ALL SAINTS' HERITAGE DAY

Come and see the bell tower of All Saints' Chilton and the bells being rung. Learn about the history of the bells and the Millennium Project to restore the bell tower and bells and even have a go at ringing for yourself. Ask all those questions you never thought you had from 2pm to 4pm on Saturday 10th September. Kate Crennel will also be at All Saints' on the 10th September between 2 and 4pm displaying her transcriptions of Chilton Parish Registers and listening to your local family history.

It is also the day of the Ride & Stride event (see above).



Coming Soon...



Crossing the Gap

Exploring Science and Faith
in Harwell and Chilton

Hands-on Science



Thinking About Faith

Fun for All Ages!

Launch Party:
Harwell Church Hall
Saturday 24th September
3:00-4:30 pm

Monthly Family Science Club:
Harwell Church Hall
Last Friday of the Month
Starting Friday 30th September
4:30 - 5:30 pm

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.

NOTICESHEET ITEMS

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 2nd 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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P R A Y E R F O C U S

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

Please pray for...

- A peaceful solution to the troubles in Iraq, Syria, Ukraine and Gaza
- All those seeking refuge from war-torn countries
- Those who live in Church Hill, Chilton and in Winnaway Road, Harwell
- Church Army - our mission focus for September
- The process of advertising for and appointing a 'Science Ministry Apprentice' (HCCChurches.org/sma)

Collect for the 15th Sunday after Trinity

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. Amen.