St Mary Magdalene's Monthly Update
November 2026

Day and Date	Time / Event	Theme / Readings	Prayers are asked for…
Sunday 1st November All Souls	**11.00am** Family Communion + **6.00pm** All Souls Memorial Service	Revelation 7; 9 – 17 1.John 3; 1 – 3 Matthew 5; 1 - 12 + Isaiah 65: 17 – end Hebrews 11: 32 – 12.	The Baptist Church, Wallingford; Residents of Home Farm Howbery Farm. Cubs & Beavers; Doctors and Nurses and all who work for and in the Care Service; Those married or preparing for marriage
Sunday 8th November Remembrance Sunday	**10.45am** Act of Remembrance Church Lych Gate + **11.00am** Remembrance Service	Isaiah 2; 2 - 5	The Friends Meeting House, Wallingford; For all those who are in the Armed Forces at home or overseas; S.A.A.F.A., The Royal British Legion & the British Red Cross., CAP; For those baptised in our churches, their families and godparents;
Saturday 14th November	**Community Café**		Our Village and Community as we come together and build relationships
Sunday 15th November 2nd Before Advent	**11.00am** Parish Communion	Zephaniah 1: 7,12-18 1.Thes :5; 1 – 11 Matthew 25: 14 - 30	The Ridgeway Community, Wallingford; For those who work in local shops; those who come to work in our area; For our Sacristan and Servers
Sunday 22nd November Christ The King	**11.00am** All Age Communion	Ezekiel 34:11-16;20-24 Ephesians 1: 15 – 23 Matthew 25: 31 - 46	St Agatha's & St James, Brightwell; For all those who sail the Seas. Fishermen/Merchant Navy/Royal Navy; For our House Groups.
Sunday 29th November Advent .1.	**10.00am** **Team Communion** **St Agatha's** **+** **4.00pm** **Newnham Church** **Advent E.P.**	Isaiah 64: 1 – 9 1.Cor.1; 3 – 9 Mark 13: 24 - 37	The Free Church, Brightwell cum Sotwell; People who live alone; those recently retired; For our Intercessors and Readers.

Other regular services

Morning Prayer (CW) Fridays 9am
Evening Prayer (BCP) Sundays 4pm

* Livestreamed services (alternating with Brightwell's 9.30am Sunday service) are on the Wallingford CofE Facebook page (www.facebook.com/wallingfordcofe).

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The Crowmarsh House Group;- the House Group with Rosie and Paul is open to more Members if anyone would like to join this Group, Meeting on Thursday Afternoon's at 2.30pm.

Diary Dates;-

Sunday 29th November 4.00pm; Advent Evening Prayer will be held in Newnham Church, followed by Mulled Wine and Mince Pies in the Farmhouse. For those staying behind for the refreshments there will be a charge of £6 per head, this sum will cover both the Refreshments and a donation to the Oxfordshire Historic Churches Trust.
Saturday 14th November will be our **Community Café**, open 10.30 – 12.00 and **Please Note**; due to work being carried out in the Village Hall, the Coffee Morning will be held in **St Mary Magdalene Church**. Do come along and inspect our recent Archaeological workings in the North Transept.
Sunday afternoon 15th November 3.00pm St Mary le More Church - The Revd Dr Tudor Griffiths is giving a talk on the launch of his Book "The Rest of Life": Biblical Perspectives on Retirement:
Tudor was a rector in Llangattock, (Crickhowell) in the mid-80s before heading off to be principal of Bishop Tucker Theological College in Uganda with many varied pastoral, diocesan, writing and speaking roles since then. A retiring collection will be taken and proceeds will be coming to St Mary Magdalene Church, a very kind gesture from St Mary Le More Church leaders.

Giving:
All donations to the mission and ministry of our church are very welcome: the majority of our members use the Parish Giving Scheme as it is the most efficent way of reclaiming Gift Aid - new forms are available at the welcome desk. Alternatively, you can give electronically with the option of Gift Aid, using this QR code on a smart phone. We also accept hard cash!

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