

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

14th August - The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

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

9:30am Morning Prayer (BCP) at All Saints'

11:00am Morning Worship at St Matthew's

No Youth Fellowship. Returning on 4th September.

NEXT SUNDAY

21st August - The Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

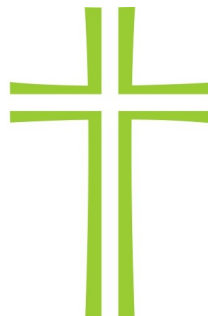
8:00am Holy Communion (BCP) at St Matthew's

9:30am Holy Communion at All Saints'

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6:15pm Evening Prayer (BCP) at St Matthew's

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**HARWELL
CHILTON
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

WALKING GROUP

Monday 29th August

Start/Finish location:

Blewbury recreation ground

Start time: 11:00 (returning around 14:30-15:00?)

Distance: 6 miles with shorter options (3hrs - not including lunch)

Route: Circular route on paths and tracks up to the Ridgeway returning via Bonhams Rd (tarmac lane)

Other instructions:

Bring packed lunch for picnic on Ridgeway (will attempt to provide shelter if weather is bad)

Walking boots if wet, otherwise trainers/good shoes acceptable

Bring water (plenty if hot)

Don't forget a rain coat and if weather looks very bad - waterproof trousers

Opportunity for early returners to play a game of rounders/football/in the park



ST MATTHEW'S 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.

PSALM 119: 1-3

Blessed are those whose ways are blameless,
who walk according to the law of the LORD.

Blessed are those who keep his statutes
and seek him with all their heart—
they do no wrong
but follow his ways.

FRIDAYS

From September, a group of families and others will be meeting in Harwell Church Hall on Friday afternoon/evening to have fun, share a meal, and explore and plan together for a new weekly 'Fresh Expression' of Church. This new gathering will be focussed on serving those who do not easily connect with our current 'inherited' form of church. If you would like to consider being involved in this exciting new project, or would like to know more, please contact Jonathan.



CHILDREN & FAMILIES WORK



Please pray for Camelot Holiday club this week. We're expecting 114 children to join us and 65 helpers. Our theme for the week is 'Who do you say I am' Luke 9. We'll be thinking about Jesus being our leader, commander, healer, judge and provider.

It would be great if you could join us in praying for good weather, safety and spiritual fruit.

Here are some pictures to give you an idea of what we'll be up to throughout the week.



THANK YOU

Great Western Park
Activities Week

Thank you to everyone involved in making the GWP Activities Week such a huge success. We were literally inundated with hundreds of people coming to all events throughout the week. It was a real community affair, enjoyed by so many. It just goes to show what churches working together can do. Thank you again for your support and making it possible.

Mark Bodeker



HARVEST BARN DANCE



Saturday 1st October
7-11 pm, 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.

TICKETS NOW FOR SALE

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 Townsend, Chilton and in Wantage Road, Harwell
- Church Mission Society & The Sharlands
- Camelot Holiday Club; for good weather, safekeeping and spiritual fruit
- The process of advertising for and appointing a 'Science Ministry Apprentice' (HCCChurches.org/sma)



Collect for the 12th Sunday after Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve: pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of 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.