



St Michael's Church, Boldmere

12th June 2011
Pentecost

WELCOME

If you are **visiting** for the first time today a particular welcome to you. We have a Loop System.

Today the children will go to their groups, see notice on back page. There is a crèche area in the South Aisle for children under four with parents supervision.

Coffee, tea and squash are available in the South Aisle after both the 9am and 10.30am services.

Collect for Pentecost

Holy Spirit, sent by the Father,
ignite in us your holy fire;
strengthen your children with the gift of faith,
revive your Church with the breath of love,
and renew the face of the earth,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Sunday's Services— 12th June — Pentecost

9.00 am Holy Communion

Leader and Preacher Paul

Psalm 104: 24-35 page 580

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10.30 am Morning Worship

Joint Service at Wylde Green URC

6 00 pm Holy Communion

Leader : Paul Preacher: Gavin

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Diary for week

The office will be open Monday —Friday 9.30– 2.30

Monday, Wednesday Friday— Liz

Tuesday and Thursday – Rob

Monday 13th June

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.00 pm Choir Practice

8.00 pm PCC

Tuesday 14th June

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Wednesday 15th June

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

10.00 am Holy Communion

Thursday 16th June

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Friday 17th June

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

6.00 pm “Messy Church” in the Church Hall

Saturday 18th June

2.00 pm Teddy Bear's Picnic

REMINDER

Our new Curate Manda Howett arrives towards the end of June and is ordained on July 3rd. Please pray for her as she completes her exams and moves.

CHURCH WEEKEND @ home

Please do get involved with the weekend of 15th – 17th July when we shall be having visiting facilitators to help us. Also Andi Markham will be around for the children. There will be Worshiping, laughing, learning, eating, being ... TOGETHER! Please see the separate blue leaflet for more details:

Theme = i SEE you.



Committee Meetings

PCC Monday 13th June 8.00 pm Counselling Room

Funeral Services at St Michael's

Joan Smith

The funeral service for Joan will take place at 10.30am on Thursday 16th June

Sylvia Middleton

Sylvia's will take place on Friday 17th June at 11am

Messy Church Friday 17th June
6-8 pm In the Church Hall
Making things together
Worshiping together
Eating together
All Welcome



Teddy Bears' Picnic
St Michael's Church
18th June starting at 2.00pm

There will be numerous free activities
Such as Best dressed teddy, Best Fancy
Dress, Teddy Naming, Games and Races,
Facepaiting

There will be refreshments available
and a photographer will be present

South Aisle Fellowship
Tuesday 21st June
7.30 for 8pm start
AGM with cheese and wine supper

4th Sunday Lunch
Sunday 26th June 12.45pm
The lunch is open to everyone and all are welcome but would you please sign the sheet at the back of church to help with the catering. (there is a small charge to cover costs)

Mamma Mia Sing Along Evening
on 2nd July 7.00pm at the church hall.

Come in 70s clothes if you want to
Greek meal provided
Moussaka
Baklava and Strawberries
Greek yoghurt
Tickets are £6.00 to cover the cost of the food.
Tickets from Margaret 0121 355 4226 -

**Macmillan Cancer Support
Gardening Talk and Question Time**

Thursday 7th July 2011
7.30pm at St Michael's Church Hall
Tickets £6
Includes Tea— Coffee—strawberry scone
from Lin Benson 373 1227

Church Cookery Book

We plan to publish the cookery book by October.
Send your favourite recipes, (ideally with a picture or drawing) to
Margaret Smoldon margaretsmoldon@hotmail.com or Ruth
Yates by the end of July.
Recipes on paper can be posted in the box at the back of
church.

Coffee Rota

The coffee rota for July—December is now available at the back
of church.

If you would like to help please speak to Liz or Kathy or any
member of the team.

Birmingham Half Marathon October 23

Run the Race; Keep the Faith

We're building on the achievements of last year by trying to:

- Inspire 100 runners from across the churches to take part the run, even if they've never run before.
- Raise a target of £100,000 for Christian Aid (Bishop David's nominated charity for the event) and other personal causes.
- To build on last year, by providing a more obvious Christian presence and witness at the event (by increasing the number of runners wearing running shirts with our logo and providing bigger banners along the route.)
- To reflect the good news of the Gospel through encouraging support and joyful participation from church members across the city.
- To contribute to the atmosphere of this community celebration (by placing different types of music acts along the route from Dixie to community gospel choirs to drumming groups etc)
- To support the council in providing facilities on the day (building on the goodwill developed with the council from last year)
- To have appropriate literature available for distribution to spectators.

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For interested people who want to know a bit more about what's involved in running a half-marathon, we're running an evening session with profession Fitness Trainer Jamie Johnston on Monday June 13 (8.30 - 9.30pm at Christ Church Selly Park). Jamie is an experienced half marathon and fell runner with his own business in Birmingham.

This should be a great time for picking up tips (and training programmes) if people are just starting out or wondering if they could do

GIFT AID

One of the legal requirements for “Gift Aid” is that we must have on record the correct name and address for each donor.

I know that some of our members have changed their address since signing their Gift Aid declarations. In order to ensure that my records are up-to-date I would be grateful if all who have moved since completing a Gift Aid declaration would let me have details of their new address. This can be done either by leaving me a note in the rack at back of church, telephoning me on 354 3582 or by e-mail to erichudson@btinternet.com

May I also remind all members that if you are making a separate donation for what ever purpose and however small, please put it in a Gift Aid envelope either with your name or simply your reference No. and we can claim an additional 28pence for every £ you donate.

Gift Aid envelopes can always be found at the back of church.

Many thanks, Eric Hudson

Next Sunday's Services— 19th June

9.00 am Holy Communion

Psalm 8

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Matthew 26: 16-20

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10.30 am Morning Worship with Holy Communion

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6 00 pm Evening Worship

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Sunday Groups for Children

The Crèche Area in the South Aisle is for children below 4 years, under parents / carer supervision.

Reception - Y8 meet in the Upper Room

Y9+ = stay in church

Collection

A collection is usually taken in every service to support the work of St Michael's and the wider Diocese of Birmingham. Do not feel obliged to give, it is purely voluntary. However if you wish to give regularly then the best way is by Standing Order and if you pay tax to sign a Gift Aid form so we can claim the tax back.

PASTORAL TEAM

We have a Pastoral team who can offer support in an ongoing or urgent situation. If you would like someone to visit then please contact Liz in the office (details on the back of the Green Sheet) or Paul or anyone in the Team (details in the Magazine).

Points of Contact

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Verger:

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Church Office: 9.30am – 2.30pm Tel: 373 0207.

Liz Claybrook— Monday, Wednesday Friday

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