

Walking and Praying the Parish of St Michael's Boldmere

This route takes you as near as possible around the edges of Boldmere St Michael's Parish

As you walk observe the surroundings, the people, is there something you are familiar and know well, is there something you have never seen before or noticed. As you walk pray. If you pass the home of someone you know, pray for them. Pray for business, education, leisure, health, faith communities, libraries, shops, industry and whatever else you are inspired to pray for.

As you walk around the edge of the parish imagine Jesus encircling the people with love, grace and mercy.

The walk should take about three hours at a reasonable pace.

Take water and food with you if you feel peckish.

There are pubs on the route.

Halls does nice coffee.

The Route

Start at St Michael's Church Lych Gate – say the Lord's Prayer

Go down the hill along Church Road

Cross Chester Road at the traffic lights

Walk past Fishing Shop down Beech Road

At the end of Beech Road turn left on to Sycamore Road

Walk to end of Sycamore Road

Turn right on to Goosemoor Road

At end of Goosemoor Road turn right on to Court Lane

Walk to the end of Court Lane

Turn left at Chester Road.

Cross over to Halls Garden Centre side of Chester Road

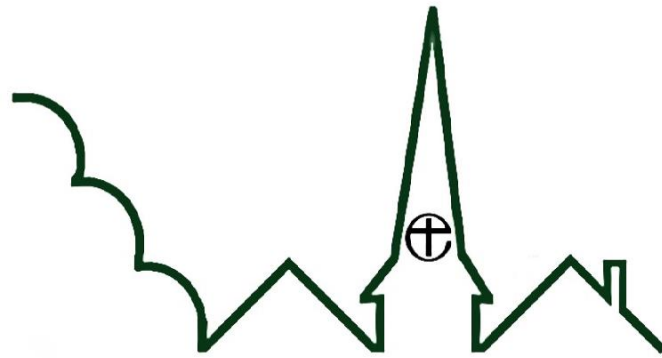
Walk along Chester Road to junction with Beggar's Bush Pub

Turn right along Jockey Road

Cross over at pedestrian crossing to Tesco's side of Jockey Road

Turn left down Darnick Road

Walk to the end of Darnick Road



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Turn right onto Monmouth Drive

A long walk along Monmouth Drive

Turn right onto Somerville Drive

Walk up Somerville Drive to Jockey Road

Cross Jockey Road and walk down public footpath/alleyway

This takes you alongside railway and Wilkinson Place

Wind around Wilkinson Place until it brings you out at Highbridge Road

Turn left onto Highbridge Road

Walk to Birmingham Road

Turn right onto Birmingham Road

Walk along Birmingham Road until Station Road on the right

Turn right up Station Road

Walk under railway bridge

Turn left down Sunnybank Road

Follow Sunnybank Road around until it comes to Boldmere Road

Turn left onto Boldmere Road

Walk to the Chester Road

Turn left onto Chester Road

Walk to Marston Road

Turn left up Marston Road

Walk to the end of Marston Road which becomes Sheffield Road

Walk to the end of Sheffield Road and you are back on Boldmere Road

Turn left onto Boldmere Road

Walk to the Chester Road

Cross over Boldmere Road to the Baptist Church

Walk back up Boldmere Road

Turn left onto Charlecote Gardens

Follow this road around until it becomes Firsholm Close

Walk down to Chester Road

Turn right and walk along Chester Road

Until reach Church Road

Turn right up Church Road and walk back up to St Michael's Church

Say the Lord's Prayer