WELCOME TO ST MICHAEL'S

If you are a visitor or new to the parish, we welcome you warmly.

All Masses are live streamed and Mass streaming links can be found at

www.saintmichaelsonningcommon.org.uk

If you would like a home visit please call Fr Michael Tel: 0118 972 3418, Deacon Brian Theobald Tel: 07484332580 or email the parish office.

There is a **Second Collection** this weekend, after all Masses on behalf of the **Catholic Evangelisation Home Mission**

YOUTH MASS THIS SUNDAY, 15TH SEPTEMBER AT 10.30AM

And every 3rd Sunday of the Month during term time

ST MICHAEL'S PATRONAL WEEKEND

please see the flyer for details of the events taking place between
Friday 27th and Sunday 29th September
Including talks by Fr Doyle, A Cheese and wine supper on Friday,
the Shared lunch on Sunday and the craft and produce sale
throughout the weekend. There is a sign up sheet for the shared lunch
at the back of Church.



Congratulations to
Eleanor Sharman
and
Alexander Smith
on their wedding on Saturday,
here at St Michael's.

We welcome into the Church **Isabelle** and **Elodie Windsor** who are to be baptised this Sunday.





Please pray for the repose of the soul and consolation of the family of **Vera Bird** who died on Wednesday at the age of 97. May she rest in peace.

Funeral details to follow.

DATES FOR THE DIARY

These are listed in full on the back of the Thought for the Week

24th Sunday in Ordinary Time

15TH SEPTEMBER, **2024**

Vigil Mass Sunday	5.30pm 9.00 am 10.30 am	Holy Souls People of the Parish Youth Mass
Monday	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Tuesday	12.00 pm	Holy Souls
Wednesday	9.30 am	Holy Souls
Thursday	12.00 pm	Peace in the World
Friday	9.30 am	Holy Souls

25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

22ND SEPTEMBER, 2024

Vigil Mass	5.30 pm	Holy Souls
Sunday	9.00 am	People of the Parish
	10.30 am	Children of the Parish

The Sacrament of Reconciliation (Confession) will be available in the Sacristy this Saturday 14th September, from 10.00am - 10.30am and from 4.45pm - 5.30pm or at any time on request

The Sacrament of the Sick - any time on request, telephone 0118 972 3418

PLEASE REMEMBER THE SICK IN YOUR PRAYERS

Dominic Antão, Catherine Belletty, Phyllis Belletty,
Robert Brooks, Liz Bouchier, Joe Bunton, Savanna Clark, Jean Davies,
Mary Edwards, Bob Ely, Alison Flynn, Mary Hagger,
Rogan Hodgson, Vivien Kear, Jennifer Learmouth, Louise Milledge,
Reuben Muston, Veronica Parker, John Raynard, Elizabeth Rogers,
Fr. Paul Rowan, Dominic Sakrouge, Peppin Sanz, Shirley Trollop.

May the Lord bring them healing and peace.

THE CHURCH GARDENING CLUB

Will meet at 9:30am this Tuesday, 17th September - Weather permitting.

SATURDAY 5TH OCTOBER 11.00AM

A 10km (6mile) walk through our lovely, local Oxfordshire countryside starting at St Michael's Church - the route takes about 3hours to complete with an opportunity to stop and have a drink and a sandwich at the Unicorn pub.

A sign up sheet is at the back of Church—please join us.

The Parish operates in accordance with Statutory Safeguarding Guidance and the National and Archdioceses policies & procedures at all times. Our Parish Safeguarding Representative is Mary Lewis who can be contacted at: sg.stmichael.sonningcommon@rcaob.org.uk or alternatively the Diocesan Safeguarding team can be contacted by telephoning: 0121 230 6240 or emailing safeguarding@rcaob.org.uk if you have any concerns.

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Entrance antiphon:

Give peace to those who wait for you, that your prophets be found true. Hear the prayers of your servant, and of your people Israel.

Psalm response: I will walk in the presence of the Lord, in the land of the living

Acclamation: Alleluia, Alleluia! I am the Way, the Truth and the Life, says the Lord; no one can come to the Father except through me. Alleluia!

The Apostles Creed is on page 8.

After the Bidding Prayers:

Hail, holy Queen, Mother of mercy;
hail, our life, our sweetness and our hope!
To you do we cry, poor banished children of Eve;
to you do we send up our sighs,
mourning and weeping in this vale of tears.

Turn then, most gracious advocate, your eyes of mercy towards us;
and after this our exile,
show unto us the blessed fruit of your womb, Jesus.
O clement, O loving, O sweet Virgin Mary.
Pray for us, O holy Mother of God:
that we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

To conclude the bidding prayers:

May He support us all the day long, til the shades lengthen and the evening comes, and the busy world is hushed, and the fever of life is over, and our work is done.

Then, in His mercy, may He give us a safe lodging, and a holy rest, and peace at the last. Amen.

Communion Antiphon: How precious is your mercy, O God! The children of men seek shelter in the shadow of your wings.

The newsletter is also available at www.saintmichael.sonningcommon.org.uk If you do not need to take this one home, please do return it to the console at the back of Church after Mass, so that it can be reused. Many thanks.

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At Caesarea Philippi Peter recognised Jesus...

Who do you say I am? Peter spoke up and said to him,

"You are the Christ."