

READING MINSTER

of St. Mary the Virgin



Sunday 11th October 18th Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to the Minster pew and sofa sheet.



We hope that you enjoy your Sunday.

Worship at the Minster

11.00 am Sunday Eucharist

Midweek communion

Every Wednesday from at **1.05pm** at the Minster.

If you are coming to the Minster, either on a Sunday or Wednesday please do wear a mask and do bring a small bottle of water to drink with you, as it can be uncomfortable to wear the mask for so long.



Live streamed Service (available anytime)

<https://www.oxford.anglican.org/coronavirus-covid-19/livestream/>



8.10 am Radio 4 Sunday Worship



The priory and the pottery

Canon Edwin Counsell and the Rt Rev June Osborne with a service from Ewenny Priory and Ewenny Pottery.

1.15 pm BBC 1 Songs of Praise Prisons Sunday



Claire McCollum visits the Clink restaurant in Styal, partly run by prison inmates who are being given the chance of a fresh start in life by being trained in a fine dining restaurant.

Supporting the work of the Minster

If you would like to help support this this aspect of our ministry financially with either a 'one off' donation or a small regular donation, in the following ways;

Standing Order

Name: **St Marys PCC** Sort code: **30-96-96** Ac no: **00184583**

By setting up a standing order it gives the Minster the opportunity to better gauge regular and committed income.

A Standing Order Form can be sent to you at your home address (or emailed to you) for return to the office. Another advantage of giving this way is that you can "GiftAid" it so the Minster receives the basic rate income tax (25%) back from the HMRC.

Transfer or Cheque

Alternatively, If you would like to make a one off contribution, please use the bank details above or you can write a cheque to '**Reading Minster of St Mary the Virgin PCC**'.

All will be gratefully received.

Thank you to all who have contributed so generously over the past few months, your contributions really do make a huge difference.

Prayers

Please pray for:

Rupert, Tony, Franky, Bunty, Joyce, Victoria and Dudley, David and Cynthia, Pat and Tony, Chloe, Chris and Baby Summer, Pam, Fiona and Valerie.

God of compassion,
be close to those who are ill, afraid or in isolation.
In their loneliness, be their consolation;
in their anxiety, be their hope;
in their darkness, be their light;
through him who suffered alone on the cross,
but reigns with you in glory,
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

Please let us know of anyone you would like us to pray for

Sofa News



Lovely talks and hymns and prayers
give it a try I have 😊



A free phone line of hymns,
reflections and prayers



<https://launchpadreading.org.uk/get-involved/our-events/big-sleep-out/>

Diocesan Personal Discipleship Plan



Everyday faith

Identifying your gifts and developing a Personal Discipleship Plan

The Personal discipleship plan is open to all who would like to explore their faith further.

Please follow the link below or ask one of the team.

<https://www.oxford.anglican.org/personal-discipleship-plan/>

Finally, please contact us if you need any practical help or support or would just like a chat with a tea or coffee over the phone.

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