

FORTHCOMING SERVICES

SUNDAY 17TH MARCH - LENT 5

Theme: End of the Age

Readings: Mark 13:1-8, 24-37, Psalm 102:12-17

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Jonathan Widdess

Preacher: Jonathan Widdess

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

10:30am Holy Communion

Leader: Jean Pryce-Williams

Preacher: Chris Scruby

SUNDAY 24TH MARCH - PALM SUNDAY

Theme: Triumphal Entry

Readings: Mark 11:1-11, Psalm 118:25-29

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: David Wenham

Preacher: Chris Sugden

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

10:30am Big Story Sunday

Leader: Jonathan Widdess

Preacher: Jonathan Widdess

ST MARY'S, FARMOOR

3:30pm Hymns & Cake

Leader: Jessica Turner

PLEASE PRAY FOR...

- † King Charles and the Royal Family as he is being treated for cancer.
- † Israel & Gaza: Pray for healing. Pray that people in the Bible Lands will be released from the burden of both physical and mental wounds. Ask God to restore hope to people most affected by the war.
- † The ongoing situation in Ukraine.
- † The family and friends of Hazel Young as they grieve.
- † A new move of the Holy Spirit in our Parish, and this nation.
- † Those joining in with the Lent Course, Saint's Alive!
- † Our CMS mission partners Simon and Sarah Cawdell in Gulu, Uganda.

HOME COMMUNION & HOME VISITING

If you or someone you know would value home communion, someone to pray with, a visit, or simply a phone call, please let Jonathan know.

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NEWSLETTER

SUNDAY 10TH MARCH 2024

Theme: Great Commandment

Readings: Mark 12:28-44, Psalm 89:1-4

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Family Service

Leader: David Wenham

Preacher: Jessica Turner

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

8am Holy Communion

Leader: John Rees

Preacher: John Rees

10:30am Mothering Sunday

Leader: Jonathan Widdess

Preacher: Jonathan Widdess



COLLECT FOR MOTHERING SUNDAY

God of compassion,
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,
and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself:
strengthen us in our daily living
that in joy and in sorrow
we may know the power of your presence
to bind together and to heal;
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.

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Mothering Sunday

Sunday 10th March
All-Age Service, 10:30am

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LENT COURSE - SAINT'S ALIVE!

The Lent Course continues on **Tuesday evenings**, from **7:30pm to 9pm** in **St Andrew's Dean Court**. All welcome!

MEMORIES CAFE

Memories Café meets once a fortnight at Cumnor Cricket Club. Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 12th March** from **2:30-4pm**. If you would like to know more please contact **Jan Harris** on **01865 864169**.

COFFEE POT @ ST ANDREW'S

Coffee Pot is on Thursdays from 10.30-12.00. Join us for coffee, tea, cake, and a chat. We would love to see you!

BABY & 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 time. The group is open to everyone.

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 £1 per family and runs from **9.30am to 11am** during term time. The group is for pre-school children with an adult and is open to everyone: you will be very welcome. For more details please contact **Sue** on **01865 864991**

EASTER SERVICES AT ST ANDREW'S

Good Friday (29/3)

10:30am Hymns and Reflections for Good Friday
2-4pm Messy Church

Easter Day (31/3)

10:30am Easter Celebration with Communion, for all ages



EASTER **MESSY CHURCH**

Friday 29 March 2-4pm

Crafts **Food** **Story**

FREE!

Specially for primary-age children with an adult—or bring the whole family!

at St Andrew's, Orchard Rd OX2 9BH
Book your places: office@cumnor.org Parish office: 01865 861541

www.standrewsdeancourt.org.uk

Holy Week & Easter

Palm Sunday (24/3)
10:30am Big Story Sunday

Maundy Thursday (28/3)
7pm Tenebrae Service
(At Cumnor URC)

Good Friday (29/3)
10:30am All-Age Service
2pm The Last Hour at the Cross

Easter Day (31/3)
8am Holy Communion (1662)
10:30am All-Age Communion




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JOIN OUR MISSION

Church is what we make it together, so we need everyone to get involved. One way to do that is by serving on a Sunday. There are opportunities to read the Bible, lead the prayers, join the welcoming teams, and join the refreshments teams. For more details or to volunteer, see David Wenham for roles at St Andrew's or Jonathan for roles at St Michael's

GIVE GENEROUSLY

Giving is an important part of our discipleship. All your donations to the parish support the church's mission and ministry. You can give online, through the collection plate, or best of all by Direct Debit through the Parish Giving Scheme. For more information please visit <https://cumnor.org/giving/>

WORSHIP TOGETHER AS A FAMILY

Messy Church - Friday 29/3, 2-4pm at St Andrew's.
Big Story Sunday - Sunday 24/3, 10:30am at St Michael's
St Andrew's Family Service - Sunday 10/3, 10:30am
During Sunday Services:
Sunday School at St Andrew's.
Colouring and crafts at St Michael's.

SING IN THE ST MICHAEL'S CHOIR

Choir practice is on Friday evenings at 6:30pm. New members always welcome. Please contact Andrew Dyer for more details on 01865 862042 or e-mail: ajdyer47@hotmail.com

RING THE BELLS

The Bellringers meet for 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/>

