

# In Faith Out There

St Luke's Church, Maidenhead

WEEK COMMENCING 23rd May 2010

## This Sunday PENTECOST

8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist President: The Revd R.Holroyd Preacher: The Revd T.Robinson
6.00pm	'Sing in the Spirit' Songs of Praise for Pentecost at St.Luke's

*Readings:* Old Testament: Genesis 11.1-9  
New Testament: Acts 2.1-21  
Gospel John 14.8-17

Tues 25th	7.15pm Eucharist 8.00pm Standing Committee in the Parish Centre
Weds 26th	10.00am Eucharist: The Revd Dick Cheek
Thurs 27th	8.00pm InSpire Editorial meeting
Fri 28th	8.00pm Choir Practice
Sat 29th	10.30am Baptism Preparation

## Next Sunday TRINITY SUNDAY (Fifth Sunday)

8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Trinity Service Leaders: Noeline Page and Sonya Clarke
12 Noon	Baptism NO Evening Service

# 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.***

**Be 'InSpired':** The next edition of InSpire will be published at the beginning of June. Reviews, articles, pictures, poems etc. please by 30th May, preferably by email. Editorial team meeting on Thursday 27th May, 8pm at the Vicarage. Richard.  
(richardholroyd@mac.com)

**Wintershall Life of Christ Passion Play:** Saturday, 3rd July 10am-4pm. The Wintershall estate is a beautiful farmland setting near Guildford and every year a cast of 300 actors dramatically reconstruct the story of Christ's life and crucifixion complete with authentic costumes, real donkey and livestock and fishing boats on the lake. The play is all in the open air and the audience follow the actors from scene to scene picnicking in the grounds. Take your own rugs/garden chair and sun cream (or umbrella) and be part of an incredibly moving experience. As all tickets have to be paid for in full at the time of booking and sell out well in advance, I propose to place a group booking in early May. If you would like to join a group from St.Lukes please give your name and FULL PAYMENT to Ann Burdett asap and no later than May 10th. Tickets are £15 for adults and £7.50 per child. For more details see the Wintershall website [www.wintershall-estate.com](http://www.wintershall-estate.com) (We will share cars)

**Parish Outing:** This year is on Saturday, 17th July when we shall be visiting Bath. I have booked a coach with 53 seats, therefore these seats need to be occupied. The coach will leave from church at 8.30am PROMPT and should be back by approximately 7-7.15ish. The day will cost £10 (no increase since last year) and will as usual include a picnic tea. To book your seat, please contact Sonya (T.632626. Bath is a beautiful city with many attractions and suitable for all.

**Church Care Time:** Saturday, 19th June 9am-12.30pm. If you can help with various maintenance and cleaning jobs around the church and churchyard, please note the date in you diary. Details to follow. Roger Bevitt

**Maidenhead Advertiser Cash for Schools:** Please bring these tokens to church to be passed on to St.Luke's School for their benefit. Thank you.

**Plant Sale:** Spring is here, so please can we remind everyone to begin planting for our Sale on May 29th. Bedding plants and vegetables such as runner beans, french beans and peas are always in great demand.

**hotoboard:** I have the photo-board at home awaiting a new batch of photos. If you have any that would illustrate the activities of our church then it would be good to display them. What about the week-end away, Christian Aid, family happenings? Any photos will give the users of our Parish Centre an idea of just how active we are outside church, taking IN FAITH OUT THERE. Please pass your photos to Sonya, or contact me on 632626

**All Day Walk:** Our next all day walk will be on 29th May meeting at church for a 10.30am departure and we shall be walking somewhere in Oxfordshire. Further details from Roger Clarke (T.632626)

**All Day Walks:** The following Saturdays have been set aside for our All Day Walks: 26th June and 31st July. Those who enjoy a good walk and like to be in the fresh air are very welcome to come along. Walking boots are advised and you will need to bring a packed lunch and plenty to drink. We normally end our day by finding a pub for an evening meal. Please check the new sheet closer to the time for further information as to time of departure and venue, otherwise you can contact Roger Clarke (t.632626)

**Summer Evening Walks:** All are welcome, meeting at 7.15pm with the chance of a drink afterwards.

Thurs 27th May. A slightly hilly 3.5m walk taking in Hall Place & High Wood from the Dew Drop (GR823815) off Honey Lane between Burchetts Green and Hurley. Leaders – Roger & Jilly Bevitt (T.633464)

Weds 2nd June. A slightly hilly 3.5m walk over the weir towards Hambledon from the Flower Pot (GR784843) at Aston, down a right turning off the Henley Road. Leaders – Roger & Jilly Bevitt (T.633464)

Please share cars if possible and if it's raining phone the Leader to check that the walk is still on. Roger and Jilly (633464)

**Gentle Jazz:** and afternoon tea in Church at 2pm on Wednesday, 23rd June. Tickets £10, conc £8, available from Helen, Sally and Phyllis

**Calling all 'Feed the Children' blanket stitchers:**

Thanks to Mary Rose who is now putting knitted squares into sets for stitching up we have a good supply in the large wooden box that is under the table in the corner just inside the church door. Please help yourself when you need some. Any completed blankets should be given to one of the following volunteers to be taken to the warehouse: Mary Pennington, Peter Goford, John Stevens or the Bevitts, but note that I am away from church on many Sundays during the coming few months. Jilly Bevitt (633464)

**THE FLOODLIGHTING HAS BEEN  
SPONSORED THIS WEEK**

**in memory of  
Jack Martin  
beloved husband of Bess  
and father of Gill**

**Please Pray**

**for** the people who live in North Town Road

the sick: Gillian Fitzpatrick, Tim Williams, Vaughan Russell, Melanie Bibra, Win Reynolds, Pat Walker, Nick, Margaret Burrows, Julienne, Ken Brewer, Steve N., Ros Tieg, Hilary Fortnam, Jennifer Hyde, Eunice Moffatt, Paul Matthews, Anne Preston, Sandy Raffan, Saskia, Cynthia Hedges

those who have died Jack Southard

**ADVANCE NOTICES**

June 20th Baptism Celebration  
July 10th Summer Fair  
July 17th Parish Outing

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: 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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