

PCC MET ON MONDAY

We were pleased to hear the news that we can start the process to appoint a new vicar. We discussed the timetable for that to happen. This will begin with a wide consultation among church members, our local community and people who have roles in our community, to establish their views on priorities for the appointment. The next stage after that will be the creation of a Parish Profile, and then advertising the post, and the stages to agree an appointment.

We also discussed plans to progress the work of the churches in the autumn, beginning with the belief that an interregnum is not a time to stay where we already are, but a time to move forward. We discussed plans for the children's holiday club, finance and fabric, and a plan to commemorate Esme Wyatt's life and work in an event in the autumn, probably on Sunday the 21st of September.

MEMORIES CAFE

Memories Café meets once a fortnight and is a chance to enjoy a chat about the old days.

- 📅 Tuesday 19th August, 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

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)

BABY & TODDLER GROUPS

St Michael's

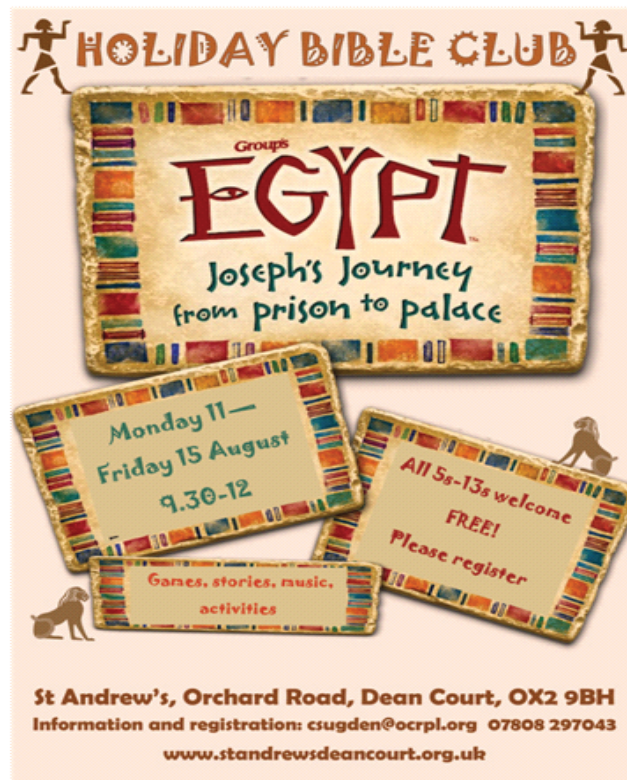
The St Michael's Baby & Toddler group are taking a break for the summer but will meet on Wednesday mornings during term time. This group is for any pre-school children with an adult, and everyone's welcome. We look forward to welcoming old and new faces on Wednesday 3rd September.

- 📅 Wednesdays, 9am-11am (term-time)
- 📍 Parish Centre, 1 Abingdon Road
- 📞 Dianne (01865 862165) or Angela (01865 864397)

St Andrew's

The group won't be meeting over the summer but we plan to start again on Friday 5th September. The group is for any pre-school children with an adult and everyone is very welcome; please do tell friends and neighbours.

- 📅 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 17th August 2025, 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)
- ✉ ajdyer47@hotmail.com

RING THE BELLS

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

- 📞 Jenny Dyer (01865 862042)
- ✉ jadyer55@hotmail.com
- 🔗 cumnorbellringers.uk/

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

Sunday 10th August 2025 (Green)

Readings: Hebrews 11:1-16, Luke 12:32-40

ST MICHAEL'S, CUMNOR

8:00 am Holy Communion

Leader: Jessica Turner

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: Jean Pryce-Williams
Preacher: Jean Pryce-Williams

ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: David Wenham
Preacher: Jessica Turner

No good work is done anywhere
without aid from the Father of
Lights.

C. S. Lewis

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Please Pray For...

- † Colin Burnie.
- † The churchwardens and PCC as they endeavour to move forward over the next few months, which are inevitably very busy
- † 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.

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 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

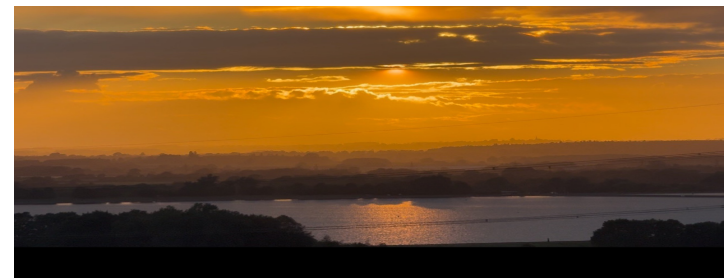
ST ANDREW'S, DEAN COURT

10:30am Morning Worship

Leader: David Wenham
Preacher: Chris Scruby

ST MARY'S, FARMOOR

10:30am Hymns & Cake
Leader: Jessica Turner



COLLECT FOR 6TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

Merciful God,

you have prepared for those who love you

such good things as pass our understanding:

pour into our hearts such love toward you

that we, loving you in all things

and above all things, may obtain your promises,

which exceed all that we can desire;

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