



St Luke's Church, Maidenhead

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WEEK COMMENCING 21st November 2010

**This Sunday**

**CHRIST THE KING**

**10.00am**

**Sung Eucharist: Prisoners Week  
Theme "Be With Me".**

**President: The Revd. Maurice  
Skinner**

**Speaker: Jean Tyrwhitt-Drake  
Stewardship Thanksgiving**

**6.00pm**

**Iona Worship at COGS**

*Readings:*

*Jeremiah 23.1 – 6*

*Colossians 1.11 – 20*

*Luke 23.33 – 43*

Tues 23rd

7.15pm

Evening Prayer:

Sonya Clarke

Weds 24th

10.00am

Eucharist:

The Revd. Dick Cheek

Fri 19th

8.00pm

Choir Practice

**Next Sunday**

**1ST SUNDAY OF ADVENT**

**10.00am**

**Sung Eucharist:**

**President: The Revd. T. Robinson**

**Preacher: Sonya Clarke**

**12.00noon**

**Baptism**

**6.00pm**

**"Watching and Waiting" a service for  
the beginning of Advent at St. Luke's  
Sonya Clarke and Noeline Page**

**Readings:**

*Isaiah 2.1 – 5*

*Romans 13.11 – end*

*Matthew 24.36 – 44*

## WELCOME TO OUR WORSHIP

*If you are visiting us for the first time we would like to get to know you better. Please 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.**

**MAIDENHEAD INTERFAITH GROUP** – are seeking support for a new initiative to provide a hot nutritious evening meal for the town's homeless each Thursday evening. A town centre church has agreed to open its doors for this project. We need volunteers to help cook and serve non-meat based two course meals, anything from once each month to just a one off. If you would be willing to volunteer to help with cooking, food, clothes, toiletries or in any other way or to offer a donation, then please contact Nigel Cohen (01628660665) or Sue Brett (01628623554) or email

homeless@maidenheadinterfaith.org.uk anyone who would like to set up a standing order online can do so at [purecharity.org/homeless](http://purecharity.org/homeless).

**RUTH SHEPHERD** – has been unable to find the box in which she brought her contributions to Richard's Lunch. It is about 9 inches long by 6 inches wide and about 2/3 inches deep. It is made of polythene and has a very distinctive red lid. Has anyone seen it or has anyone taken it home? It may have gone into someone's freezer to preserve items for another event. We usually have a number of unclaimed items but not this time! Please let Ruth know if you have any info.

**RECYCLING** – The Blue Bins have now been registered and we can now collect points. Please can everyone recycle as much as possible.

**FAIRTRADE STALL** – There will be a Fairtrade stall in the Parish Centre next **Sunday 28 November 2010** during coffee time. As well as food there will be various gifts for Christmas too.

**COFFEE EVENING** – with Chocolates on sale **Thursday 25th November** We are holding a fund raising coffee evening at 30 Mallow park (SL6 6SQ) -half for Windsor & Maidenhead Crossroads and half for the World Scout Jamboree. Delicious Chocolates from Chocoholics will be on sale and everyone is welcome. If you would like to order chocolates but cannot come on the 25th please ask for a catalogue. Andrew and Ann Burdett will be very grateful for your support. (tel 631486)

**MONTHLY LUNCHEON – Thursday 25th November** – the Monthly Luncheon Group will leave the church at 11:50am. Any queries please call Phylis on 778656

**WINTER INSPIRE** – Please could all material for the Winter 10/11 InSpire be submitted by 12 December.

Preferably it should be emailed to [inspire@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](mailto:inspire@stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk), but can also be handed to Andrew or Richard Burdett directly (marked InSpire on top). Anything welcome - content suggestions at back of church. Thank you!

**VOICES ANON CHRISTMAS CONCERT – Thursday 9th December** at 7:45pm in St. Lukes Church. No charge for admission. A collection will be made in aid of

Thames Valley Adventure Playground.

**MAIDENHEAD DRAMA GUILD PANTOMIME –**

Desborough Suite- **Saturday 18th December 2.30pm** If you would like to see Sleeping Beauty performed at the Desborough Suite Town Hall and then return to the Parish Centre for tea please let Ann Burdett know ASAP. Cost £9.50 per adult and £7.50 per child.

**CTiM CHRISTMAS LUNCH –** As you are aware, the CTiM Christmas Lunch is for those who are alone on Christmas day. This includes the elderly, those who are in need and the homeless. If you know of any such people in your congregation, please would you contact Jo Hamilton, our guest co-ordinator, on 01628 670305 so that, if they are not known to us, they can be entered into our database, and sent an invitation or contacted. Thanks Pietro On behalf of the CTiM Christmas Day Lunch Organising Team.

**FIRST AIDER –** A first aider (with an up to date Certificate) is needed for the CTiM Christmas Day lunch. If you think you maybe able to help please can you pass your details to Sue Brett on 623554 who will pass them on.

**BOXING DAY RAMBLE –** Several folk have muted to me that because Boxing Day falls on a Sunday, we could think about moving the morning walk to Monday 27th December. What do you think? Please let me know so that the majority can be accommodated. Many thanks Roger C (T.632626)

**WINDSOR PANTOMIME – CINDERELLA – Friday January 7th** We have sold our original quota of 33 tickets in the stalls at the Theatre Royal Windsor, and now have a further provisional booking for 10 more. They have a considerable discount - £14.00 instead of £22. This year's stars are Christopher Beeney, Charlie Dimmock and Kevin Cruz and Postman Pat!. Please see Ann Burdett (631486) asap if you would like tickets.

**B.R.F QUIET DAYS –** There will be two B.R.F. Quiet Days at Highmoor Hall, the other side of Henley next year. The first on **Thursday 24th February, “Facing the Darkness, Finding the Light”** will be led by David Winter. The second, **Wednesday 30 November, “Here and Beyond”** to be led by Ann Persson, former owner of Hnighmoor Hall. If anyone is interested, please have a work with Enid (628195) and perhaps we can share cars. Depending on numbers we may even get a discount! More details on B.R.F. Newssheet.

**PRAYERS FROM ST LUKE’S:** an anthology of prayers selected by St Luke’s people, with the reasons for their choice, and including original art work. An inspiring collection. Available from Jean T-D. Suggested Donation: £5

THE FLOODLIGHTING HAS BEEN SPONSORED  
THIS WEEK BY

*The Floodlighting has not been sponsored this week*

**Please Pray for** the people who live and or work in  
Russell Court Close

the sick: Gillian Fitzpatrick, Tim Williams, Win Reynolds,  
Nick, Margaret Burrows, Julienne, Steve N.,  
Ros Tieg, Hilary Fortnam, Eunice Moffatt,  
Stephen Sands, John Francis, Helen,  
John Sheppard, Jill Cotterill.

Those who have died: Irene Hinckley, Wilfred Turner.

## **ADVANCE NOTICES**

25th November	Chocoholics Coffee Evening
25th November	Monthly Luncheon
28th November	Fairtrade Stall
9th December	Voices Anon Christmas Concert
18th December	Maidenhead Drama Guild Pantomime
7th January	Windsor Pantomime

Visit our website: [www.stlukeschurchmaidenhead.org.uk](http://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: Parish Office (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 emailed or handed in at The  
Vicarage by 12.00noon Thursday please.

St Luke's Office at the Vicarage:

26 Norfolk Road  
Maidenhead SL6 7AX  
Tel. 01628-783033 (answering machine)