

Services Next Sunday— 17 June 2018

3rd Sunday after Trinity

St Mary's 8am Holy Communion (BCP) Leading: Rev Victor Story
Reading: 2 Corinthians 5: 6-10 [11-13] 14-17 (Matthew Carpenter)

St James' Chapel Over Norton 9.15am Morning Worship Leading: Judith Marshall

St Mary's 10.45am Family Communion (with Creche, Ignite, 'Oneway' & Ablaze)

Leading: Rev James Kennedy Preaching: Emma Kennedy
Reading: Matthew 5:27-32 (Bill/Jo Rees) Prayers: Ann Lewis

6.00pm Confirmation of Olivia Riley & Eric Machiwenyika by Bishop Colin

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N.B. James takes his rest day on a Friday

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St Mary's is a caring fellowship.

Being a member of a **Small Group** is the best way to make sure you are both cared for, and able to care for others. For more information about joining a group please email smallgroups@stmaryscnorton.com. Otherwise, if you or anyone you know is sad or unwell, in hospital or in need of any other support, please let the Church Office know. We have a team of pastoral visitors who would love to help.



Chipping Norton

Sharing the life-changing love of Jesus
serving our whole community

10th June 2018

2nd Sunday after Trinity

Morning Worship

Your will be done: God & Money—giving in secret GIFT DAY

'Store up for yourselves treasure in heaven... for where your treasure is, there your heart will be also.' Matthew 6. 20-21

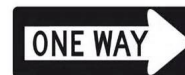
Welcome to today's service!

It's our Gift Day! Do you remember the refrain, 'God is good, all the time. All the time, God is good!'

Once a year, we express that together as we give 'over and above' our regular giving. Five projects have been chosen which will support the work of God's Kingdom. It's exciting to have the opportunity to, together, help provide Bibles for Burundi, an incredibly needy and traumatised country but with some amazing church leaders. (Roger and I know because we've been there and worked with them!) The work of Innovista sounds brilliant!! It's great, also, to be able to push forward in getting screens for the church so everyone can see wherever they sit, to upgrade the Trinity Room and to bless our Chippy community at the Fun Day.

Jesus draws a stark contrast between 'treasures on earth' and 'treasures in heaven'. Of course, we need the things of this world - to live and God wants us to enjoy them too - but where is our treasure? What are we 'banking'? Are we 'banking' things of eternal value or trying to build up a splendid 'portfolio' on earth? Jesus tells us to invest wisely and to give secretly (so secretly, that our left-hand doesn't know what our right-hand is doing). Oh, and no smug smiles either....

Ursula Simpson



During our 10.45 service, to serve our families, we run a supervised crèche (for under 3s), Ignite (for 3-5 year olds) OneWay (for children aged 6-11), and Ablaze (for youth aged 11-16). Everyone is welcome!

Services This Sunday— 10 June 2018

2nd Sunday after Trinity

St Mary's 8am Holy Communion (BCP) Leading: Rev Jackie Jones
Reading: 2 Corinthians 4:13—5:1 (Barbara Ambrose)

St James' Chapel Over Norton (No service on 2nd, 4th & 5th Sundays)

St Mary's 10.45am Morning Worship (with Creche, Ignite, 'Oneway' & Ablaze)

Leading: Rev James Kennedy Preaching: Rev Ursula Simpson
Reading: Matthew 6:1-4, 19-24 (Helen Pooley) Prayers: Linda & Mark Carpenter

12.45 Church Lunch in the Parish Rooms.

Praying round the Deanery. This week: St Nicholas, Idbury

Please pray for the church whilst they are in interregnum and for the church wardens Pat Yaxley and Mary Champness.

*****NOTICES*****



Welcome tea

If you have joined in the last few months or feel new to St Mary's we'd love you to join us for our Welcome Tea in the Vicarage Garden on Sunday 1st July 3-4.30pm). Please speak to James or Emma K after the service or sign on Sign-Up sheet at the back of the church.

Confirmation Service on Sunday 17th June at 6pm

Two of the young people in our church family (Olivia Riley and Eric Machiwenyika) will be confirmed by the Bishop of Dorchester next Sunday evening (6pm at St Mary's). Please do come along to support them if you can. If you are able to help with providing or serving refreshments after the service, please contact emma.bayley@stmaryscnorton.com. Thank you.

Immersion Baptism

We are hoping to hold a service in July in which we will be baptising by full immersion (date tbc). If you have been thinking about taking this step yourself, please speak to James Kennedy (vicar@stmaryscnorton.com).



Encounter (24th June)

Encounter is back again on the 24th June... The summer is here, the BBQ is lit and we're welcoming you with drinks and a burger at 5.30pm before our service begins at 6pm. Join with us for another great evening of worship and a talk about someone who encountered Jesus for themselves. Our prayer is that you would encounter God's people and personally encounter Jesus and his life changing love at St Mary's...We'd love to see you there!

Alpha (Session 6 on Tuesday 5 June)

Please continue to pray for our guests and leaders on Alpha, for week 6 at 7.00pm on Tuesday evening, and also that God will really work among us on the away day on Saturday 16 June.)



CHURCH DIARY

THIS WEEK - 11—16 June 2018

- Mon 11 June** **Come for Tea** (2.30-4pm in Parish Rooms)
St Mary's Pilates (6—7pm in Parish Rooms)
Marriage Course (7.45—9.45 in Parish Rooms)
- Tue 12 June** **Alpha Course Session 6** (7.00-9.00pm in Parish Rooms)
Set up 6pm
- Wed 13 June** **St Mary's Minis** (10—11.30am in Parish Rooms)
- Thurs 14 Jun** **Midweek Communion + coffee** (10am in Parish Rooms)
- Fri 15 June** **Remix Youth Club** (3.15—4.45pm at Glyme Hall)
- Sat 16 June** **Alpha Away Day** (10am—4pm at Burmington Mill -
postcode CV36 5AF)
CN Choral Society's Community Singing Day Performance
Vivaldi's Gloria & Chilcott's The Voyage. (5.30pm at St Mary's)

CALENDAR OF FURTHER EVENTS

- Sun 17 June** **Confirmation Service** (6pm in the church).
- Wed 20 June** **Pilgrimage Paths Guided Walk Charlbury to Shorthampton**
(10am depart from St Mary's Charlbury)
- Sat 23 June** **Boy's Hike** (Dep 9am from CN School coach park. Ends at 10.30)
Boy's Breakfast in Parish Rooms.
- Sun 24 June** **Encounter Service** (6pm in the Church)
Men's Curry Night (8 pm in Spice of India, CN)
- Sat 30 June** **Toby Artis' s Ordination** (2pm in Christ Church Cathedral, Oxford)
Tickets available from Eileen Head (eileen.head@chch.ox.ac.uk)
Even if you can't make it to the service Toby would love you to meet him and his family for Tea in the Parish Rooms from 4.30pm.
- Sun 1 July** **Welcome Tea** (3—4.30pm in Vicarage Garden)
- Sat 7 July** **Men's Breakfast** (8.30-10am in Parish Rooms)
Caerphilly Mens' Voice Choir concert (7.30pm in the church)
Friends event.
- Tues 10—Sun 15 July** **'Explore Life' - a mission week in the North Cotwolds**
- Thurs 12 July** **Healing seminar and service (with John Woolmer)**
(6.30—9.30pm in the church)
- Sat 14 July** **Chippy Fun Day** (12-3pm on The Common)
- Sun 15 July** **Guest Service (with Warren Furman—'Ace' from Gladiators)**
(10.45am in the church).

For further information, please contact the Church Office