



St Michael and St Mary

Information for the week beginning

16th June 2019

Trinity Sunday

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion (St Michael's)

9.30 a.m. Parish Communion (St Michael's)

6.00 p.m. Evensong (St Mary's)

Contacts

Key information is available on <http://www.stmichaels-parishchurch.org.uk/> or via the Parish Office: 01727 835037 (9.00 a.m.–12.00 p.m. Monday, Tuesday, Thursday and Friday)

Resources for today's 9.30am service

Children's groups are running in the Parish Centre and school. If you have children with you in church who need to take a break, the tower room contains toys and books.

Today's readings are:

Proverbs 8: 1-4, 22-31 (p. 541 in the Old Testament section of the pew Bibles)

Romans 5: 1-5 (p. 143 in the New Testament section of the pew Bibles)

John 16: 12-15 (p. 103 in the New Testament section of the pew Bibles)

..... and will be read by *Viktoryia Young and Sue Dyson*

*Between the first and second readings the choir sings **Psalm 8***

○ Lord our Governor, how excellent is thy Name in all the world :
 thou that has set thy glory above the heavens!
Out of the mouth of very babes and sucklings hast thou ordained strength,
because of thine enemies :
 that thou mightest still the enemy, and the avenger.
For I will consider thy heavens, even the works of thy fingers :
 the moon and the stars, which thou hast ordained.
What is man, that thou art mindful of him :
 and the son of man, that thou visitest him?
Thou madest him lower than the angels :
 to crown him with glory and worship.
Thou makest him to have dominion of the works of thy hands :
 and thou hast put all things in subjection under his feet;
All sheep and oxen :
 yea, and the beasts of the field;
The fowls of the air, and the fishes of the sea :
 and whatsoever walketh through the paths of the seas.
○ Lord our Governor :
 how excellent is thy Name in all the world!

Prayers will be led by Susanna May

*During communion, the choir sings "Holy, Holy Holy!" in a musical setting by **Tchaikovsky**.*

The words are found as Hymn 202.

Toilets are available in the Parish Centre at the east end of the churchyard.

Please stay for refreshments after the service in the Parish Centre.

Week beginning Sunday, 16th June 2019

Monday	9.00 a.m.	Morning Prayer (St Michael's)
Tuesday	9.00 a.m.	Morning Prayer (St Michael's)
	9.45 a.m.	Tiny Tots (Parish Centre)
Wednesday	10.30 a.m.	Holy Communion (St Michael's)
Thursday	9.00 a.m.	Morning Prayer (St Michael's)
Friday	9.00 a.m.	NO Morning Prayer (St Michael's)
	7.45 p.m.	Choir practice (St Michael's)
Saturday	1.30 p.m.	Marriage of Sam Goulson and Marta Wachowska (St Michael's)

Next Sunday 23rd June 2019 - First Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion (St Michael's)
9.30 a.m.	Parish Communion (St Michael's)
6.00 p.m.	Evensong (St Mary's)

... and for reflection, next Sunday's readings will be

Isaiah 65: 1-9
Galatians 3: 23-29
Luke 8: 26-39

Please remember in your prayers

those preparing for ordination at Peter-tide, among them

Charles King

those to be married

Sam Goulson and Marta Wachowska

those who are ill

Jacqui Follett
Jo Frost
Desmond Gaskell
Debbie Greenwood
Helen Huson

Liz Kassel
Beryl Milnes
Alice Reardon
Cora Marie Varshney
Barbara Woodward

those who have died
Stuart Kerr

Notices

St Mary's Childwick is now open! Do call in any time between 9am and 5pm, seven days a week.

FOR YOUR DIARY - Sunday, 23rd June Parish Walk and BBQ - a great afternoon for all ages and dogs! 2pm - leave St Michaels; 3-5pm BBQ and community gathering in the enclosed garden behind St Mary's (AL3 6JJ). This afternoon will include the latest information about the parish's plans for a toilet extension being built this summer. Indications of intent on the sheets in both churches would help our planning.

Charles' ordination to the Priesthood – save the date. Charles will be ordained priest (alongside other curates around the diocese) on **Saturday 29th June at 4pm in the Cathedral**. He will preside at the Eucharist for the first time during the 9.30am service in St Michael's on Sunday 30th June. Please get these dates into your diaries: all members of St Michael's and St Mary's should make it a priority to support these celebrations - exciting events for us all as well as for Charles! **Kenneth**

St Michael's Folk Night - Wednesday 3rd July 7-10pm

Live music, dancing, drink and food – St Michael's Street and Churchyard Folk Night is our single most significant profile-raising opportunity in the year; come and celebrate your church's place at the heart of its community.

Save the dates! Medieval Daze, 20th and 21st September, a festival of fun at Kingsbury Barn, organised by the **Friends of St Michael's**. This will be preceded by **An Evening with Harry Christophers** discussing the 40th anniversary of his world famous ensemble, The Sixteen, in St Michael's church on Tuesday, 17th September. Details to follow...

Wednesday mornings: due to the ongoing experiment of refreshments for parents after the 9am service, the **Wednesday communion service** will continue to start at 10.30am at least until the end of July.

Hot off the press! Do collect your latest copy of the *Parish News* and of *Alban Life*.

Parish News, your local church magazine, is published ten times a year and is available in hard and electronic copy; to discuss options, please contact Sandie North on sandrich2@btinternet.com.

Alban Life, the quarterly diocesan magazine, is available in free hard copy from the back of both churches.