



WEEK COMMENCING 6th July 2008

**This Sunday 7TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

<b>8.00am</b>	<b>Eucharist</b>
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>'Magic Carpet' Service</b> <b>All-age worship with</b> <b>Baptism and Eucharist</b>
<b>3.00pm</b>	<b>Berkshire Recorder</b> <b>Consort Concert</b>
<b>4.00pm</b>	<b>Sunday Half-hour at</b> <b>Southgate House</b>
<b>4.30pm-7.30pm</b>	<b>Voices Anon rehearsal</b>

Mon 7th	8.00pm	BRF Daylight Group at 'Windrush' Sheephouse Road
Tues 8th	7.15pm	Eucharist: The Revd Dick Cheek
	8.00pm	Contact Centre AGM in the Parish Centre
Weds 9th	10.00am	Eucharist
Thurs 10th	2-4pm	TEAS Voices Anon Concert in Church
Fri 11th	8.00pm	Choir Practice

**Next Sunday 8TH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

<b>8.00am</b>	<b>Eucharist</b>
<b>10.00am</b>	<b>President: The Revd T.Robinson</b> <b>Sung Eucharist</b> <b>President: The Revd T.Robinson</b> <b>Preacher: The Revd Dick Cheek</b>
<b>6.00pm</b>	<b>Evensong</b> <b>Officiant: Sonya Clarke</b>

*Readings: Old Testament: Isaiah 55.1-13  
New Testament: Romans 8.1-11  
Gospel: Matthew 13.1-9, 18-23*

# 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.***

**Change of phone number:** Phyllis Sigsworth's number is now 778656.

**Spire Brand Marmalade:** Next on sale end of July/beginning of August. Jilly B

**Thursday Teas:** on 10th July will be at St.Luke's School at 2pm where we shall be entertained by the children. August 13th we shall be back in the Parish Centre.

**Prayer Letters:** There are some which need delivering this month. Please look at the back of church if you can possibly help in any way. It is good if these can be delivered before they are mentioned on the news sheet. Thank you.

**Wexham Park Hospital Team:** Our next visit to take the service will be 27th July. If you would like to come along and help take God's love and message to both patients, staff and family, please contact me on 671795, and for those who regularly give their time, please confirm that you are available and accept my thanks and appreciation for what you do. Many thanks, Sonya.

**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.

**Thursday Group AGM:** will be held on 17th July in the Parish Centre at 8pm. All are welcome to attend this meeting during which we shall be electing our Committee and selecting our Charity for the year. If you need transport please contact me. Many thanks, Sonya (T.671795)

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

Thurs 10th July.(note change of date and place). A 3m slightly hilly walk taking in Winter Hill and back lanes of Cookham Dean. Meet at the Jolly Farmer, parking by the Church. Leaders Roger & Jilly Bevitt (T.633464)

Weds 16th July. Park and meet by the Church/Chequers pub at Fingest (GR777912) which may be reached by taking the Bovingdon Green/Frieth road out of Marlow. Leaders: Roger & Sonya Clarke (T.671795)

Please share cars if possible. Phone Leader for further details and, if wet, to check that the walk is still on.

**Parish Outing to Gloucester 19th July 2008:** I still have 17 seats to fill, so please consider a good day out with friends from church and make our Parish Outing a success. For further information, please contact Sonya (t.671795)

**Thursday Group Summer Party:** is being held on Sunday,

0th July from 6pm at Jean T-D's home. Tickets cost £6 and include food and soft drinks. If you could, please bring your own seat and if required any alcoholic beverage for your own consumption. Tickets will be available from TODAY from either myself or Sue Hinchliffe. For further information please contact me on 671795). Many thanks Sonya.

**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.

**'What a Man?':** Please take a leaflet if you are interested in our Summer Art Project from 20th to 24th August. In particular we need to be collecting recyclable material (details on leaflet). On Saturday 24th there will be a social event, a fashion show with a difference! Do join in.

**Electrically Powered Reclining Easy Chair:** No longer needed by it's owner. It is fairly small with a high seat for easy access on and off. It has a red/brown fabric cover. Contact Chris Sawyer (T.621408)

**Quiet Gardens:** Stoke Poges is open on Thursdays from 1st May to 17th July. Programmes available near the bookcase. For more information contact Enid (T.628195). B.R.F. also have 2 more Quiet Days advertised near Henley. If a group of 5 go together, 1 goes free, thus cutting the cost for all.

**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 for further information. Roger Bevitt.

**'Midsummer Nights Dream' Open Air Theatre:** and picnic or buffet supper.. Maidenhead Drama Guild are performing this classic Shakespeare play in the open air within the grounds of Berkshire College of Agriculture, Burchetts Green, on Tuesday 22nd July. The performance begins at 7.45pm although the grounds will be open from 6pm if you wish to bring a picnic. Alternatively you can book a pre-theatre buffet supper which will be served in the main building, Hall Place mansion, which is a beautiful listed building. The great advantage of this open air performance is that it will go ahead whatever the weather, as it will be transferred to one of the lecture theatres if it is inclement. Tickets cost £11 for adults and £9 concessions; buffet supper is £13.50 per head. Judging by last year's experience, the supper tickets sell out very quickly. If you would like to join the group from St.Luke's then please give your cheque (made payable to St.Luke's PCC) to Ann Burdett as soon as possible or tel.631486)

**THE FLOODLIGHTING HAS NOT BEEN SPONSORED  
THIS WEEK**

**Please Pray for** The Lambeth Conference, all those leaving school this month and the people who live in Sandringham Road

the sick: Gillian Fitzpatrick, Tim Williams, Vaughan Russell, Melanie Bibra, Win Reynolds, Sandy Raffan, Beryl Horsham, Roger Elton, Stephen Cooke, Olive Howells, Glyn Jackson, Claire Goringe, Graeme Bartholomew, Richard Grobler

those who have died Jennie Mynard, Dickie Wise, Robert Howlett, John Gilder, Irene Hing, Thomas Pattison

## **ADVANCE NOTICES**

Sat 19th July Parish Outing to Gloucester  
Aug 20th-24th Summer Arts Project 'What is Man?'

MUMS & TODDLERS meet  
in the CHURCH HALL  
THURSDAYS  
9.15am - 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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