# WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!

# NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 27<sup>th</sup> JULY 2025

# The Sixth Sunday after Trinity



Here for Christ – here for you

A very warm welcome if you are joining us today. Please join us for refreshments after the 10am service.

Our services are in Church and on Zoom. We usually video the 8am and 6pm sermons and 10am service and upload them on Facebook later. If you would like to join any of our services on Zoom, please ring 250844 or email Catherine Richmond on services@christchurch-eaton.org.uk for the details.

If you would like a visit from Patrick the Vicar, or more information, please fill in one of the Welcome Cards you will find in the pews and hand it to Patrick, a warden or a sidesperson.

8 am	BCP Holy Co	mmunion (Collect and readings p.165)
10 am		munion Hosea 1:2-10 (Old Testament p.850) Colossians 2:6-19 (New Testament p.198) Luke 11:1-13 (New Testament p.69) Like the murmur of the dove's song - Alan Smith
	Voluntary:	<i>Jazz Toccata on Cwm Rhondda</i> - arranged by Nora Rechel
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12 noon Christening of Florence Baker

6 pm BCP Evensong in church and on Zoom 1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 42:1-25 (Old Testament p.40) 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 1 Corinthians 10:1-24 (New Testament p.168) Voluntary: The 'Little' Fugue in G minor (BWV 578) -J S Bach

Our Organist this week is Nora Rechel

Christ Church is usually open for Private Prayer from 10.30am to 4pm each day Charity of the Month: Mercy Ships - bringing health care to the forgotten poor. Please see the display at the back of church, where there is a donation bowl. Alternatively, visit mercyships.org.uk

#### **NEWS AND NOTICES**

#### **Office Closure**

The office will be closed on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> and Tuesday 29<sup>th</sup> July for staff leave.

#### Lost Property Box Emptying

The Lost Property box (at the back of the Church, next to the Food Bank Box) is now overflowing. Could you please check to see if there is anything in there that you have lost as this box will be emptied at the end of July. Any unclaimed items will be either recycled, taken to a charity shop or binned. *Thank you* 

#### Canon Ivan Bailey RIP

Ivan's funeral is at 2pm, Monday 11<sup>th</sup> August, at St Andrew's Church. Please pray for Ivan's family at this time.

#### **Attendance Figures**

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13 <sup>th</sup> July:	
8am:	15
10am:	56 adults, 4 U16s
6pm:	16
20 <sup>th</sup> July:	
8am:	14
10am:	66 adults, 1 U16
6pm:	18

## **EVENTS**

# Events are at Christ Church unless otherwise stated Monday 28<sup>th</sup> July Parishes Office closed - reopens Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> at 10am

- 2.00 pm Chat over a Cuppa. All welcome
- 2.30 pm Holy Communion at The Hawthorns, Unthank Road. All welcome

Sunday 3<sup>rd</sup> August Foodbank Collection

#### Monday 4<sup>th</sup> August

2.00 pm Chat over a Cuppa. All Welcome

#### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> August

9.45am-12noon Summer Workshop for Children Aged 5-11, St Andrew's Church Hall, NR4 6NW.

# Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> August

- 10.30 am Funeral of Mervyn West at Earlham Crematorium
- 12 noon Deadline for September Parishes Magazine. Please send contributions via email to magazine@eatonchurches.org.uk or leave in the Parishes' Office
- 2.30 pm Meeting of Old Eatonians at St Andrew's Church Hall. Afternoon Tea Plus. Ann Copsey (259257)

Donate to Christ Church



## SERVICES FOR SUNDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> AUGUST The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

8 am	BCP Holy Communion		
	(Collect and readings p.167)		
10 am	Family Communion		
	(Hosea 11:1-11; Colossians 3:1-11; Luke 12:13-21)		
6 pm	BCP Evensong		
	(Genesis 50:4-26; 1 Corinthians 14:1-19)		

## YOUTH AND CHILDREN

Please pray for:

Youth and children's work in our two parishes

The Summer Workshop on 5<sup>th</sup> August and the Autumn Workshop on 1<sup>st</sup> November

The children, their families and the Workshop leaders

The weekly children and youth activities

The year-round cycle of Workshops and All-Age Services

Heavenly Father, we thank you for these workshops and the opportunities to learn about you. Please open our hearts and minds to your word. Help us to understand your teachings and to apply them to our lives. Guide us as we learn and grow together in faith. Amen.

Vicar: Patrick Richmond Day off Friday, 01603 250844, vicar@christchurch-eaton.org.uk Organist and Choirmaster:

Matthew Wright On sabbatical until 1<sup>st</sup> September

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#### PRAYER SUGGESTIONS Join us for Morning Prayer on Zoom at 9am, Mondays-Fridays

## Collect

Creator God, you made us all in your image: may we discern you in all that we see, and serve you in all that we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Church and Local Concerns

We pray for Florence as she is christened. We ask for God's blessing on her, her family and friends. We give thanks for Nora, who has been our organist in July and pray for Ellie, David and Matthew as they play in August. We pray for all in our parishes, particularly those who live and work in Coach House Court, Caroline Court and Christchurch Road.

# A Prayer for Peace in Israel and Gaza

Heavenly Father, we pray for the many people whose lives have been torn apart by conflict in Gaza and Israel. We pray especially those who have died, those who are grieving, the injured and those now without food, shelter or medical supplies. Strengthen and support the work of all relief organisations. We pray also for those who have the power to bring peace. May they be touched by a spirit of compassion and kindness. Lord hear us as we pray in the power of your Spirit, through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen (elycathedral.org)

#### The Sick and Suffering

We pray for those who are suffering in mind, body or spirit. We pray for those who have asked for our prayers, including Bobs, Carrie, Phil Cooke, Anna Dunlop, Evangeline Fischer-Harrison, Penny Furze, Trish Hill, Chris Hobbs, Vivien Humber, Paul James, John Ladd, Caroline Richmond, Dick and Val Rout, Jonathan Spelman, Ruth and Stephen Thorp, Ruth Thorp's mum, Joan and Garry Wheatley, Charlotte and Angus.

#### The Departed

We remember and give thanks for all who have gone before us. We pray particularly for the families and friends of Madge Atkins, Ivan Bailey and Mervyn West. Help us comfort those who mourn.