

# WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!

## NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 13<sup>th</sup> JULY 2025



### The Fourth Sunday after Trinity Sea Sunday

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](mailto: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 a warden or a sidesperson.

- 8 am**      **BCP Holy Communion** with the Rev'd Colin Reed  
(Collect and readings p.162)
- 10 am**      **Family Communion** with the Rev'd Kate Belcher  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Psalm 107:23-31 (Old Testament p.571)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Colossians 1:1-14 (New Testament p.197)  
Gospel: Luke 10:25-37 (New Testament p.68)  
Anthem: *Be still for the presence* - Evans/Shephard  
Voluntary: *Voluntary for Organ no. 5* - Léon Boëllmann
- 6 pm**      **BCP Evensong** in church and on Zoom  
1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Genesis 32:9-30 (Old Testament p.30)  
2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: Mark 7:1-23 (New Testament p.40)  
Voluntary: *Prelude in A minor (BWV 543)* - J S Bach

**Our Organist this week is Nora Rechel**

**Our grateful thanks to the Rev'd Colin Reed and to the  
Rev'd Kate Belcher for taking our services this Sunday  
while Patrick is at General Synod**

**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](http://mercyships.org.uk)

## **NEWS AND NOTICES**

### **Talk@2 on 18<sup>th</sup> July**

*Jesus, through Indian eyes* - Jackie Barry, 2pm, Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July in Christ Church. There are very few non-European images of Christ and the disciples. What does that say about how we imagine gospel stories? Are we open to images of Christ that don't look like us? As a person of colour, Jackie asked herself this question and she reflected on it during her study leave in 2022. A former secondary school teacher, Jackie has been ordained for 25 years.

### **Parking Kindly**

When parking on Church Avenue between the Church and Christchurch Road, please park on the same side as others to avoid a slalom. *Thank you*

### **The Bishop's Certificate in Christian Learning**

This course, which starts in September, is open to all over 18 who are looking to learn more about the Christian faith. For full details visit: [dioceseofnorwich.org/mission-and-ministry/vocations/the-bishops-certificate-in-christian-learning/](http://dioceseofnorwich.org/mission-and-ministry/vocations/the-bishops-certificate-in-christian-learning/)

### **Advance Notice: Office Closure**

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

### **Welcome Rucksack Project**

The Norwich Justice and Peace Group is an ecumenical group that meet at the St John the Baptist Cathedral. One of their projects is the Welcome Rucksack Project, providing rucksacks for asylum seekers and refugees. They are looking for somewhere where they could store and prepare the rucksacks that was secure but accessible to their volunteers - a garage, out-house or something similar would be ideal. They could fit it out with racking and locks. If you know of anywhere that might be suitable, please contact Mark Webb (07802 588845)

### **Attendance Figures**

29<sup>th</sup> June:

8am:	12
10am:	55 adults, 1 U16
6pm:	11

6<sup>th</sup> July:

8am:	17
10am:	77 adults, 7 U16s
6pm:	22

## **ADVANCED NOTICE FOR ALL AUGUST NOTICES**

Notices for *ALL* of August should be with Catherine Richmond (250844, [notices@christchurch-eaton.org.uk](mailto:notices@christchurch-eaton.org.uk)) by 10am on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> July as there will be one notice sheet for all of August. *Thank you*

## EVENTS

*Events are at Christ Church unless otherwise stated*

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup>**      *Patrick at General Synod until evening of 15<sup>th</sup>*

**Monday 14<sup>th</sup>**

2.00 pm    *Chat over a Cuppa.* All welcome

2.00 pm    Mission Focus meeting. All welcome

2.30 pm    Holy Communion at Chiswick House. All welcome

7.30 pm    PCC meeting

**Thursday 17<sup>th</sup>**

10.00am    Mothers' Union BCP Holy Communion at St Andrew's led by Patrick.  
All welcome

**Friday 18<sup>th</sup>**

2.00 pm    Talk@2. All Welcome. See notices for information

**Monday 21<sup>st</sup>**

2.00 pm    *Chat over a Cuppa.* All welcome

**Saturday 26<sup>th</sup>**

12.15 pm    Eaton Mothers' Union Members' lunch at the Cellar House. *Jenny Holcombe (452429)*

1.30 pm    Wedding of Carla Buckingham and Robert Collins

## SERVICES FOR SUNDAY 20<sup>th</sup> JULY

**The Fifth Sunday after Trinity**

8 am        BCP Holy Communion

(Collect and readings p.163)

10 am       Family Communion with the Rev'd Andrew Parsons

(Amos 8:1-12; Colossians 1:15-28; Luke 10:38-42)

6 pm        BCP Evensong

(Genesis 41:1-16,25-37; 1 Corinthians 4:8-13)

**Vicar:** Patrick Richmond

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**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**

Gracious Father, by the obedience of Jesus you brought salvation to our wayward world: draw us into harmony with your will, that we may find all things restored in him, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

### **A Prayer for Seafarers**

Lord God, we depend on you for life itself, and on seafarers to meet so many of our daily needs. Watch over all who go down to the sea in ships - on business, for leisure, or to rescue those in peril or difficulty. Keep them from danger, befriend them in loneliness, and bring them safely home to those they love; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

### **Church and Local Concerns**

We give thanks for all who work in our local health and social services. We pray for all in our parishes, particularly those who live and work in Branksome Close, Branksome Road and Buckingham Road.

### **General Synod**

We pray for wisdom for the members of General Synod as they meet this weekend. Guide their discussions on matters of national security and army chaplaincy, the growth and

governance of your Church, the well-being of our clergy, redress for those who have been wronged, and environmental stewardship. Grant them grace to speak with love and truth, and to work together for the flourishing of your kingdom and the good of your people. Amen.

### **The World**

We pray for those affected by climate change, praying especially for those affected by the recent flooding in America and by the heatwave affecting parts of our country.

### **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.

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