



TRINITY NOTICES

**Sunday
20 August
2017**



CHURCH MEETING: the next Church Meeting will be after Service on **Sunday 17 September**, to be followed by a bring and share lunch. *Please put the date in your diary.*

HOST ABINGDON have put out their final appeal for furniture and furnishings for the last two houses for Syrian Refugee families. Items are needed by 2nd September. Details of how to donate used or new items or money, as well as pictures of the last houses furnished, are in the Welcome Area. Thank you.

CHRISTIAN AID: The Christian Aid local committee are very pleased to report the successful fundraising effort during Christian Aid Week and, more recently, at a choral concert. All events during Christian Aid Week, 14 - 20 May 2017, raised a marvelous total of £9275.71. The summer concert on 28 June at Trinity, raised £646.80. Many thanks to everyone who helped in any way with this great effort.

COMMUNITY PLAN: Abingdon-on-Thames Town council would like to invite you to share your thoughts about how Abingdon could develop over the next few years. We are keen to hear from as many people as possible who live or work in the town and from people of all ages and all sections of our community. As part of this process, we are holding drop in events in September and would like to invite you to pop in and share your ideas with us. The events will be held at:

- Abbey buildings – Tuesday September 5th from 4:00 - 7:00 pm
- Preston Road Community Centre – Saturday September 16th 2:00 – 4:00 pm.

If you are unable to come to an event you can still give your views by completing a survey, which will be available both on the town website and as a printed version from the beginning of September, to be returned by September 30 – please look out for further information. We will report the findings from the survey and discuss the next steps at an event in the Guildhall later in the year.

More about the Community led plan and updates on the process from: <http://www.abingdon.gov.uk/partners/community-led-plan>

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Old Station House Summer Fete: Saturday 26 August 1-3pm, to raise money for a new garden for the residents.

Bridge House Beach Party Summer Fair: Saturday 26 August 2-4:30pm. Live entertainment, ice cream cart and all the fun of the beach.

OHCT Ride & Stride: 9 September: We need volunteers to welcome riders and striders to Trinity Church on Saturday 9 September between 10.00 am and 5.00 pm. This involves signing sponsorship forms, pointing people to refreshments, which will have been provided, and making a cuppa if requested. If you can spare an hour or two to do this, please sign the Welcomers’ Rota at the back of the church. If you would also like to take part then ask Alastair Fear for a sponsor form. *Thank You*

NEXT WEEK

Friday		10:30 am	No Prayer Group in August
Sunday	27	10:30 am	Morning Worship Led by Esther Woollgar
		6:30 pm	Holy Communion at Trinity led by Revd Richard Miller

Useful Contacts:

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