

THANKS FROM THE WIDDESS FAMILY

As we prepare to step into a new chapter, I want to say a heartfelt thank you for the journey we've shared. There's been joy, challenge, and plenty of learning—sometimes the hard way—but I'm grateful for all we've walked through together.

Thank you too for the generous leaving gifts and kind words—they've touched us deeply and speak volumes about the heart of this parish. Last Sunday's farewell will linger in our hearts and minds. As Paul writes in Philippians, "I thank my God every time I remember you." My prayer is that this parish continues forward with peace, purpose, and the grace of Christ lighting the way.

📍 The Vicarage, Vowles Close, Hereford. HR4 0DF

BIBLE STUDY

We have completed studies in John's Gospel and are now having a summer break. In September we plan to be reading and discussing another book of the Bible. Everyone is very welcome; come whenever you can.

📅 Wednesday 10th September 7.30pm-9pm

📍 St Andrew's, Dean Court

☎ Sue (01865 864991)

MEMORIES CAFE

Memories Café meets once a fortnight and is a chance to enjoy a chat about the old days. The next sessions after 22nd July will be 19th August!

📅 Tuesday 22nd July, 2:30-4pm

📍 Cumnor Cricket Club

☎ Jan Harris (01865 864169)

COFFEE POT @ ST ANDREW'S

Coffee and chat for the whole community. Dogs on leads please. We will be taking a break for a few weeks after 7th August but will be returning on 4th September.

📅 Thursdays, 10:30am-12pm

📍 St Andrew's, Dean Court 💰 Refreshments: £1

BABY & TODDLER GROUPS

St Michael's

The St Michael's Baby & Toddler group meets on Wednesday morning during term time. This group is for any pre-school children with an adult, and everyone's welcome. We will be taking a break now through the Summer holidays but we look forward to welcoming old and new faces on Wednesday 3rd September.

📅 Wednesdays, 9am-11am (term-time)

📍 Parish Centre, 1 Abingdon Road

☎ Dianne (01865 862165) or Angela (01865 864397)

St Andrew's

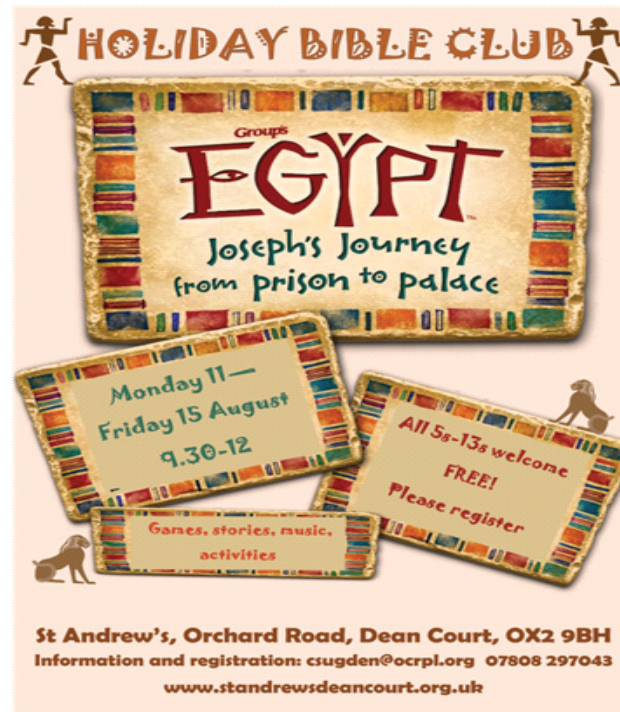
The group is for any pre-school children with an adult and everyone is very welcome; please do tell friends and neighbours.

The group won't be meeting over the summer but we plan to start again on Friday 5th September.

📅 Fridays, 9:30am-11am (term-time)

📍 St Andrew's, Dean Court

☎ Sue (01865 864991)



JOIN OUR MISSION

Help us make Sundays more welcoming and worshipful—could you read, pray, greet, or serve refreshments? Speak to the Churchwardens to get involved.

GIVE GENEROUSLY

Join us in shaping the life of our church through giving—every gift makes a difference. The best way to give is by Direct Debit through the Parish Giving Scheme, but you can also give online or in church.

🔗 cumnor.org/giving

WORSHIP TOGETHER AS A FAMILY

St Michael's Family Service:

Sunday 28th September 2025, 10:30am

St Andrew's Family Service

Sunday 20th July, 17th August 10:30am

Other weeks: Sunday School at St Andrew's

DOGS IN CHURCH

Well-behaved dogs on leads are allowed in St Michael's during services, they can join you during the week or at events like Coffee Pot. Thinking of bringing your furry friend? Please speak to either of the churchwardens ahead of the service.

SING IN THE ST MICHAEL'S CHOIR

Choir practice is on Friday evenings at 6:30pm. New members always welcome.

☎ Andrew Dyer (01865 862042)

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RING THE BELLS

The Bellringers meet for practice on Wednesday evenings from 7:30-9pm.

☎ Jenny Dyer (01865 862042)

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🔗 cumnorbellringers.uk/

Sunday 27th July 2025 (Green)

Theme: Kingdom Parables

Readings: Matthew 13:24-43

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

8:00 am Holy Communion

Leader: John Rees

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Jessica Turner

Preacher: Jessica Turner

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: David Wenham

Preacher: Chris Scruby

ST MARY'S, FARMOOR

10:30am Hymns & Cake

Leader: Jessica Turner

Sunday 3rd August 2025 (Green)

Readings: Hosea 11:1-11, Luke 12:13-21

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

10:30am Holy Communion

Leader: Jean Pryce-Williams

Preacher: Jean Pryce-

Williams

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Elliott Miller

Preacher: David Wenham

We always know when Jesus is at work because He produces in the commonplace something that is inspiring.

Oswald Chambers

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Please Pray For...

- † Melanie Clapton, and her family.
- † Chris Evans, and his family.
- † Jonathan, Amanda and family as they move to their new parish in Hereford.
- † The Bible Club at St Andrews particularly for the children who will attend and the volunteers.
- † Our CMS mission partners Simon and Sarah Cawdell in Gulu, Uganda.
- † Pray for the work of Christians Against Poverty (CAP) as they help people trapped in problem debt.
- † Each of us to have a conversation about Jesus this week with someone who doesn't know him yet.
- † One of your friends or family to come to Christ this year.

HOME COMMUNION & HOME VISITING

If you or someone you know might welcome home communion, a quiet time of prayer, a visit, or simply a friendly chat on the phone, please don't hesitate to let one of the Churchwardens know.

We're here to come alongside with care and support.

DURING THE INTERREGNUM PLEASE CONTACT...

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PARISH OF CUMNOR

NEWSLETTER

Sunday 20th July 2025 (Green)

Theme: Sowing and Reaping

Readings: John 4:31 - 38

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

10:30am Holy Communion

Leader: Jean Pryce-Williams

Preacher: Eve Lockett

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Family Service

Leader: Elliot Miller

Preacher: Chris Sugden



COLLECT FOR 5TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your name,
increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy keep us in the same;
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.