

## Other key dates

9<sup>th</sup>, 16<sup>th</sup> and 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept **Stewardship Sundays**

Sat 15<sup>th</sup> Sept 12-4pm  
**Old Town Autumn Fayre**

16<sup>th</sup> Sept 10am **Battle of Britain Commemoration** and 3.30pm **Messy Church**

23<sup>rd</sup> Sept 10am and 1pm **Baptisms**

30<sup>th</sup> Sept 3pm **Hillier's Bereavement Care Service**

21<sup>st</sup> Oct **Messy church**

28<sup>th</sup> Oct 1pm **Baptism**

4<sup>th</sup> Nov 6.30pm **Christ Church 'All Souls' Bereavement Care service, remembering those who have died this last year**

10<sup>th</sup> Nov 7.30pm **Festival of Commemoration WWI** with the Aldbourne band

11<sup>th</sup> Nov 6.30pm **Testament of Youth** with the North Wilts Youth band

## Other key dates continued

17<sup>th</sup> Nov 10am-3pm **The Friends of Christ Church Christmas market**

18<sup>th</sup> Nov 10am **Old Town Partnership Pulpit exchange and Messy Church**

25<sup>th</sup> Nov 1pm **Baptisms**

2<sup>nd</sup> Dec 4pm **Christingle**  
6.30pm **Partnership Advent Carol service in Christ Church**

9<sup>th</sup> Dec 12pm and 4pm **The Journey – the Old Town Nativity play**

16<sup>th</sup> Dec 4pm **St Mary's Carol Service (no 9am service that day) and Messy church**

23<sup>rd</sup> Dec 6.30pm **Christ Church Candlelit Carol Service**

24<sup>th</sup> Dec 4pm **Crib Service**  
11.30pm **Midnight Mass**

25<sup>th</sup> Dec approx. 12-4pm **Alone at Christmas – Lunch and party at the Community Centre**

31<sup>st</sup> Dec 11pm **Watchnight service**

## Christ Church with St Mary's Our Autumn Programme



### Based around

#### our vision, mission and values

##### Our vision

#### To be Christ's Church in the community

##### Our mission

- By proclaiming Christ through teaching and example
- By welcoming and serving all, through hospitality
- By encouraging people to find God through worship, faith and prayer
- By providing a spiritual home and resources for the local community
- By transforming Swindon and beyond, with God's hope and compassion.

##### Our values

We will do this with humility, grace and respect, listening prayerfully to God and our neighbour.

**Christ Church is open every day for personal prayer and reflection.**

Morning prayer is held in the Lady Chapel at 9am Mon-Sat, (except 1<sup>st</sup> Sat of every month when it is 7.30am, followed by Men's breakfast in the Community Centre).

You can find out more about us on our website [www.christchurchswindon.co.uk](http://www.christchurchswindon.co.uk) or Facebook @christchurchswindon.

### **Sunday service times:**

**8am, 10am, 6.30pm** Christ Church

**9am** St Mary's, Commonweal Road

**1<sup>st</sup> Sunday 10am** All Age worship

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday 9 Sep, 14 Oct, 11 Nov at 4pm**

Contemporary worship - Space for God, Space for you

**10am** Children Sunday Club each Sunday during term time

**3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday 16 Sep, 21 Oct, 18 Nov, 16 Dec,**

**3.30-5.30pm** Partnership Messy Church at King William Street, Church of England Primary School

### **Wednesday:**

10.30am Holy Communion at Christ Church

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## **Our Vision**

based around [Matthew 28:16-20](#)

2<sup>nd</sup> Sept **To be Christ's church in the community** Matt 28:16

9<sup>th</sup> Sept **What is the Gospel?** Matt 28:17

16<sup>th</sup> Sept **How do we share the Gospel?** Matt 28:18

23<sup>rd</sup> Sept **How do we live the Gospel?** Matt 28:19

30<sup>th</sup> Sept **Where do we share the Gospel?** Matt 28:20

## **Our Mission**

based around [Colossians 3:12-17](#)

7<sup>th</sup> Oct **by proclaiming** - Harvest Thanksgiving

14<sup>th</sup> Oct **by welcoming and serving** Col 3:14

21<sup>st</sup> Oct **By encouragement** Col 3:15

28<sup>th</sup> Oct **By providing** Col 3:16

4<sup>th</sup> Nov **By transforming Swindon and beyond** Col 3:17

## **Our Values**

based around [Matthew 5:1-16](#)

11<sup>th</sup> Nov **Respect** Matt 5:1-4  
Remembrance Sunday looking back, looking forward

18<sup>th</sup> Nov **Humility** Matt 5:5-7

25<sup>th</sup> Nov **Grace** Matt 5:8-12

**Listening to God and our neighbour,**  
based around [Philippians 4:4-9](#)

2<sup>nd</sup> Dec Advent Sunday **Listening Prayerfully** Phil 4:4-5

9<sup>th</sup> Dec **Listening to God** Phil 4:6-7

16<sup>th</sup> Dec **Listening to our neighbour** Phil 4:8-9

23<sup>rd</sup> Dec **Preparing for Christmas Mary and Joseph**

24<sup>th</sup> and 25<sup>th</sup> Dec **Jesus the hope of the world**

30<sup>th</sup> Dec **The faithfulness of God, the shepherds**

31<sup>st</sup> Dec **Trust in God 2019 through the Wise Men – The Watchnight Service**



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