

Welcome to our Service



**United MMU Service at St. Michaels,
Galleywood, 10.00am**

Readings: [Hosea 11. 1-11](#) and [Luke 12.13-21](#)

Sunday Services will continue to be streamed on Facebook

CHS: <https://www.facebook.com/widfordparishchelmsford/>

St Mary's: <https://www.facebook.com/stmaryswidford/>

WIDFORD PARISH MISSION STATEMENT PRAYER

Loving Heavenly Father, please help us to grow to be more like Jesus. We want to get to know Christ together by loving one another, serving others and being at the heart of our community. Lord Jesus please encourage us on our way. Amen

This will be the last Churchtalk until September

The office will be closed during August, listed below are the Church Service locations together with the collect and reading for that week.

Sunday 7th August, Holy Communion at St. Mary's, 9.30am

Collect

Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings: Hebrews 11. 1-3, 8-16 and Luke 12. 32-40

Sunday 14th August, All Age Worship/Holiday Club at CHS, 10.30am

Collect

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Readings: Hebrews 11:29- 12:2 and Luke 12. 49-56

Sunday 21st August, Holy Communion at CHS, 10.30am

Collect

Lord of Heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Readings: Hebrews 12. 18-end(29) and Luke 13. 10-17

Sunday 28th August, All Age Worship at St. Mary's, 9.30 and Holy Communion at CHS, 10.30am.

Collect

God of Glory, the end of our searching, help us to lay aside all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom, and to give all that we have to gain the pearl beyond all price, through our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen

Readings: Hebrews 13. 1-8, 15-16 and Luke 14. 1, 7-14

Youth Group Activities

(please let Jess know if you would like to attend either activity)

Tuesday 2nd August: Crazy Golf, Rascall Bay, Waterhouse Lane 2pm, £5 each

Friday 26th August: Lakeside shopping and Aqua Park (all day) £10 each, bring packed lunch or spending money to buy lunch etc @ Lakeside.

Next MMU Ramble (change of location!!), Saturday 13th August, meeting at the Old Windmill Pub, South Hanningfield. Meet @ 9:30am, Lunch @ 12:15. About 5 miles, mostly flat terrain. Menu to follow, sign up @ CHS or St. Mary's. Jess

We are thankful to Essex County Council for a £600 grant to purchase craft materials and activities for craft club next term!

A Quiver Prayer Movement Call to Prayer

This is an in person gathering at CHS on Saturday 6th August, 10am to 4pm. Pre-registration is required, please register now online at www.hearusolord.eventbrite.co.uk or email to info@quiverprayermovement.org. There are leaflets at the back of both churches for further information or speak to Jen.

Holiday Bible Club is running from Tuesday 2nd until Thursday 4th August. The theme is "Luke: Diary of a Disciple", registration forms available from the office or via link on our Facebook page.

The Widford Ladies had a great time at Crazy Golf, a lot of cheating going on in a certain group, we know who we are!!



Mon 1st	Hope Café and Soft Play (Pre school children only)	10.00-12.00	Parish Centre
Tues 2nd	Holiday Bible Club	10.00	Parish Centre
Tues 2nd	Youth Crazy Golf	2pm	Rascall Bay
Wed 3rd	Holiday Bible Club	10.00	Parish Centre
Wed 3rd	Morning Prayer	9.15am	CHS
Thurs. 4th	Holiday Bible Club	10.00	Parish Centre

PARISH CONTACT INFORMATION:

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Mr Keith Schofield (CHS)
Mr Bob Wiseman (St Mary's)

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Monday: Bob
Tuesday (Churchtalk): Barbara O
Wednesday: Jess
Thursday: Shirley
Friday: Sylvia

Let us remember today, 31st, those living in, Wood Street and Writtle Road. also, Hugh Pilcher and the Edapal family, from our Parish prayer directory.

For inclusion here please let, Stephanie or one of the wardens know, alternatively send a message to widfordchurchtalk@gmail.com headed "Prayer request".

There is also a **Prayer Chain via Text** message on [07368136770](tel:07368136770) for specific prayer requests.

Please also remember in your prayers our tithe charities, this week:

Daylight Christian Trust (Prison Ministry)

At <https://www.facebook.com/widfordparishchelmsford/>

And <https://www.facebook.com/stmaryswidford/>



Have you checked out the church's website at www.widfordparish.com which is updated every week. There is more information about what goes on in/at church, and links to partner organisations. Why not check it out??



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