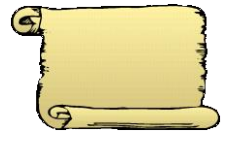


Parish of Cirencester with Watermoor and Chesterton



Sunday 2nd September, 2018

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The deadline for notices in the pew leaflet is midday Wednesdays.

Mothers' Union Wave of Prayer. This year our allocated time is from 2pm until 3pm on Monday September 3rd and will be held at Mulberry Court, kindly arranged by Audrey Forrest and will be followed by refreshments courtesy of Audrey.

Mothers' Union. Our next meeting is on Wednesday September 5th at 2.30pm in Watermoor Church Hall. Our guest speaker is Ailsa O'Connor from the Churn Project. There will also be a Bring & Buy Stall. All are welcome at our meetings, members or not.
Kathie Cottey

Cirencester with Fairford Deanery Mothers' Union is holding a Coffee Morning at St Lawrence Church Hall on Saturday September 15th from 11am until 1pm. There will be a bring & buy stall, also a sale of pre loved Children's Clothing and a raffle. All monies raised will go towards our work with families at home and Overseas.
Rosemary Roberts, Deanery Leader

Gloucestershire Historic Churches Trust Annual Ride & Stride event is on Saturday 8th September and raises funds for the county's churches. I will be cycling on behalf of St John Baptist and am looking for sponsors. Please consider sponsoring me if you can - I have raised well over £1000 for our church in recent years and would like to make this the best year yet! You'll find a sponsorship form at the stewards' desk in the Parish Church and one in the Parish Office or ring me on 07962 124035 to make a pledge. Thank you.
Ailsa O'Connor

New Lighting : LED lighting is to be installed in Holy Trinity commencing at 2pm on 3rd September 2018 and the work is expected to take about 3 weeks. The Church will be closed during this work from Monday to Friday, for security and everyone's safety. The Church will be open as usual on Sundays for services and Saturdays so that, for example, cleaners and flower arrangers can have access. Wednesday evening services will continue normally as will Tuesday evening bell ringing practice. This work will be under the direction of Tim Herbert of H. J. Herbert [Electrical Engineers] Limited, Preston. Contact Terry Hopegood on Cirencester 653007, if you have any questions.

Prayer Morning: on Thursday September 6th at 10.30am at 22 Abbey House, Cirencester, Tel. 01285 655900. Do come and join in our prayers for our Church, our town and the needs of our world. Stay for coffee and biscuits. *Val Manson*

Rev. Canon Graham Morris. The licensing service for our new vicar, the Reverend Canon Graham Morris, will be held in the Parish Church on Saturday 22nd September at 4.00pm.

Cirencester Classic Cars will be hosting our second Show of the year in the market place on Sunday 23rd September, 2018. We will be taping off the market place once again to ensure there are no injuries with parking cars. People will still be able to access the church while the tape is up however we ask them to enter the market place through an entrance by one of the parking attendants who will move the tape for them to ensure their safety.

Quiz at Watermoor Hall: Saturday 29th September at 7:30pm. The quiz is in aid of new lighting that is needed in Watermoor church. Tickets are £10 to include a ploughmans supper and will be on sale at the Parish Office and in the three churches.
Carol Radway

The Men's Group next meeting will be held on Tuesday 4 September 2018, the venue (as usual) being The Crown at 17 West Market Place, Cirencester GL7 2NH: arrival from 7.45pm, for 8.15pm start. The speaker will be Rev Julian Wilson. We very much look forward to seeing you there!

This Sunday's Services (2nd September)

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity
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Parish Church

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Rosemary Franklin
10.00am	Eucharist	Revd Rosemary Franklin
6:00pm	Evening prayer	Revd Canon Howard Gilbert With Mr. Richard Marlowe

Holy Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Paul Springate
10:00am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Howard Gilbert

St. Lawrence

10:30am	Eucharist	Revd Paul Springate
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Next Sunday's Services (9th September)

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

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Parish Church

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Canon Howard Gilbert
10.00am	Eucharist	Revd Canon Howard Gilbert With The Right Revd David Jennings
6:00pm	Evening prayer	Revd Julian Wilson With Revd Canon Dr. Philip Thomas

Holy Trinity

8.00am	Holy Communion	Revd Rosemary Franklin
10:00am	Eucharist	Revd Rosemary Franklin

St. Lawrence

10:30am	Eucharist	Revd Julian Wilson
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Readings for next Sunday 9th September

The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

Isaiah 35, 4 – 7a

James 2, 1 – 10 , (11 – 13) 14 - 17

Mark 7 24 - end

Daily Services at St John Baptist (Parish Church)

Morning Prayer – 9:00 am (Subject to clergy availability)

Eucharist – 12 noon (Bank Holidays at 10:00am)

Evening Prayer – 4:00 pm (Subject to clergy availability)

Dates for the next week

Monday 3rd September: Gregory the Great, Bishop of Rome, Teacher of the Faith, 604.

- 9:30am Organ practice (Parish Church)
- 11:00am Wedding Duke/Saunders (Holy Trinity)
- 7:00pm Cirencester Male Voice Choir (Parish Church)

Tuesday 4th September: Birinus, Bishop of Dorchester, Apostle of Wessex 650.

- 11:00am Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 2:30pm Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 6:30pm Bell Ringing Practice (Parish Church)

Wednesday 5th September:

- 9:00am Drop in (St Lawrence)
- 11:00am Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 2:00pm Mothers' Union (Watermoor Church Hall)
- 2:30pm Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 7:00pm Eucharist (Holy Trinity)

Thursday 6th September: Allen Gardiner, Missionary, Founder of the South American Missionary Society, 1851.

- 11:00am Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 2:00pm Little Angels (Parish Church)
- 6:00pm Sing it! (The Town Hall)
- 7:30pm Parish Choir Practice (Parish Church)

Friday 7th September: Evurtius, Bishop of Orleans.

- 2:30pm Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 5:00pm Wedding Rehearsal (Parish Church)

Saturday 8th September: The Birth of the Blessed Virgin Mary.

- 9:00am HERITAGE OPEN DAY (Parish Church)
- 10:00am Tower opening (Parish Church)
- 11:00am Guided Tour (Parish Church)
- 1:30pm Wedding Dyke/Nicholas (Parish Church)
- 3:00pm Tower opening (Parish Church)

Sunday 9th September:

- 9:00am HERITAGE OPEN DAY (Parish Church)