

Our 10.15am Sunday Service

Welcome

Opening Prayer

Song Cornerstone

Introduction to the theme

A Prayer of Confession

The Assurance of Forgiveness

Collect

Reading Acts 9: 36-43

Song I will build my church

Talk

What has God been doing?

Intercessions and Prayers

The Lord's Prayer

Creed

Song Blessed Assurance

Church Family News and Banns of Marriage

Easter Blessing

Dismissal

*After the service please collect some refreshments
then take your seats for the Church Annual Meeting
(APCM)*

Online Services:

Follow on YouTube by searching for St Michael's
Church Highworth

This week and upcoming

Sunday 11th May

10.15am Morning Worship

followed by APCM

Monday 12th May

10-11.30am Toddler Group

7.30pm Prayer Hour in Church Room

Tuesday 13th May

9am Morning Prayers

6.30pm Regency Dancing in Church Room

7pm Youth Group

Wednesday 14th May

11am Midweek Church

*Coffee and cake served from 10.15am
prior to the Service*

2-4pm Prospect Pop-In in Church Room

Thursday 15th May

7.30pm Bellringing Practice

Friday 16th May

9.15am Friday Blessings

2-4pm Forget Me Not Café Set Up in Church

Saturday 17th May

10am-12pm Coffee Morning in Church Room

1-5.30pm Forget Me Not Café Event in Church

Sunday 18th May

8.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Morning Worship

5pm Evensong at St James' Sevenhampton

Monday 19th May

7.30pm PCC Meeting in Church Room

Friday 23rd May

10am-3pm Forget Me Not Activities in Church

5pm Wedding Rehearsal in Church

Saturday 25th May

3pm Wedding in Church



Sunday 11th May 2025

We remember before you all who have been our teachers and guides; we pray for our local schools and places of learning. We ask your blessing upon our communities, our homes and our loved ones.

We pray for all who have lost direction, for all who have lost faith in themselves, in the world and in their God.

We pray for the despondent, the disillusioned and the despairing, for all who feel desperate or distressed, that they may know that God seeks for them and loves them.

We pray for all who are ill or struggling at this time.

Faithful Shepherd, lead us from darkness to light,

from death to life eternal.

Join us for Prayer

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 12th May 2025 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.

Eco Tip

In the utility room - Cut up old clothes or sheets that you were going to throw out, to use as clothes for cleaning jobs rather than buying new cleaning clothes.

Get in touch

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Copy deadline is 12pm Thursday

For Prayer

Good and gracious God,
be our shepherd and our guide:
lead us out of darkness and death
and into life and light eternal;
deliver us from all evil,
guide us into the ways of
goodness and peace,
and when we wander bring us back to you
and your love;

through Jesus Christ our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
O Father, and the Holy Spirit,
one God, for ever and ever.

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 Events

8.30am Holy Communion

8.30am Holy Communion is back on 18th May and returns to the regular slot of first and third Sunday.

APCM

The APCM will be held in church on Sunday 11th May after the 10.15am service.

Saturday Coffee Mornings

We are in need of volunteers to run the coffee mornings in the church room on the 1st and 3rd Saturday. These will not be able to continue if we cannot find additional help. Please speak to Julie in the office if you would like to know more.

May Midweek Church

Midweek Church is being held a week earlier this month and will be on Wednesday 14th May. Holy Communion service at 11am with coffee and cake served prior to the service from 10.15am.

Christian Aid Week

Begins today. Thank you everyone who has offered to help us deliver envelopes. It would be helpful to have a few more and for help with the collection at the Co-op on Saturday. Please contact us or sign up in church.



Peter and Patricia Croton

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To donate there are envelopes in church or use our webpage: