

WELCOME TO CHRIST CHURCH!

NOTICE SHEET FOR SUNDAY 29th JUNE 2025



Here for Christ – here for you

The Second Sunday after Trinity Saints Peter and Paul, Apostles

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 Communion** with the Rev'd Colin Reed
(Collect and readings p.158)
- 10 am** **Family Communion** with celebration of the 40th
anniversary of the Rev'd Colin Way's priesting
1st Reading: Acts 12:1-11 (New Testament p.127)
2nd Reading: 2 Timothy 4:6-8,17,18 (New Testament p.211)
Gospel: Matthew 16:13-19 (New Testament p.17)
Voluntary: *Nun Danket Alle Gott* - Sigfrid Karg-Elert
- 6 pm** **BCP Evensong** in church and on Zoom
1st Reading: Ezekiel 34:11-16 (Old Testament p.817)
2nd Reading: John 21:15-22 (New Testament p.113)
Voluntary: *Aria* - Flor Peeters

Our Organist this week is Elinor Hanton

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

Charity of the Month for June: *Mission Aviation Fellowship* (maf-uk.org)
flying medical supplies, doctors, and nurses to places no one else can reach and
ensuring critical care gets to where it's needed most.

NEWS AND NOTICES

Church Warden Update

Our new Warden, Simon Girling, was officially sworn in at a service in Sprowston last Monday. Ruth Vaughan will kindly be one of our deputy wardens and remains on Deanery Synod and the PCC. Our thanks to Ruth for all her hard work as Warden and Lay Chair of the PCC for the last three years.

Come & Sing Choral Evensong

The next of our *Come & Sing* Choral Evensongs is next Sunday 6th July. Rehearsal at 4pm, bring and share tea for choir and congregation at 5pm, service at 6pm. All welcome.

Organist Thanks

Our grateful thanks to Ellie for being our organist this month whilst Matt is on sabbatical.

Concert Thanks and Total

Thank you to all who organised and supported the concert by The Anglian Singers last Saturday. £589 was raised for *The Friends of Christ Church Eaton*

Summer Fair Thanks

Enormous thanks to everyone who helped and came to the Summer Fair last Saturday on June 14th. Over £1,400 was raised to go towards work with children and young people, and an enjoyable afternoon was had by all. *Caroline Gibbs*

Ed: Our thanks to all who organised to the Fair, especially to Caroline, who is retiring as lead organiser

Talk@2 in July

Jesus, through Indian eyes - Jackie Barry, 2pm, Friday 18th 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.

Charity of the Month Donations

Christ Church and St Andrew's raised £640 for Christian Aid (May's charity) bringing the total donated to nominated monthly charities this year to £2,288. Thank you to all who have given so generously. *Donations Team*

Hedge Cutting Thanks

Our grateful thanks to Richard Rivett and the team for cutting the hedges

Attendance Figures

15th June:

8am: 18
10am: 74 adults, 10 U16s
6pm: 19

22nd June:

8am: 12
10am: 70 adults, 2 U16s
Baptism: 50 adults, 9 U16s
6pm: 14

SERVICES FOR SUNDAY 6th JULY

The Third Sunday after Trinity

8 am	BCP Holy Communion (Collect and readings p.160)
10 am	All-age Communion with Christening of Mateo Webster (2 Kings 5:1-14)
6 pm	<i>Come & Sing</i> Choral Evensong (Genesis 29:1-20; Mark 6:7-29)

SUPPORTING CHRIST CHURCH

Christ Church depends on the help, donations and prayers of many people. Times and lives change and, therefore, following last week's *Giving for Growth* Sunday, please prayerfully consider how you support Christ Church.

Volunteering: There are many different things that need doing at Christ Church, with varying levels of time commitment. How are you helping now? Would you like to try something different? Would you like to help more? Or less? Please speak to Patrick or one of our Churchwardens, if you would like to know more about volunteering at church.

Financial Giving: Planned Giving to the church makes a huge difference in terms of regular income, budgeting and planning. Is your giving at the right level for you? Is it regular? Are you able to Gift Aid? Do you give via the Parish Giving Scheme, which greatly helps with administration and efficiency? Please speak to Tony Grubb or visit christchurch-eaton.org.uk/about-us/giving/ for more information.

Praying: Not everyone is able to give of their time or money. Please pray regularly for Christ Church, for Patrick, the congregation and parish, and all the different activities. Please pray that we may grow in our relationship with God and our community, and in numbers.

Thank you so very much to all who help, donate and pray!

EVENTS

Events are at Christ Church unless otherwise stated

Monday 30th June

2.00 pm *Chat over a Cuppa.* All welcome.

Wednesday 2nd July

2.30 pm Meeting of Old Eatonians at St Andrew's Church Hall. *Peru: the land of the Incas* - Frances Middleton. Ann Copsey (259257)

3.30 pm Funeral of the late Ronalda Bowles at St Faith's crematorium

Sunday 6th July *Foodbank Collection*

Monday 7th July

2.00 pm *Chat over a Cuppa.* All welcome.

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

Tuesday 8th July

9.15 am Town Close House End of Year service

Friday 11th July *Patrick at General Synod until 15th evening*

Notices for Sunday 6th July

should be with Catherine Richmond (250844, notices@christchurch-eaton.org.uk) by 10am on Tuesday 1st July. *Thank you*

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PRAYER SUGGESTIONS

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

Collect for Saints Peter and Paul

Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Collect for the Second Sunday after Trinity

Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails: deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Church and Local Concerns

We pray for our church wardens, Colin and Simon, and for our deputy wardens. We give thanks for Ellie, who has been our organist this month and pray for Nora as she plays in July. We pray for all in our parishes, particularly those who live and work in Albemarle Road, Albert Terrace, Arlington Lane and Beech Drive.

The World

Lord, we pray for unity and cooperation among nations as they address climate change. Help us to work together for the good of the

planet and future generations. May our efforts lead to a sustainable and just world. Amen. (prayerlit.com)

Diocesan Vision Prayer

Christ of transformation, sow deep into the soil of our hearts and parishes, your seeds of prayerful listening, conversation and discernment: then nurture their growth, we pray, with the gentle rains of your Spirit that they may flower and fruit into new ways of revealing the abundant life you offer and long for us to share. Amen.

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, Anna Dunlop, Evangeline Fischer-Harrison, Penny Furze, Trish Hill, Chris Hobbs, Vivien Humber, Paul James, John Ladd, Caroline Richmond, Dick and Val Rout, Neil Rout, Jonathan Spelman, Ruth and Stephen Thorp, Ruth Thorp's mum, Joan and Garry Wheatley, Charlotte, Angus and Phil.

The Departed

We remember and give thanks for all who have gone before us. We pray particularly for the family and friends of Ronalda Bowles. Help us comfort those who mourn.

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