### **WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!**

# NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 19th OCTOBER 2025



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# The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

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 sermon 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 Communion (Collect and readings p.185)

**10 am** Family Communion with activities for the young

1<sup>st</sup> Reading: Jeremiah 31:27-34 (Old Testament p.746) 2<sup>nd</sup> Reading: 2 Timothy 3:14 - 4.58 (New Testament p.210)

Gospel: Luke 18:1-8 (New Testament p.78)
Anthem: Teach me O Lord - Matthew Camidge

Voluntary: Psalm Prelude Set 1 No 1 - Herbert Howells

6 pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

## Christ Church is usually open for Private Prayer from 10.30am to 4pm each day

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Charity of the Month: Tearfund (www.tearfund.org) - working with churches across the world to tackle poverty and injustice through sustainable development. Please donate at the back of church or online

#### **NEWS AND NOTICES**

#### Eaton Mothers' Union

10.30am, 22<sup>nd</sup> October, in church. Hannah Worsley, project manager of the Norwich Foodbank, will be speaking. All welcome.

#### A Big Thank You

- To all who prepared the Church for Harvest
- To all who organised and supported the Harvest Supper
- To all who gathered and delivered harvest gifts and produce
- To Ian, Hugh, Ruth, Colin, Simon and Richard for cutting the hedges around the church

#### Fish and Chip Lunch

12.30pm, Fridays 14<sup>th</sup> November. If you would like to join others for a fish and chip lunch, please sign the sheet on the noticeboard at the back of church. Numbers need to be known in advance, payment in cash on the day please. *Bridget Archer* (07756937656)

#### Office Update

Please pray for Ruth Thorp, our office administrator, and her family following the death of her mum, Sheila Short. Ruth is on compassionate leave for four weeks. Please bear with us if parish administration takes a little longer than usual, or if the Office has to be closed. Thank you

### The Original Norwich Charity Card Shop

Is open at St Peter Mancroft Church 14<sup>th</sup> October to 13<sup>th</sup> December, Monday to Saturday 10.45am - 3pm.

#### Attendance Figures

5<sup>th</sup> October:

8am: 14

10am: 72 adults, 10 U16s

6pm: 15

12<sup>th</sup> October:

8am: 15

10am: 62 adults, 12 U16s

6pm: 27

#### SERVICES FOR SUNDAY 26th OCTOBER

The Last Sunday after Trinity - The Nineteenth Sunday after Trinity (BCP)

8 am BCP Holy Communion with the Rev'd Mike Marshall

(Collect and readings p.186)

10 am Family Communion with Archdeacon Keith James

(Joel 2:23-32; 2 Timothy 4:6-8,16-18; Luke 18:9-14)

6 pm Evening Prayer on Zoom

Notices for Sundays 26<sup>th</sup> October and 2<sup>nd</sup> November should be with Catherine Richmond (250844, notices@christchurch-eaton.org.uk) by 10am on Monday 20<sup>th</sup> October. There will be one notice sheet covering both Sundays. *Thank you* 

#### Events are at Christ Church unless otherwise stated

#### Sunday 19th October

3.00 pm Eaton Concert Series in Partnership with Norfolk Black History Month at St Andrew's. Piano recital by Adam Heron (BBC Young Musician finalist, 2018; winner of the 2020 Harriet Cohen Bach Prize). Music by Handel, Bach, Chopin. Tickets: £15, students £7.50, children free. More information: eatonconcertseries.co.uk/events

#### Monday 20th October

2.00 pm Chat over a Cuppa. All welcome

#### Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> October

10.30 am Eaton Mothers' Union. Norwich Foodbank - Hannah Worsley. All welcome. Ruth Vaughan (504849)

#### Monday 27th October

Chat over a Cuppa. All welcome 2.00 pm

2.30 pm Holy Communion at The Hawthorns, Unthank Road. All welcome

#### Wednesday 29th October Patrick on retreat until Friday evening

#### Saturday 1st November

9.45 am-12noon Autumn Workshop for Children (aged 5-11) at St Andrew's Eaton

10.00 am Choir rehearsal

#### Sunday 2<sup>nd</sup> November Foodbank collection

#### DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

- Sunday November 9th, 10am, Communion for Remembrance Sunday
- Tuesday November 11<sup>th</sup>, 10.45am, Armistice Day Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial, Newmarket Rd
- \* Saturday 15th November 10am-12.30pm, Autumn Fair in aid of our Mission Partners, at St Andrew's Church Hall, Eaton. Please see the October magazine for more details.
- \* Sunday November 23<sup>rd</sup>, 10am, Festival Communion for Christ the King with guest preacher the Rev'd Richard Lamey, Diocesan Director of Mission and Ministry, and sparkling refreshments
- Sunday November 30th, 6pm, Candlelit Advent Carol Service for the Beginning of Advent
- Sunday December 7<sup>th</sup>, 3.30pm, Memorial Service for the Departed. A time to remember loved ones who have died, with an opportunity to light candles.
- Saturday December 20th, 1.45pm, Christmas Christingle Workshop for children aged 5-11 at St Andrew's Eaton
- Sunday December 21st, 6pm, Candlelit Christmas Carol Service
- Wednesday December 24<sup>th</sup>, 3.30pm, Nativity service for all ages Wednesday December 24<sup>th</sup>, 11.30pm, Candlelit Midnight Communion Service
- Thursday December 25th, 8am, BCP Communion
- Thursday December 25th, 10am, All age Christmas service with communion

#### PRAYER SUGGESTIONS

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

#### Collect

Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

#### **Church and Local Concerns**

We pray for our local schools as half term approaches and for the growth of our ministry to schools, children and young people, and the Autumn Workshop. We pray for all in our parishes, particularly those living in Meadow Rise Ave, Meadow Rise Close, and Melrose Road.

#### The World

We pray for peace throughout the world, praying that the ceasefire in Gaza will be maintained. Following the recent report by the Climate Change Committee, we pray for our government that they will prepare our country for weather extremes.

#### Mission Partners

We give thanks for Dick and Caroline Seed as they mark 25 years of serving with CMS across Africa. We pray for preparations for Caroline as she goes to Angola in November and for the online postgraduate diploma in higher theological education they lead, which starts in February.

#### Climate Change

Dear Lord, we seek Your guidance for sustainable practices and solutions. Help us to find new ways to reduce our environmental impact and to live in harmony with nature. May our efforts be fruitful and lead to a healthier planet for future generations. Amen (prayerlit.com/prayers-for-climate-change)

#### 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 Amelia, Bobs, Sheila Bootman, Carrie, Claire, Phil Cooke, Anna Dunlop, Evangeline Fischer-Harrison, Penny Furze, Trish Hill, Chris Hobbs, Vivien Humber, Paul James, Jessica, John Ladd, Caroline Richmond, Dick and Val Rout, Jonathan Spelman, Joan and Garry Wheatley, Ros Wright, Charlotte and Angus.

#### The Departed

We remember and give thanks for all who have gone before us. We pray particularly for the family and friends of Sheila Short, Ruth Thorp's mum. Help us comfort those who mourn.

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