#### SUNDAY 14TH JULY - TRINITY 7

Series: Hear What The Spirit Is Saying

Theme: Laodicea: Let Me In!

Readings: Revelation 3:14-22, Matthew 7:7-11

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

**10:30am Holy Communion** Leader: David Wenham

Preacher: Chris Scruby

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

8am Holy Communion

Leader: John Rees Preacher: John Rees

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Jonathan Widdess Preacher: Jonathan Widdess

#### SUNDAY 21st JULY - TRINITY 8

Series: Jonah: Man Overboard

Theme: Running from God

Readings: Jonah I

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

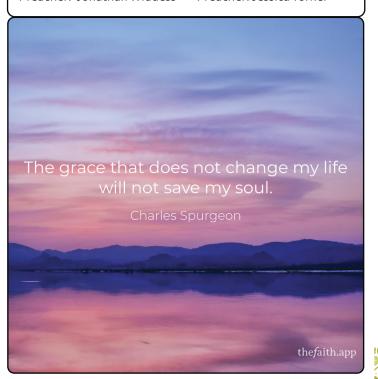
10:30am All Age Service Leader: Jonathan Widdess

Preacher: Jonathan Widdess

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

10:30am Holy Communion

Leader: Jessica Turner
Preacher: Jessica Turner



# PLEASE PRAY FOR...

- † Candidates who are disappointed, and especially former MPs and their staff as they clear their offices.
- † Wisdom and strength for all who have been elected to serve as MPs.
- † The Prime Minister as he appoints colleagues to the Cabinet and other senior posts. Pray for vision, wisdom and compassion for all as they begin the demanding work of government.
- † The General Synod meeting from 5<sup>th</sup> -9<sup>th</sup> July in York.
- † The conflict in Israel and Gaza.
- † The war in Ukraine.
- † Our CMS mission partners Simon and Sarah Cawdell in Gulu, Uganda.
- † The family and friends of Cicely Rackliff as they grieve.
- † David Henderson-Slater, walking from Land's End to John O'Groats to raise money for Oxford Hospitals.

# 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 7TH JULY - TRINITY 6

Series: Hear What The Spirit Is Saying Theme: Philadelphia: Endure Patiently Readings: Revelation 3:7-13, Mark 13:9-13

**ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT** 10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: David Wenham Preacher: Chris Sugden

**ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR** 10:30am Holy Communion

Leader: Jonathan Widdess Preacher: Eve Lockett

#### COLLECT

Creator God, you made us all in your image: may we discern you in all that we see, and serve you in all that we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen.

#### Messy Church

Our next Messy Church is on Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> July, 2-4pm in St Michael's. It's faith-building fun for families with Primary aged and younger children. There's crafts and activities, worship and food together to finish. Let us know you're coming at office@cumnor.org

#### AN UNUSUAL VISITOR

One of the joys of ministering in a beautiful, village church is meeting some of the many and varied visitors to St Michael's. This week, I discovered that a small kestrel was roosting for the night in the Transept. Oxfordshire Wildlife Rescue advised that the best thing to do was to leave it overnight and then keep the doors open the next day so it could make it's



own way out. When Richard Mayon-White opened up on Tuesday morning, it had moved into the nave and he set it free by opening the

clerestory window. Many thanks to him, not least for cleaning up after our unusual guest!

## DAVID HENDERSON-SLATER - SPONSORED WALK

David Henderson Slater is walking from Land's End to John O'Groats. It's all in aid of Oxford Hospitals Charity. You can follow his progress on his <u>Instagram</u> page (davidhendersonslater) and support him using his Just Giving page - <a href="https://cumnor.org/dhswalk">https://cumnor.org/dhswalk</a>

#### BIBLE STUDY GROUP

# St Andrew's Church, Wednesdays 7.30pm-9pm

Studying Colossians, with meetings on 10th, 17th - and probably 24th July. Continuing on with another book if people are interested. Come along when you can, everyone welcome.

Any questions please contact David or Sue Allwright at <a href="mailto:susan.allwright@btinternet.com">susan.allwright@btinternet.com</a>

#### **MEMORIES CAFE**

Memories Café meets once a fortnight at Cumnor Cricket Club. Our next meeting is on **Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July** from **2:30-4pm**.

If you would like to know more please contact **Jan Harris** on **o1865 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!

#### **August Drop-Ins**

**Thursdays** from **10.30-12.00** will be for Coffee Potters, but also for others including children (with parents) on school holiday. There will be games (from table tennis to board games), crafts, light refreshments.

Please come and help - we need volunteers to welcome people, to play games and to help with crafts.

#### 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** 

# 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 <a href="https://cumnor.org/giving/">https://cumnor.org/giving/</a>

# WORSHIP TOGETHER AS A FAMILY

Big Story Sunday - Sunday 28/7, 10:30am at St Michael's

St Andrew's Family Service - Sunday 21/7, 10:30am

Other weeks - 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.

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