Our 10.15am Sunday Service

Welcome **Opening** Prayer **Song** 1000 hallelujahs Introduction to the theme Children and youth leave for their groups Confession Assurance of Forgiveness **Song** I am who you say I am Affirmation of Faith Reading 1 Psalm 36: 5-10 Reading 2 John 2: 1-11 **Song** Water you turned into wine Talk **Prayers** The Lord's Prayer Ending with song Lord I come to you Children and youth return from their groups Church Family News

After the service please join us for refreshments, and remember there are

Blessing

people willing to pray with you in confidence.

Online Services:

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This week and upcoming

Sunday 19th January 8.45am Holy Communion 10.15am Morning Worship Monday 20th January 10-11.30am Toddler Group in Church 7.30pm PCC Meeting in Church Room **Tuesday 21st January** 9am Tuesday Prayers 6.30pm Regency Dancing in Church Room 7pm Youth Group Wednesday 22nd January 7-9pm Highworth Historical Society in Church Thursday 23rd January 7.30pm Bellringing Practice Friday 24th January 9.15am Friday Blessings Saturday 25th January 10am-12pm Coffee Morning in Church Room in support of Christian Aid Sunday 26th January 10.15am Holy Communion followed by Wedding Administration Day in Church Monday 27th January 7pm Prayer Hour in Church Room **Tuesday 28th January** 10.30am Meet Eat Greet in Church **Thursday 30th January** 2pm Memorial Service for Rachael Cocks 7.30pm Leaders and Preachers Meeting at the Vicarage

<u>Sunday Services</u> 8.45am - 1st and 3rd - Holy Communion 10.15am - 1st, 3rd and 5th - Morning Worship 10.15am - 2nd and 4th - Holy Communion



Sunday 19th January 2025

his Sunday we think about the celebration of the Wedding that Jesus with his family and friends were invited to at Cana in Galilee.

It's the beginning of his ministry – and although not many of the huge number of visitors there may have realised, Jesus turned this regular wedding celebration into something extraordinary.

Jesus famously said that he had come that we may have life – and have it abundantly – "in all its fullness". Are we always aware of this kind of abundance of life that God has for us and longs to bring to our everyday lives, relationships and experiences?

Do we always stop and look for the extraordinary in the ordinary?

Where is Jesus doing the extraordinary in our own ordinary lives, our Church and our communities today?





Tuesday Prayers: Prayers are held in church every Tuesday morning from 9am. We come together to pray for the week ahead.

Friday Blessings:

Blessings are held in church every Friday morning from 9.15-9.45am. It is a time for everyone to come together to bless the Town.

Prayer Hour:

The next prayer hour is on Monday 27th January 2025 2024 at 7.30pm in the Church Room. Please do consider joining us. It is vital that we join together to pray for our church, our community and the wider world.

Get in touch

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... during these weeks of Epiphany:

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new : transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

... for those unwell in body, mind or spirit:

Lord Christ, shine upon all who are in the darkness of suffering, anxiety or grief, that in your light they may receive hope and courage, in your mercy obtain comfort and relief, and in your presence find rest and peace. Amen

> ... and for God's blessing to be on all who live in Blandford Mews and Botany.

Lord, hear us. Lord, graciously hear us. Amen

Prayer Chain:

To commit to join the prayer chain or if you have something for which you would like specific or urgent prayer, please email smprayerchain@yahoo.com All requests are confidential.

News and Event

Dates for your diary

St Michael's dates for Link sorting are Friday 28th March and Friday 26th September.

Early Holy Communion

From February, the early Holy Communion service on the first and third Sunday will move to the new start time of 8.30am.

Enjoy a coffee after Sunday service?

Ever wondered who makes the coffee ready for refreshments after Sunday service? You may be surprised to find we don't have coffee elves working away in the kitchen. We are very grateful to everyone who steps in to serve coffee after the service and could do with a few more people to set up and put the coffee on prior to the service. If you think you could spare 20 minutes every so often, please speak to Phil or Pam and we'll sign you up. Julie

Fancy your hand as Gordon Ramsey?

The youth team could do with a hand in the kitchen on a Tuesday evening to cook and serve the youth their hot meal. Full oven training will be given. The youth are grateful for their meals which can be something with chips, jacket potato and cheese etc. Cooking not your thing? There's always the washing up and clearing away the meal afterwards! Speak to Bella or Jo if you think you can help on the odd Tuesday.

Eco Tip

In the kitchen

When making a cup of tea, only boil the amount of water that you need. You waste electricity (and money) heating water you won't use.