

March 22nd Saturday 10.30am

Visit of the Gloucestershire Organists' Association

March 29th Saturday 4.00pm

Concert by Musica Academia (Hereford 6th Form College) directed by Tim Pratt. Requiem Charles Gounod with string quartet, harp and organ, and music by Bach, Haydn & Fauré.

April 12th Saturday 4.00pm

The mid-Wales choir, Quindici, directed by Suzanne Edwards, organist Tim Mills, make a welcome return to sing a concert of choral music. Entry £10.

April 18th Good Friday 4pm & 6pm

'Come and sing' The Crucifixion by Sir John Stainer with the Leominster Choral Society. Jonathan Brown (bass), Roger Judd (organist), directed by James Atherton (tenor). Rehearsal 4.00pm. performance 6.00pm. Music will be available. Donations welcome.

May 16th Friday 9.30am

Garden Plant Sale in Teme St, Tenbury, in aid of church funds.

June 7th Saturday 12noon

"Amarylli" Music for Soprano and Lute – Hannah Grove & Elizabeth Pallett present a programme of music and poetry from the 16th & 17th centuries, including John Dowland. Entry £10.

June 7th & 8th weekend 1.00 – 5.00pm

Flower Festival in conjunction with village Open Gardens event.

June 14th Saturday 11.00am – 4.00pm

'Come & Play' the 1873 Father Willis – open console for organists. Donations welcome.

June 29th Sunday 4.30pm

Choral Evensong sung by the Hereford Cathedral Choir, directed by Geraint Bowen with Peter Dyke (organist), celebrating the Ouseley link between the Cathedral and St Michael's College.

July 11th Friday 7.30pm

St Michael's Singers Summer Concert

August 3rd Sunday 12noon

Buffet Lunch at Cedarholme (home of Janet & Tony Penn) in aid of the December visit of the Birmingham University Choir. Tickets 01584 819328

August 9th Saturday 11.00am**Ouseley @ 200 weekend**

Roger Judd presents an illustrated talk about the founder of St Michael's College, Sir Frederick Ouseley. Donations welcome.

August 10th Sunday

Hereford Church Singers directed by John Eden and organist Roger Judd, featuring the music of Ouseley. Sung Eucharist 11am & Choral Evensong 3pm.

August 12th Tuesday

200th anniversary of Sir Frederick Ouseley's birth on this day in 1825.

August 24th Sunday

Church House Singers, directed by Bryce Somerville and organist Roger Judd. Sung Eucharist 11am & Choral Evensong 3.00pm.

August 31st Sunday 6.00pm

Wine Tasting with Food pairing.
Tickets 07807 373132.

September 6th – 14th daily 10am-5pm

Herefordshire Art Week (H-art)
Excellent variety of art & craft in the church. Open daily, free entry, refreshments & books. Details 07807 373132 or visit www.h-art.org.uk

September 20th Saturday 7.30pm

Music Nouveau with Andy Cook and friends – always a popular evening. Entry £10.

September 28th Sunday

Emmanuel Church, Wylde Green, Sutton Coldfield. make a welcome return visit to sing Sung Eucharist 11am & Choral Evensong 3pm.

October 4th Saturday 4.00pm

Poetry and Music with Tina Cole and John Swindells. Entry £10.

October 18th Saturday 4.00pm

Evensong with RSCM Voices West. *RSCM Voices West is an adult training choir which sings approximately five services per year in cathedrals and major churches across the West of England and South Wales.* Sir Sydney Nicholson founded the Royal School of Church Music, and for three years during WWII Sir Sydney ran the music at St Michael's. 2025 is the 150th anniversary of his birth.

October 26th Sunday

Quindici make a second visit to St Michael's with Suzanne Edwards (director) and Tim Mills (organist).
Sung Eucharist 11.00am and Evensong 3.00pm.

November 1st Saturday 7.00pm

'Old Time Music Hall'. In memory of Bryan Fisher. Compere Michael Evans. Tickets £10.

December 13th Saturday 6.30pm

Service of Lessons and Carols sung by the Birmingham University Singers, director Paul Rodmell and organist Jonathan Stamp.

December 14th Sunday

The Birmingham University Singers sing Sung Eucharist 11.00am and Evensong 3.00pm.

December 21st Sunday 11.00am

'Come & Sing' your favourite Christmas Carols and Hymns, led by the St Michael's Church Choir. Donations welcome.

The St Michaels Church Choir normally sing Choral Eucharist at 11am on 2nd & 4th Sundays when there is no other choir.

Organist Emeritus & Acting Music Director:
Roger Judd MVO

This information was correct at the time of going to press. For more details:

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Tel: 07807 373132

Tickets for some events will be on Tickettailor.com

Regular Monthly Service Schedule:

First Sunday of the Month: Family Service 10am An informal, short, lay led service.

Second Sunday of the Month: Choral Communion CW 11am

Third Sunday of the Month: Morning Worship, Lay Led 10am Non-communion, short Celtic service

Fourth Sunday of the Month: Choral Communion BCP 11am

St Michaels is supported entirely by donations. Please scan to give.



Thank you for giving to St Michael's

The church of St Michael's was opened in 1856 to promote and revive Anglican Church Music under the guidance of Sir Frederick Ouseley. This it did for 129 years until the college's closure in 1985 when it continued to be the parish church for the small parish of St Michael's. It is now part of the Tenbury Team Ministry which has some 12 churches in the counties of Herefordshire, Worcestershire and Shropshire, all within the Diocese of Hereford.

The Ouseley Trust, now known as The Ouseley Church Music Trust, was set up following the college closure as a charity to support music making in cathedrals, major parish churches and colleges in the United Kingdom. It continues to support the church and in turn the PCC promotes music making of the kind Ouseley intended as well as other community events, making the church a lively place. You will find this range of music making in this year's programme.

The PCC gratefully thank the following for support in the maintenance of this historic building and organ:

- David & Christine Lloyd Jones Foundation
- The Shropshire Historic Churches Trust
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- Hereford Diocese The Burford Trust
- The St Michaels' College Society Maureen Swindell
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