



**In Faith
Out There**

St Luke's Church, Maidenhead

WEEK COMMENCING 8th November 2009

**This Sunday 3RD SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT
REMEMBRANCE**

8.00am Eucharist
10.00am Sung Eucharist
President: The Revd R.Holroyd
Preacher: Sonya Clarke
3.00pm Recital: Angela Brownridge – Piano
6.00pm Compline & Address
Officiant: The Revd R.Holroyd
Speaker: The Revd T.Robinson

Readings: Old Testament: Jonah 3.1-5,10
New Testament: Hebrews 9.24-end
Gospel: Mark 1.14-20

Mon 9th 8.00pm BRF Daylight Group
at 'Windrush', Sheephouse Rd

Tues 10th 7.15pm Eucharist:
The Revd Dick Cheek

Weds 11th 10.00am Eucharist
8.00pm 'The Apprentice'
in the Parish Centre

Thurs 12th 2-4pm TEAS trip to a Garden Centre
CTiM meeting CANCELLED

Fri 13th 8.00pm Choir Practice

Sat 14th 7.30pm Nablus Fundraising Quiz
in the Hall

Next Sunday SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

8.00am Eucharist: The Revd T.Robinson
10.00am Sung Eucharist
President: The Revd T.Robinson
Preacher: The Revd J.Hyde (Area Dean)
4.00pm Sunday Half-hour at Jakes House
6.00pm International Taizé Service

Readings: Old Testament: Daniel 12.1-3
New Testament: Hebrews 10.11-14,19-25
Gospel: Mark 13.1-8

WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

If you are visiting us for the first time we would like to get to know you better. Please fill in one of the yellow welcome cards and hand it to someone on duty before you leave. Better still, stay and have a chat over a cup of coffee after the 10.00am service. Children and young people are welcome to join the groups which meet during the service. Please feel free to take a toddler to the children's corner at the front of the church if they are getting restless, but do stay with them.

The chapel is available as a quiet place for prayer after services and whenever the church is open. Please feel free to take advantage of it.

Please keep the car parking space in the churchyard free for the disabled and frail elderly. Thank you.

Today, Sunday, 8th November: Everyone is invited to lunch in the Hall, after the 10am service to celebrate Phyllis's special birthday.

Fundraising Quiz Night : in aid of St Luke's, Nablus, on Saturday, 14th November at 7.30pm in the Community Hall. Tickets £7.50 to include supper with a hint of the Middle East, available from Shula, Barbara and Terri.

Chocoholics: LAST CHANCE TO ORDER. Many thanks to everyone who ordered chocolate novelties and luxury boxes and as a result of the sales we will be able to send a cheque for over £100 to The Thames Valley Hospice. If you missed the party but would like some chocolates I have catalogues with me today but the orders **MUST** be received today for the Hospice to be able to benefit from the commission. So if you want to purchase some Christmas presents and help Thames Hospice see Ann Burdett today or phone 631486 by 6pm. Many thanks

Fairtrade Stall: on Sunday 15th November in the Parish Centre, including gift items.

TEAS: On the 12th November we will be visiting Sheeplands Garden Centre – just off the A4 on the Twyford Road, opposite Wyvale. There will be the usual Christmas items and teas available as well as easy access. Please be ready to leave church by 2pm. If wet we will do our best to collect people from home. More details from Phyllis or Enid.

Free Smoke Alarm: As a result of the Sunday Club visit to Maidenhead Fire Station we were made aware of the scheme Maidenhead Fire Station has to ensure homes all have smoke alarms. They will install one totally free of charge – and suggested that if anyone would like to take advantage of this free service just give your name, address and phone number to Ann Burdett (T.631486) and she will pass the details direct to Red Watch at the fire station who will then organise a convenient time to supply and fit the smoke alarm.

Christmas Lunch 2009 at WAMSAD: If you would like to help eg. With transport to the event for 12 noon start, and home again afterwards, with serving food, or washing up, please see Phyllis

Berkshire Churches Trust Christmas Cards: These

ards with pictures taken from Berkshire Churches are illustrated with prices on the board at the back of the church. Their sale raises funds for the Trust which makes grants towards the repair of local churches. If you would like to order some please contact me by 15th November at the latest. Roger Bevitt (T.633464)

Children's Society Boxes: Please may I have these before the end of November. Thank you, Chris Sawyer

Readers and Sides persons: If anyone is interested or curious about being included on the readers rota or being a sides person, please speak to Shula.

Thursday Group: Our next meeting will be on Thursday, 19th November from 8pm in the Parish Centre. This month Jenny Bartholomew will be encouraging us towards Christmas by showing us Christmas Fancies. If you are intrigued as to what this may be, why not come along and find out!! Further information from Sonya (T.632626)

Windsor Theatre Royal Pantomime: If you are amongst the 34 people who have ordered tickets for the Windsor pantomime please can you give your cheque (payable to St.Luke's PCC) to Ann Burdett as soon as possible. Many thanks.

Walk around Dorney Rowing Lake: Sunday, 15th November at 2.15pm. All are welcome on a flat walk of 3.7m taking in the arboretum and various other features around the perimeter of the lake. To get there, turn right off the A4 at the traffic lights into Marsh Lane towards Dorney Reach. At the far end (where the road turns sharp left) turn right into the 'Eton College Rowing Centre Dorney Lake'. After a short distance turn right for a small car park (GR920788). Please share cars and if wet phone to check if the walk is still on. Roger & Jilly (T.633464)

Please remember: Jams and Chutneys needed for Charities Fare on 21st November.

**THE FLOODLIGHTING HAS BEEN
SPONSORED THIS WEEK
BY**

**the Baughan family
to celebrate
Ruth's
18th Birthday**

Please Pray for the people who live in Castle Hill

the sick: Gillian Fitzpatrick, Tim Williams,
Vaughan Russell, Melanie Bibra, Win
Reynolds, Beryl Horsham, Pat Walker,
Nick, Margaret Burrows, Julienne, Sarah
Sharp, Ken Brewer, Helga Currie,
Steve N., Ros Tieg, Hilary Fortnam,
Jennifer Hyde, Eunice Moffatt,
Paul Matthews, Beryl Darlington

ADVANCE NOTICES

Nov 14th St.Luke's Hospital, Nablus, Fundraiser

Visit our website: www.stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk

MUMS & TODDLERS meet
in the CHURCH HALL
THURSDAYS
9.30am - 11.00am
during term time

BROWNIES meet in the CHURCH HALL
THURSDAYS 6.30pm - 7.45pm

THE SUNDAY CLUB
for children aged 3-10 years : 10.00am each Sunday in the
Church Hall
(except 1st Sunday in month: All-age Worship in Church)

THE SPARKLERS
for young people (10+) meets in the Parish Centre for
discussions. "Sparklers" leave church before the sermon.

GROUPS @ ST.LUKE'S

The following groups are open for all to join:

Emmaus Discussion Group about aspects of our faith
Contact: Eileen Goford (T.638238)

Emmaus 05, (2nd Course)
Contact: Sue Harbour (T.670246)

Timeout – topical issues aired and shared
Contact: Revd R. Holroyd (T.783033)

BRF Daylight Group (discussion about current bible
reading notes) Contact: Revd Dick Cheek (T.628484)

Prayer Group – 1st Wednesday in the month. 3pm in church

News-sheet material to be handed in at The Vicarage by
Thursday MORNING please.

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