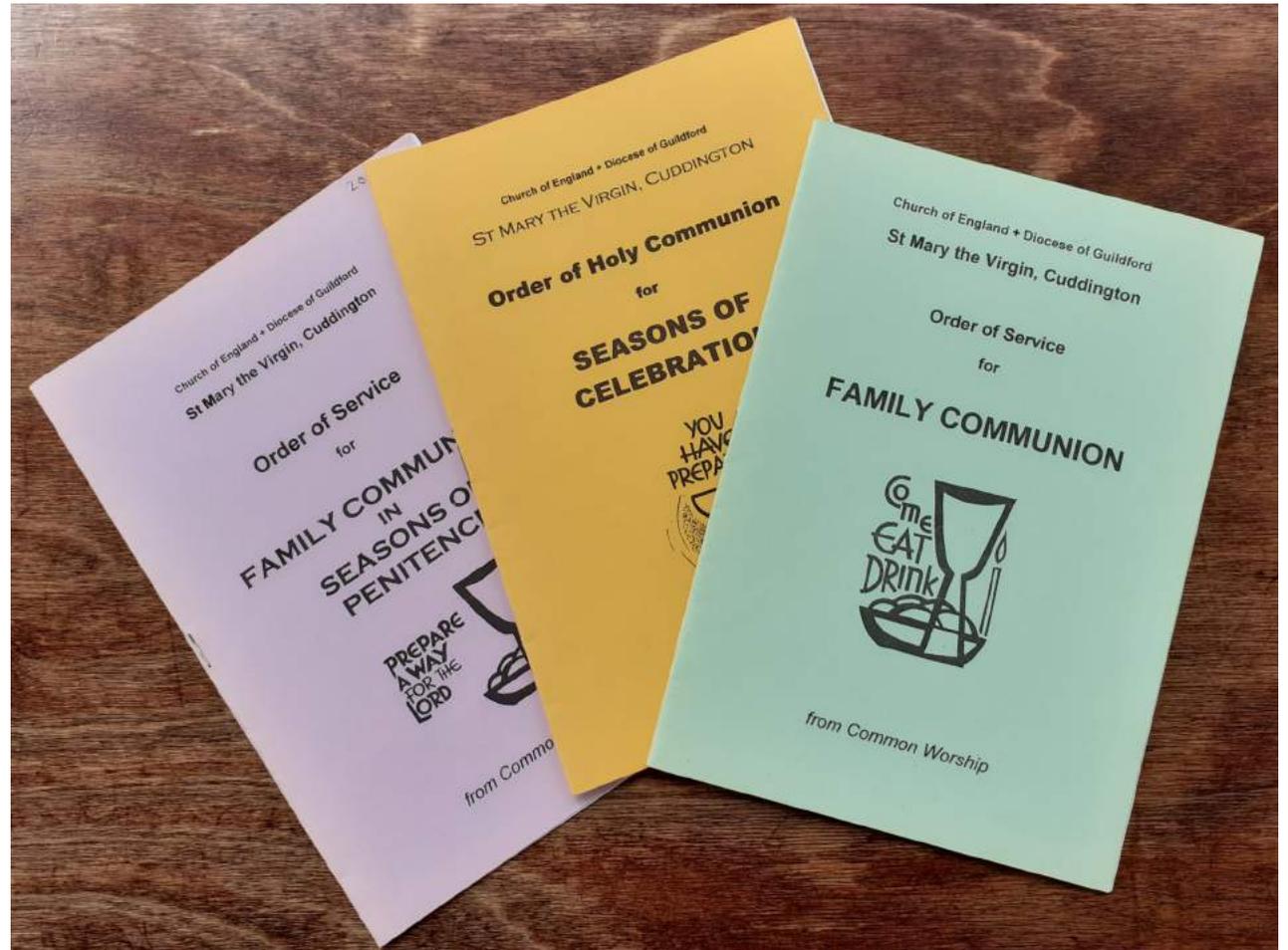


Common Worship, the Church of England's new service book, was published, replacing the *Alternative Service Book 1980*.

It was introduced in Cuddington in 2001. Because it provides such a wide range of options, three separate booklets were produced in the parish for use in seasons of penitence (Advent and Lent), seasons of celebration such as Christmas and Easter, and at other times. The parish had previously been involved in experimenting with the associated new services for baptisms and marriages.



Also this year:

Millennium commemorations included installation of floodlighting. A suggestion of a new stained glass window was made, which would come to fruition in a later year.

Jenie Dore retired as Brown Owl of 2nd Cuddington Brownie Pack after 20 years.

2000

Eucharistic Responses
(after Acclamation)

Eucharistic Prayer A (additional words)
 inspire us by your Spirit,
 inspire us with your love
 and unite us in the body of your Son,
 Jesus Christ our Lord



Eucharistic Prayer D
 This is his story *[sung four times]*
 This is our song Ho - san - na in the high - est



Eucharistic Prayer F
 made perfect in our human weakness
 that we might rise and reign with him in glory.
 do this in remembrance of me.
 Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.



A - men Lord, we be - lieve *[sung four times as indicated]*

and we long for his coming in glory



A - men Come Lord Je - sus

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Lord's Prayer

Focus on antiphons



Our Fa - ther in heav - en, hallowed be your
 name, Your king - dom come, your will be done on earth as in
 heaven. Give us to - day our dai - ly bread. For - give us our
 sins as we for - give those who sin a - gainst us.

Lead us not in - to temp - ta - tion, but de - liver us from
 e - vil. For the king - dom, the power and the glo - ry are yours,
 now and for - ev - er. A - men A - men

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Above right: Moya Ratnayake, seen here at a SMYG car wash in 2002, was appointed Youth Worker.
 Photograph by Rod Clarke

2001

Above left and above: Robert Leach revised Bill Wright's service setting for the Holy Communion service in line with the amended and additional wording of *Common Worship* services.



The Revd Dr Robin Harvey was appointed Priest-in-Charge.
Above: Robin and Suzy Harvey after Robin's licensing.

Above right: Robert Leach wrote an anthem, *Keep Watch*, for the occasion.

Also this year:

The Revd Sue Ayling returned as Non-Stipendiary Curate.

TWYG (the youth group) attended the Greenbelt festival.

2002

Joe Roberts, Jim Whiteley and Shaun Potter (above, left to right) and Mark Hodge (right) at work keeping the church gardens looking beautiful in 2002.

Courtesy of Mark Hodge

ANY QUESTIONS?

What is Christianity really like?

What are the 'absolute basics' of the Christian Faith?

How can I explore what Christians believe, in the company of others and feel free to ask the 'hard questions' if I need to?

How can I appreciate the benefits of being a Christian?

ANSWER: COME TO AN EMMAUS ENQUIRERS COURSE.

At EMMAUS, each week:

- You build up social contacts and make friendships over a meal.
- You have Christianity presented to you in a jargon-free way that makes no assumptions about how well you know the Faith or the Church.
- The Bible comes to life in a user-friendly way.
- There are buzz groups and discussions.
- There is thanksgiving and prayer.
- You have a companion for the journey.
- You have the support of the whole family of the church.

WHY NOT GIVE IT A TRY?

Meetings are on Tuesdays at 7.30 p.m., starting with a meal (£3) - no other costs. Finishing time is 10.00 pm.

Venue: the Church Centre, St Mary the Virgin Cuddington, The Avenue, Worcester Park. Handouts and study materials are provided.

See over for the programme details and the timetable

ALL ARE WELCOME

Enquiries: through the Church Office, 020 8337 4026 or the Vicarage: 020 8337 5025. (Read Robin Harvey)

EMMAUS 2003/04

ENQUIRERS: Course will be held on Tuesdays, starting 4th November, finishing 23rd March.

The Course evening starts with a meal at 7.30 p.m. in St Mary's Church Centre. Finishing time: 10.00 p.m.

THE PROGRAMME	DATES:
Part 1: What Christians believe	
• God is there and he matters	4 th November
• We need God in our lives	11 th November
• Jesus - his ministry and death	18 th November
• The Resurrection of Jesus	25 th November
• The Holy Spirit	2 nd December
• Becoming a Christian	9 th December
Part 2: How Christians grow	
• Learning to pray	13 th January
• Reading the Bible	20 th January
• Belonging to the Church	27 th January
• Sharing Holy Communion	5 th February
Part 3: Living the Christian Life	
• Living God's Way	24 th February
• Serving the Lord	2 nd March
• Your money and your life	9 th March
• Learning to love	16 th March
• Sharing the Faith	23 rd March

For more details, please contact the Parish Administrator, Janet Gritshaw (020 8337 4026)



And now, my friends, farewell
 Dedicated to the memory of St Mary's Church, Cuddington by my departed son
 (Died as a child on 14 September 2001) Music by Robert Leach

2. Cuddington 15.11.04

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Above: an Emmaus course, providing an opportunity to discuss the Christian faith, was launched.

Above right: Robert Leach retired as Organist, and Karl Nicholas became Acting Organist, assisted by Rob Macchi. A farewell lunch was held for Robert, and he composed an anthem, *And now, my friends, farewell*, a setting of words from the Second Letter to the Corinthians, to mark the occasion.

Photographs by Rod Clarke.



Also this year:

2003

Prebendary Peter Rapsey, formerly of Cuddington, became Diocesan Director of Ordinands for the Diocese of Bath and Wells., responsible for overseeing vocations to ordained ministry and the training of new clergy.



Also this year:

The *Essential Worship Song Collection* was introduced to supplement the existing hymn-books.

Linda Staff was appointed Children, Youth and Families Worker in January.

The youth group TWYG celebrated its 15th anniversary in September.

David (Dave) Hinitt, a graduate in music and sound recording from the University of Surrey, became Organist in January. He left in 2005 to become Deputy Organist of Christ Church, Southgate, and remains in this position, alongside a flourishing career as a recording engineer specialising in organ and choral music.

Photograph by Rod Clarke

2004



Above left: The church's newest stained glass window, showing scenes from the Old Testament, made by Andrew Johnson of Exeter, was installed in the Children's Corner.

Photograph by Bob Rymill.

Above: Karl Nicholas (*standing*) and Rob Macchi (*seated*) became joint Organists on Dave Hinitt's move to Southgate.

Photograph by Rod Clarke.

Also this year:

Kath Cove retired after 54 years in the choir.

A new altar frontal for the Children's Chapel was made by a group of members of the congregation including (*above, left to right*) Barbara Pannell, Ellen Greensmith, Joan Prevett and Margaret Rymill, and (*not shown*) Brenda Evans and Margaret Goss.

2005



2006

The Funday or Summer Fair was held in the Shadbolt Park Paddock for the first time since 1995. This included the first Dog Show (above left), a popular annual feature which was continued after the Cuddington Residents' Association took over the Shadbolt Park event, renamed the Big Day Out.





Above left: when Robin Harvey was appointed in 2002 he was made Priest-in-Charge for five years; in 2007 he was inducted as Vicar by Archdeacon Julian Henderson (*right*).

Photograph by Rod Clarke.

Above: Christine White was ordained as an OLM (Ordained Local Minister) for Cuddington.

Photograph courtesy of Martin White.

Above right: the Society of the Holy Cross opened a small house in the parish, in Northcliffe Close, led by Revd Mother Lucy Clare with sisters from Korea.

Photograph by Rod Clarke.

Also this year: The Buzzword family service was introduced. Initially this was a short occasional service, intended for children with their families, and held in the hall simultaneously with the 10am service in church.

2007



Left and above: the Revd Christine White was ordained priest.
Photographs courtesy of Martin White.

Also this year: the Revd Robin Harvey retired, and the Revds Sue Ayling, Christine White, Mother Lucy Clare, Canon Chris Vallins and others officiated during the interregnum.

The Revd Bryan Owen, former Vicar of St Mary's, published a collection of his poems, *Blue Daffodils and Other Poems*. In 2003 another former Vicar, of Cuddington, the Revd Barry Preece, had published a book of his poems and reflections on art and spirituality, with an accompanying CD, *Echoes of Eternity*

2008



The Revd Andrew Sillis was appointed Vicar.

He introduced a number of features to the Holy Week and Easter worship including a Palm Sunday procession from Rowe Hall and (*above left*) an Easter Dawn service, with the lighting of the Paschal Candle (*above*), Dawn services have been held on Easter Day in most subsequent years.

Above right: a labyrinth was one of the features of a day of prayer and reflection.

Right: the organ was overhauled, and additional stops installed.

All three photographs by Rod Clarke.

2009

