SUNDAY 19TH MAY - PENTECOST SUNDAY

Theme: Gifts of the Spirit Readings: Acts 2:1-4; I Cor 12:1-13

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT 10:30am Holy CommunionLeader: David Wenham
Preacher: Eve Lockett

\$T MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR 10:30am Holy CommunionLeader: Jessica Turner

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SUNDAY 26TH MAY - TRINITY SUNDAY

Series: Hear What The Spirit Is Saying
Theme: Intro - Seven Letters from Jesus
Readings: Revelation I:I-I9

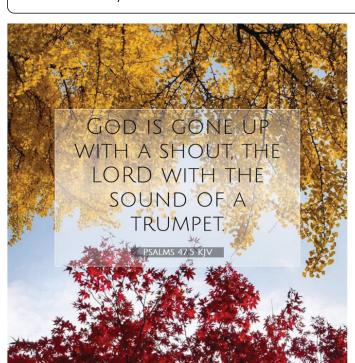
ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT 10:30am Family ServiceLeader: David Wenham
Preacher: Gnanvarm

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR 8am Holy CommunionLeader: Jonathan Widdess
Preacher: Jonathan Widdess

St Mary's, Farmoor 3:30pm Hymns & Cake

10:30am Big Story Sunday
Leader: Jonathan Widdess

Leader: Jean Pryce-Williams



PLEASE PRAY FOR...

- † The families and friends of Roma Vincent and Sheila Catterall as they grieve.
- † The ongoing situation in Israel and Gaza.
- † Our Meeting of Parishioners and APCM which will be held on Sunday 12th May.
- † The year 6s at Cumnor CE School (and the staff too) as they sit their SATs this week.
- † The year 11s at Matthew Arnold as they sit their GCSEs.
- † Give thanks for the many opportunities to share the gospel in prisons. Pray for the right resources and support from organisations like the Bible Society, so no prisoner misses out on knowing Jesus.
- † 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 12TH MAY 2024

Theme: Death Swallowed in Life Readings: I Cor 15:1-26, 51-57

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT
10:30am Morning Worship
followed by APCM
Leader: David Wenham

8am Holy Communion Leader: John Rees Preacher: John Rees

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

COLLECT FOR EASTER 7

Preacher: Jonathan Widdess

Risen, ascended Lord, as we rejoice at your triumph, fill your Church on earth with power and compassion, that all who are estranged by sin

may find forgiveness and know your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

Amen.

APCM

The Meeting of Parishioners and Annual Parochial Church Meeting will be held on Sunday 12th May at St Andrew's Dean Court. There will be a United Parish Service at 10:30am and the business meetings will follow at about 11:15am. We will aim to finish by 12:15pm. We have vacancies for Churchwarden, Deanery Synod and PCC members. Please prayerfully consider whether you might be able to serve the Parish in these important roles.

The Annual Report and Financial Statements, and 2023 Review are available now at https://cumnor.org/apcm-2024/

Hard copies are available from the back of both St Michael's and St Andrew's, along with a short financial summary from the PCC.

CELEBRATING 30 YEARS OF WOMEN PRIESTS

Jessica Turner celebrates 30 years as an ordained priest on May 14th. We'll be celebrating with her at the 10:30am Service in St Michael's on 19th May. There will be a celebration cake during the refreshments after the service.

TIME TO PRAY

Thursday 16th May, 2-3pm

An opportunity to gather to pray together in St Andrew's. All welcome.

MEMORIES CAFE

Memories Café meets once a fortnight at Cumnor Cricket Club. Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 21**st **May** from **2:30-4pm**. If you would like to know more please contact **Jan Harris** on **01865 864169**.

THINKING ABOUT PASTORAL CARE

Saturday 15th June 2024, 10am-12:30pm Parish Centre

To explore how the Bible, Jesus's example, and the Anglican tradition may inform our approach to pastoral care in the parish today and begin to identify some next steps. Open to all who are interested in contributing to this important conversation.

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 **gam-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**

JOIN OUR MISSION

Church is what we make it together, so 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

Big Story Sunday - Sunday 26/5, 10:30am at St Michael's

St Andrew's Family Service - Sunday 26/5, 10:30am During Sunday Services: Sunday School at St Andrew'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/