



WEEKS
COMMENCING 18th & 25th November 2007

This Sunday	2ND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT
8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
12 noon	Baptism
4.00pm	Sunday Half-hour at Jakes House
<i>Readings:</i>	<i>Old Testament: Malachi 4.1-2a New Testament: 2 Thessalonians 3.6-13 Gospel: Luke 21.5-19</i>
<i>Tues - Friday</i>	<i>8.30am Morning Prayer</i>
Tues 20th	7.15pm Eucharist: The Revd Dick Cheek
Weds 21st	10.00am Eucharist: The Revd Dick Cheek
Fri 23rd	8.00pm Choir Practice
Sunday 25th	SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT CHRIST THE KING
8.00am	NO Eucharist
10.00am	Sung Eucharist
	President: The Revd Dick Cheek
	Preacher: Sonya Clarke
6.00pm	Evensong
	Officiant: Sonya Clarke
<i>Readings</i>	<i>Old Testament: Jeremiah 23.1-6 New Testament: Colossians 1.11-20 Gospel: Luke 23.33-43</i>
Tues 27th	7.15pm Eucharist: The Revd Dick Cheek
Weds 28th	10.00am Eucharist: The Revd Dick Cheek
Thurs 29th	8.00pm Fabric Committee at the Vicarage
Fri 30th	8.00pm Choir Practice
Sunday 2nd	FIRST SUNDAY OF ADVENT
8.00am	Eucharist
10.00am	'Magic Carpet' Service. All-age worship with Eucharist and Baptisms
	President: The Revd R.Holroyd
	Leaders: Noeline Page & Richard Holroyd
3.00pm	Piano Duets: Rhidian & Richard
4.00pm	Sunday Half-hour at Neve House
6.00pm	Journeying with the Magi

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.

Spire Brand Marmalade: Will next be on sale TODAY, Sunday, 18th November. Jilly B

InSpire: Material for next edition of the magazine to Richard H. by 24th November please.

Sunday Afternoon Walk: 25th November. Everyone welcome for a slightly hilly walk of about 3m by the river and around the permitted paths on the Juddmonte estate. We meet at 2.15pm in the lay-by (GR811829) just west of the Black Boys Inn on the A4130 Henley Road. Please share cars and if wet phone to check the walk is still on. (Apologies to those who would have preferred the 18th but heavy rain was forecast). Roger & Jilly Bevitt (T.633464)

Journeying with the Magi: A series of three services for Advent, on 2nd, 9th and 23rd December at 6pm imagining the journey of the Three Kings.

Berkshire Churches Trust Christmas Cards: Please see notice board for full details and let me have any orders by 25th November latest. Roger Bevitt (T.633464)

You'll be in **Stitches** if you join us on Thursday, 29th November at the new time between 1pm and 5pm. No lunch but seasonal afternoon tea available. All welcome. Margaret

Fairtrade: Fairtrade goods will be on sale in the Parish Centre after the 10 am service on Sunday, 25th November. This will be an opportunity to buy some 'Christmas goodies'.

Bi-monthly Lunch: The next lunch will be on Thursday, 29th November when we will go to the Toby at Old Windsor, leaving from Church at 12 noon. Phyllis (T.672006)

Knick-Knacks: Helen Poynter would like to borrow cowbells, lederhosen, etc. for the Austrian evening in January.

Swimarathon: Please note that the Swimarathon is a week later than usual and is on Saturday, 12th January 2008. As usual St.Luke's welcomes everyone willing to swim, support, or sponsor.

St.Luke's FINS (Friends in Need of a Swim): are

All sexes, ages, sizes, shapes and ability welcomed!
Meet in the foyer at 2pm. (free to over 60's). Further
information if needed from Jean T-D (T.626671)

Windsor Pantomime – Cinderella: If you would like to be part of the St.Luke's Group going to see Cinderella starring Wayne Sleep, Jan Leeming and two 'Any Dream Will Do' finalists at Windsor Theatre Royal on Friday, 4th January at 7.30pm, please see Ann or Richard Burdett as soon as possible. Tickets are £17.50 each and we have our usual prime location at the front of the stalls, which is good for catching the sweets!

Maidenhead Drama Guild Christmas Pantomime: We have 20 tickets remaining for the 'Panto at the OK Corral' at Desborough Suite, Town Hall, Maidenhead on Saturday, 1st December at 2pm. Afterwards we will have hot dogs, jelly and ice cream in the Parish Centre. All-inclusive tickets are £8.50 for adults and £6.50 for children. Please see Ann Burdett (T.631486) if you would like to go.

Maidenhead Care: Can you help? We need more Duty Officers to answer calls from clients and arrange suitable volunteers to help them, if we are to continue our complete Monday – Friday service to the community. One day, or even half day each month would be invaluable, and friendly training will be given. For more details please contact Ann Hockham (T.627496) or Jan Cheek (T.628484)

St.Luke's Hot Pepper Jelly: I am in need of more jars please. Preferably 8oz (mint sauce, horseradish) size with lids. If you have any, please leave at the back of church. Many thanks, Mary Q.

St Luke's Tours - Trip to Keukenhof Gardens, Amsterdam and Volendam. There are still 6 spaces left. Everyone is welcome until we have sold all the places!

THE FLOODLIGHTING HAS BEEN SPONSORED
THIS WEEK BY

Delia Newell
in memory of Margaret's Birthday

and by
Rita Buckland

and by
Janet & David Trinkwon
in celebration of their
35th Wedding Anniversary
and also
remembering family
birthdays in November

Please Pray for the people who live in Spencers Road
and Donnington Gardens

the sick: Gillian Fitzpatrick, Emma, Tim
Williams, Jane Brewer, Vaughan
Russell, David Sherwood, Kate,
Melanie Bibra, Win Reynolds,
George Warburton, Alexander,
Tricia Brown

ADVANCE NOTICES

2nd Dec Rhidian & Richard – Music for Piano Duet
16th Dec Carol Service
12th Jan Austrian Evening

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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