

SERVICES FOR THE NEXT TWO WEEKS

Sunday 21st May

Theme: The Hope of Resurrection

Readings: [Romans 6:1-14](#)
[Matthew 6:24](#)

St Andrew's, Dean Court

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader and preacher: Jonathan Widdess

St Michael's, Cumnor

10:30am Holy Communion

Leader and preacher: Jean Pryce-Williams

Sunday 28th May

Pentecost Sunday

Theme: Nothing Can Separate Us

Readings: [Acts 2:1-4](#)
[Romans 8:14-39](#)

St Andrew's, Dean Court

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Roger Long

Preacher: Eve Lockett

St Michael's, Cumnor

8am Holy Communion (1662)

Leader and preacher: Jonathan Widdess

10:30am Big Story Sunday (for all-ages)

Leader and preacher: Jonathan Widdess

St Mary's, Farmoor

3:30pm Hymns & Cake

Leader and preacher: Jean Pryce-Williams

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

- † The families of Sheila Clayton, Michael Dowsett, Nikki Todd and Reginald Trinder as they grieve.
- † Steven Badger, the new headteacher of Cumnor C.E. School who starts work in September. He is currently Deputy Head at Manor Primary School in Didcot.
- † The ongoing LLF process, for the Bishops, for church unity, for our shared witness as the Church of England, and for the wider unity and witness of the Anglican Communion at this time.
- † A good outcome to the process to find new doctors for Botley Medical Centre.
- † More new people to find a living faith in Jesus and join us in church.
- † The conflict in the Ukraine.
- † Everyone who leads worship, preaches or teaches in our parish.

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NEWSLETTER

Sunday 14th May 2023

TODAY'S SERVICES

Theme: God's Love Poured Out

Readings: [Romans 3:28-30](#) and [5:1-11](#)
[Matthew 11:28-30](#)

St Andrew's, Dean Court

10:30am Holy Communion

Leader: David Wenham

Preacher: Chris Sugden

St Michael's, Cumnor

8am Holy Communion (1662)

Leader and preacher: Jessica Turner

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Jonathan Widdess

Preacher: Jessica Turner

ASCENSION DAY SERVICE

Thursday 18th May

St Michael's, Cumnor

7:30pm Holy Communion

Leader and preacher: Jonathan Widdess

COLLECT FOR THE 6TH SUNDAY OF EASTER

God our redeemer,
you have delivered us from the power of darkness
and brought us into the kingdom of your Son:
grant, that as by his death he has recalled us to life,
so by his continual presence in us
he may raise us to eternal joy;
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.

ONLINE WORSHIP

The 10:30am services in St Michael's are usually
live-streamed via our website at:
<https://cumnor.org/sunday-service-online/>
Services remain available to watch online afterwards.

CHOIR PRACTICE

St Michael's Choir hold their practice in Church on
Friday evenings at 6:30pm. New members are
always welcome.
Please contact Andrew Dyer for more details on
01865 862042 or e-mail: ajdyer47@hotmail.com

BELLRINGING

The Bellringers practice on Wednesday evenings
from 7:30-9pm.
Please contact Jenny Dyer for more details on
01865 862042 or e-mail: jadyer55@hotmail.com
Their website is at <https://cumnorbellringers.uk/>

HOPE EXPLORED COURSE

Hope Explored is a three-session series about the person and work of Jesus and the hope that can be found in him. It allows those who do not consider themselves followers of Jesus to explore the message of the Christian faith. Jonathan will be running Hope Explored in the Parish Centre starting on **Monday 12th June 2023 at 7:30pm**. Please pray about who you will invite and then bring them along!

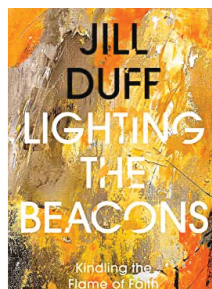


HOPE|EXPLORED

WHAT'S THE BEST FUTURE
YOU COULD EVER IMAGINE?

**A 3-WEEK COURSE
EXPLORING THE HOPE,
PEACE AND PURPOSE
CHRISTIANITY GIVES US
7:30PM, MON 12TH JUNE
PARISH CENTRE, 1 ABINGDON ROAD**

LIGHTING THE BEACONS SERMON SERIES



Our Summer sermon series will be based on the excellent and inspiring book "Lighting the Beacons" by Bishop Jill Duff.

If you want to get a copy you can buy it at all good booksellers. If you want to help the Parish while buying a copy you buy it from bookshop.org

<https://uk.bookshop.org/a/3311/9780281087778>

THE COFFEE POT

We're now open again, 10.30-12.30, after our Easter break and have decided not to continue to provide light lunches as this idea didn't really take off. However, do join us for coffee/tea and cake. We would love to see you.



GIVING

All your donations to the parish support the church's ministry, and our mission to reach the wider community with the good news of Jesus. Apart from the weekly collection, you can also give online. Alternatively, giving regularly by Direct Debit via the Parish Giving Scheme is a brilliant option. For more information or to give online please visit <https://cumnor.org/giving/>

MEMORIES CAFE

Cumnor Memories Café

Come and share your memories at the Cumnor Memories Café
We meet every other Tuesday from 2.30pm to 4pm in the Cricket Club
All welcome
May 9th, 23rd
June 6th, 20th



Contact Jan ☎ 864169 for further details or if you need transport

Memories Café meets once a fortnight in Cumnor Cricket Club. Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 23rd May from 2:30pm until 4pm.**

We are a lively bunch who just like to chat, sharing memories, over a cup of tea and cake. We would love to see you. If you would like to know more please contact **Jan Harris on 01865 864169.**

TODDLER GROUPS

ST MICHAEL'S

The St Michael's Toddler group meets on Wednesday mornings in the Parish Centre, 1 Abingdon Road. Each session costs just £1 and runs from **9am-11am** during term times. The group is open to everyone.

St Michael's
TODDLER GROUP



**Wednesdays
from 9am-11am**
St Michael's Parish Centre
1, Abingdon Road, Cumnor

Run by Dianne (862165)
and Angela (864397)

£1 per session
Term-time Only

For more details please contact **Dianne Taylor (01865 862165)** or **Angela Evans (01865 864397)**



ST ANDREW'S

The St Andrew's Toddler group meets on Friday mornings in St Andrew's Church, Orchard Road. Each session has a suggested donation of just £1 and runs from **9:30am-11am** during term times. The group is open to everyone.

For more details please contact **Sue on 01865 864991**

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Saturday 24th June

Sale of Lead and Lecture by Edward Impey

Sunday 1st October

St Michael's Patronal Festival and 50th Anniversary
Celebration of Andrew Dyer as Organist