



WEEK COMMENCING 17th August 2008

This Sunday 13TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY

8.00am Eucharist
10.00am Sung Eucharist
President: The Revd Dick Cheek
Preacher: Sonya Clarke
1.00pm Baptism

Readings: Old Testament: Isaiah 56.1.6-8
New Testament:
Romans 11.1-2a, 29-32
Gospel: Matthew 15.21-28

Tues 19th 7.15pm Eucharist

Weds 20th 10.00am Eucharist:
 The Revd Dick Cheek
 6.30pm Wedding Rehearsal
 8.00pm 'What is Man?'
 Introduction & discussion
 in the Parish Centre

Thurs 21st 9.30am- }
 12.30pm } 'What is Man?' Workshops
 2-5pm }
 7-9pm }

Fri 22nd 9.30am-
 12.30pm 'What is Man?' Workshop
 2.00pm Wedding:
Aaron Bassett &
Giordana Annibal
 7-9pm 'What is Man?' Workshop
 NO Choir Practice

Sat 23rd am/pm 'What is Man?'
 Final Workshop
 7.30pm Recycled Fashion Show
 with 'bring & share'
 leftovers supper

Next Sunday ST.BARTHOLOMEW

8.00am Eucharist
10.00am Sung Eucharist
President: The Revd T.Robinson
Preacher: The Revd R.Holroyd
12 noon Baptism
6.00pm Evensong
Officiant: The Revd R.Holroyd
Preacher: Noeline Page

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 back 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.

Summer Arts Project: 'What is Man?' Come along to workshops on Thursday, Friday and Saturday to make wonderful things out of recyclable material: no previous experience required. There will be some fabric and sewing work, some craft work, and a lot of creative energy going on. Saturday evening at 7.30pm entertainment will centre round a fashion show, with a bring and share supper (bring a plate of 'leftovers') Drink provided. Next Sunday's service will have a 'What is Man?' theme. See you there. Richard

Next InSpire: Please be creative with reviews, reports, articles, poems, etc and get material to me by email by 31st August. Thanks. Richard H.

Confirmation 23rd November 10am: Adults and young people interested in confirmation please have a word with me. There will be both young people's and adult discussions open to all who want to explore issues of belonging and believing, whether leading to confirmation or not. Richard H.

Littlewick Show: Bank Holiday Monday, 25th August. Help needed to sell raffle tickets. Free entry for a couple of hours work. See Helen Poynter

Summer Evening Rambles: All are welcome on our weekly walks at 7.15pm.

Mon 18th August (Note the change of date to avoid a clash with the 'What is Man?' event). Meet at the public car park on Cookham Moor (GR893854) for a flat walk of about 2.5m around Cookham Village, Odney and the riverside.

Weds 27th Aug. This looks as though it may be the last of this year's evening walks. Details to follow. Please share cars if possible. Phone Roger & Jilly Bevitt (T.633464) for further details and, if wet, to check that the walk is still on.

Join a Committee?: Well, it may not fill you with great excitement but our small number of P.C.C. committees do good work and are interesting (and even fun!) Please look at the display at the back of church and sign up if you are interested. (You don't have to be on the P.C.C.) Richard H.

CRoW – The Berkshire Churches Trust Sponsored Cycle, Run or Walk: 13th September. This event which raises funds for both the Trust and for St.Luke's is rather special this year being the grand finale for Ben Darracott. He has led our team of cyclists visiting local and not so local churches for many years and would like to hang up his helmet and see someone else take over next year. This gives us all a special opportunity to support Ben and the team when the sponsorship forms come round. It is also an opportunity for anyone who feels they might be able to take over as leader or take part as an individual in future years to get some experience while Ben is still leading. Note that although at present those we sponsor are all cyclists, it is equally possible to be sponsored for walking or running between churches or even for being at St.Luke's on the day as a welcoming steward. Contact Ben or myself or see the display near the Choir Corner for further information. Roger Bevitt.

The Marmie Lady is Retiring!: Many thanks for the bouquet, the card and all the kind words that I have received since making the following announcement: After 16 years of making marmalade – several tons in all – I feel in need of a rest. Many thanks for the support from all you lovely customers and for the gratitude expressed by those, such as the Flower Committee, who, in turn could be helped from the funds raised. I shall still be getting out my cauldron and wooden spoon on an occasional basis to make marmalade for special events such as the Charities Fair so I shall still need the empty Bonne Maman (but no other) jars and lids please. All stocks are now sold but if anyone wants to take on marmalade making for regular Sunday sale I can offer some tips. Thank you again to all those who have purchased the marmalade over the years. Jilly B.

Mums & Toddlers: We now have a leader and one committee member but would like at least another two committee members by September to run the group. It meets on Thursday mornings during term time. Please see me if you can help. Richard H.

**THE FLOODLIGHTING HAS BEEN SPONSORED
THIS WEEK**

**in memory of
Brother Roger of Taize**

Please Pray for the people who live in High Street and those receiving exam results and the decisions they have to make

the sick: Gillian Fitzpatrick, Tim Williams, Vaughan Russell, Melanie Bibra, Win Reynolds, Beryl Horsham, Roger Elton, Stephen Cooke, Glyn Jackson, Claire Goringe, Graeme Bartholomew, Pat Walker, Hilda Arkell, Nick

those who have died Alan Veevers, Brian Rockall, Keith Towell

ADVANCE NOTICES

Sept 7th Concert – Music for Flute and Piano
Sept 28th Back to Church Sunday

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)

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

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