

A very warm welcome to you. Whether you are visiting, 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.



### SUNDAY 6TH OCTOBER

# 16th Sunday after Trinity

8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Matthew's 9:30am All Age Harvest Celebration at All Saints' 11:00am All Age Harvest Celebration at St Matthew's 6:15pm Evening Prayer at St Matthew's Youth Fellowship at St Matthew's Church Hall 7-8.30pm for 11-18 year olds

### SUNDAY 13TH OCTOBER

# 17th Sunday after Trinity

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

9:00am Pebbles Family Service at Chilton Village Hall 9:30am Morning Prayer (BCP) at All Saints'

11:00am Morning Worship at St Matthew's Youth Fellowship at St Matthew's Church Hall 7-8.30pm for 11-18 year olds

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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

### HALF TERM ACCOMMODATION

If anyone is away for half term and would like a well behaved, fully house trained, retired couple to house/animal sit for them. speak to Melanie!

Her mum and step-dad are looking to visit for a week. dates flexible, and looking for somewhere to stay in Harwell, Chilton or surrounding area.

Please let Melanie know if you can help. Thank you.

### JOHN 12:23-24

Jesus replied, The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls to the ground and dies. it remains only a single seed. But if it dies, it produces many seeds.

#### BARNDANCE

Harwell and Chilton Churches are organising a barn dance at Chilton Village Hall on **Saturday** 16th November, 7-10pm.

Tickets available to buy -£10 per adult, children go free. Proceeds to Tearfund.



#### REPAIR CAFE





## Saturday 19 October 2019

2pm - 5pm

St Matthew's Church Lane, Harwell

Expert volunteer fixers will be on hand to work with you to:

- Repair household electrical items
- Give advice with simple computer problems
- Mend and glue broken items/toys
- Mend clothes/up-cycling/fabric crafts
- Repair clocks, watches and mechanical items

 Sharpening knives, tools, etc. Tea, coffee, soft drinks and cakes available







Come along to St Matthew's Harwell on Saturday 19th October 2-5pm. Bring along items that need repair and grab a drink and a cake from the Scouts café.

#### THANK YOU

Mel and Margaret Gibson would like to thank everybody that sponsored them for the NET Natter walk from Oxford to Abingdon in aid of NET Research

It was a glorious day and we all met in Abbey Meadows at the end for a picnic. The total raised by the group will be over £3000 and Margaret and I cannot thank you all enough for your most generous donations and we, with your help, have raised over £500 + gift aid.



### HARVEST

Our Harvest celebration services are on Sunday 6th October. 9.30am at All Saints' Chilton and 11.00am at St Matthew's Harwell.

We will be accepting non-perishable goods for Didcot Food bank. They would especially welcome:

tinned meat/meat pies

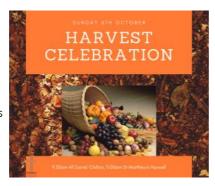
long-life baguettes (ie that require baking before eating) pasta sauces, preferably tomato packet puddings whole UHT milk pkt potato tinned veg long life juice

biscuits

treats

cereal

sugar



In particular, they would appreciate tinned carrots, green beans, potatoes and peas.

Please ensure that all gifts have a best before date of at least 6 months.

If you would like to bring along fresh produce, this will be made available after the services for people to take for a donation to Tearfund

### ACCOMMODATION NEEDED



Hello, my name is Percy, and I am a physics student at Loughborough about to start a year in industry at Williams F1 in Grove. I'm also a youth leader in our local church.

I'm looking for accommodation until September 2020, full time (although I

will have holidays and quite a few weekends away). I'd really like a room in a shared house, with a couple, family or other students, within about 20 minutes drive of Grove if possible. If you might be able to help please contact the Church Office for more details.

### PASTORAL CARE

Harwell and Chilton Churches have a small team of volunteer pastoral carers.

Anyone who is experiencing sadness, feeling down or lonely can contact the team, in confidence, to request a friendly visit.

Please contact the Church Office in the first instance: 834256 or VJ.HCChurches@ qmail.com

### BIBLE FESTIVAL

The Keswick Convention are running a one-day Bible Festival for all ages on Saturday 23rd November at Cheltenham Ladies' College. The main speaker will be Revd Vaughn Roberts from St Ebbes Oxford.

Tickets are £20 per adult, £15 concessions, £5 per child with children's activities for 1-18 year olds. See HCChurches.org/news for more information and to book tickets.

### WALK 19TH OCT

There is a walk organised on Saturday 19th October from Abingdon or Iffley into Oxford for an event at Christchurch Oxford. See www.chch.ox.ac.uk/ pilgrimage for more information

### VISITORS' INFO

Children and young people are especially welcome at our services, and there are groups for children and young people in Harwell, and for primary aged and pre-school children in Chilton, along with a family area in both churches.

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 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: http://HCChurches.org

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#### PRAYERS

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

# Please pray for...

- Those who live in The Paddock in Chilton, and in Gayeston Road in Harwell
- Didcot & Wallingford Area CAP Debt Centre
- For our Thursday evening Alpha Course and Christianity Explored on Tuesday mornings
- For those who were confirmed on Monday 23rd September: George & Ollie Wheaton, Alex Durbin and Nicholas Powell
- The work of Scripture Union
- God's Kingdom to come in Harwell & Chilton

# Collect for 16th Sunday after Trinity

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; 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.

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