

Welcome to
St Matthew's!

Trinity 9

Sunday
August 18th
2019



Licensing of Jenni and Jon Williams

- Monday 9th September 2019 at 7.30 pm at St Matthew's
- The service will be led by Bishop Stephen and Archdeacon Martin Gorick
- Invitations are on the small table as you enter church – please RSVP by **23rd August** if you plan to attend.

The Revd Jenni Williams and
Revd Jon Williams
who are starting at St Matthew's on
Monday 9th September 2019.



Harvest Festival

- The Service will be on Sunday 8th September.
- Decorating the church will take place at 10.00 am on Saturday 7th September.
- Please speak to Ann Poulter if you can help in anyway.
- The Emergency Food Bank will collect the dried/tinned food/toiletries – see list in Service Sheet or on Notice Board.

Emergency Food Bank

The following items are needed at the moment for the foodbank: * *Starred items most critical*

* UHT/Long life milk * Long Life Fruit Juice

* Sugar * Tins Vegetables (not tomatoes or pulses)

* Tins, Packet Puddings.

Also:

Jams/other spreads, Tins Meat, Tins Fruit, Cereal, Biscuits, Bottled Sauces, Coffee/Hot Chocolate and Practical Toiletries
When donating food please ensure that items have a 'sell by date' of at least 3 months and is clearly marked.

The Collecting Box is on the side by the Community Notice Board.

Tuesday Prayer Meeting

Every Tuesday evening

In the Vestry

18.45 – 19.30

Coffee and Cake

Drop in Coffee and Cake for Carers and Children over the summer holidays:

An invitation to join us at coffee and cake: a time to relax with other carers and children. Upstairs in the Gallery on the following Thursdays:

August 22nd, 29th between 10am and 12 noon.

For more information please ring Jo Hutchence on 01865 891812 / 07960027901

Parish Giving Scheme

- The PGS is a national scheme which helps churches by replacing standing order giving with centralised direct debits.
- Everyone should feel free to continue to give to the church in any way they prefer but we want to encourage to join the PGS.
- Information packs are available at the back of the church, or please speak to our parish's PGS Co-ordinator: John D Price, 26 Trinity Street, OX1 1TY, 07801 448929 / john@pricejd.com

ChildrenHeardandSeen

- Are looking for volunteer mentors.
- See Poster on Noticeboard
- volunteers@childrenheardandseen.co.uk

Court Hill Weekend

This year our annual trip for children and youth to Court Hill is Saturday/Sunday 19/20th October.

The cost is £30 for those staying overnight (second child only £20).

£10 for those just staying for the day.

We need extra leaders, helpers and cooks.

Please let us know if you'd be willing to help.

More details to follow – mark the date in your diary!

Thank you. Kate Smith

Oxford Schools Chaplaincy

- Are looking for a full time Director.
- See Notice Board for details.
- Closing Date: 11 September

Other Notices

- There are more notices in the Service Sheet and Posters on the Notice Board by the refreshments table.