



m2O Rugby

St Matthew & St Oswald's Church
and Overslade Church

Our vision is to be truly Jesus' disciples.
Growing deeper in **Worship**. Growing closer in **Community**.
Growing further in **Mission**.

Sunday 7 October – Trinity 19

Harvest Services across m2O



10.30am **Morning Worship** - Overslade Church

Title: Harvest
Reading: Luke 19:1-10
Speaker: Mairi Mowbray

10.30am **All Age Worship** – St Matthew & St Oswald's

Title: Harvest
Reading: Luke 19:1-10 {page: 1053 in pew bibles}
Speaker: Charles Higgins

4.30pm **Holy Communion** – St Matthew & St Oswald's

Title: Harvest
Reading: Luke 19:1-10 {page: 1053 in pew bibles}
Speaker: Charles Higgins

WORSHIP

Visiting for the first time today? We are delighted to have you join us. Please make yourself known to a member of the Welcome Team (who will be wearing a badge).



Breathe Quiet Morning. To accompany our 'Breathe: being disciples' sermon series we are offering a quiet morning this **Saturday 13th October, 9.30am-12.30pm.** There will be opportunities for worship and prayer as well as times of quiet and silence. If you've never done anything like this before why not give it a try? There is a sign-up sheet at both worship centres, but don't worry if you haven't signed up you can still join us.

Emma & Charles's final Sunday at m2o will be 28th October. It would be wonderful if as many of the Church family as possible could come to the 10.30am United Service at Lawford Road, then join them for a slice of cake after the service.



***If you would like to make a donation towards their leaving gift, please give all donations to the Church Wardens.

Charles's licensing service at St James' Church, Bulkington, CV12 9JB is on **Wednesday, 28th November at 7.30pm,** to which all are welcome.

We will be running a coach on Sunday 21st October to Coventry Cathedral for Richard's Thanksgiving Service. We have been asked to arrive by 3.15pm so we will need to **gather in the Church car park by 2.30pm.** If you would like to book a seat on the coach please contact Dawn in the office via 330440 or dawn@m2o.org.uk so that we can draw up a list. Seats will be allocated on a first come first served basis and there will be a charge of £5 per person to help cover the cost of the coach.

COMMUNITY



Harvest gifts If you know of anyone who would like a harvest gift, please put their name on the list in the church hall **TODAY.**

*****Helpers needed** tomorrow, Monday 8th October from 12noon to clear St Matthew & St Oswald's Church, bundle up produce and distribute it. If you can help please contact Marjorie Davies, ☎ 810630.

Cake Sale for Christian Aid: Uniformed Groups and the Tea & Toast group will be running a Cake Sale after this morning's service to raise funds for the Christian Aid Harvest Appeal, to support rural women access sustainable energy in Ethiopia, Malawi, Burkina Faso and Honduras. The European Union has agreed to give £4 for every £1 raised in the appeal. Please support this and our cake makers! There will also be some homemade jam and marmalade for sale.



Community Breakfasts. Our thanks to Nicola Tysall's Connect group for hosting this morning's Harvest breakfast and we hope you all enjoyed their offering and spending time together. Breakfasts are looking



for 2 or 3 more individuals to help host next month's breakfast (Sunday 4th November). If you can offer help or would like more details please speak to Glyn Spence or email glyndwrspace@hotmail.co.uk

Harvest Suppers for 6 - Saturday 13th October, 7pm. Do you fancy an evening of good food and good company? If so, **TODAY is the last opportunity** to sign up for our Harvest Suppers for 6, to be a host or a guest. The host provides the main meal, and the guests provide the rest. Sign up in the foyer at St Matthew & St Oswald's Church or contact Debbie Olnor via Olnor.debbie@gmail.com

Operation Christmas Child. The Rugby



Rokeby Lions will be joining us at the 10.30am All Age Service at St Matthew & St Oswald's on Sunday 4th November, to collect our filled shoeboxes. Everyone is invited to take part. Leaflets

giving full details of what to do are now available. Alisdair has a supply of the pre-printed shoeboxes for sale at 50p each. These are ideal for Connect Group meetings to make a few and share packs of toys etc. *Please bring your box to this service as boxes brought in afterwards cannot be accepted.*

Thank you to all who came along to support the Open House for **Toybox** on September 28th. A total of £375 was raised for their work with Street Children in Latin America, India, Kenya and now Nepal. Everyone enjoyed the day and was able to catch up on the news of these projects.

'Tear Fund Big Quiz Night' Saturday November 17th. More information will be available next week.

Make Lunch

. . . Can you help?

We are struggling to find volunteers to cook and run activities over the October Half Term on Tuesday 30th October and Thursday 1st November. We run at Oakfield School between 9am and 2.15pm and we are open to families from 12noon until 1.45pm. If you could help at all during this time please contact Gail Heslop at Gmheslop@hotmail.co.uk. Many thanks.



A Prayer during our time of vacancy.

Heavenly Father, we pray to you during this time of vacancy in our parish. We ask that you will help us to share responsibility, grow in faith, love one another, care for those in need, reach out to others and welcome newcomers. Lord Jesus, guard and grow this church as we serve you together in this period without a vicar. Please guide those who are seeking the right person for us, and those who are seeking the right church for their ministry, that together we may discover your way for the future and see your kingdom grow. **Amen.**

SUNDAY TAKEAWAY

Thoughts you might like to consider:

- What is God saying through this Bible passage?
- How does it apply to your life?
- What do you need to do about it?



~ W H A T ' S O N ~

- Mon 8** 2.00pm *Mothers' Union: chat with tea & cakes*
St Matthew & St Oswald's Church Hall
- Tues 9** 10.00am **Holy Communion - St Matthew & St Oswald's Church**
10.45am *Pitstop Coffee & Chat - St Matthew & St Oswald's Ch hall*
- Wed 10** 7.00pm *Youth Group - m2o Church Centre*
- Thu 11** 2.00pm *Thursday Fellowship, Speakers from Rugby Youth for Christ*
Howard Room
5.30pm *Messy Church - Overslade Community Centre, Buchanan Rd*
- Sat 13** 9.30am *Quiet Morning*
7.00pm *Harvest Suppers for 6*
- Sun 14** 10.30am **Morning Worship - Overslade Church**
10.30am **Holy Communion - St Matthew & St Oswald's Church**
Children's groups - m2o Church Centre
- Tues 16** 10.00am **Holy Communion - St Matthew & St Oswald's Church**
10.45am *Pitstop with Boccia - St Matthew & St Oswald's Church hall*
- Wed 17** 9.15am *Coffeebreak - St Matthew & St Oswald's Church Hall*
7.00pm *Youth Group - m2o Church Centre*
- Thu 18** 2.00pm *Thursday Fellowship: Speaker ~ David Long - Howard Room*



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