



St Michael's Church, Boldmere

18th September 2011

13th Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

If you are **visiting** for the first time today
a particular welcome to you.

Some notes that might help you:

Whenever you are invited to stand please feel free to remain seated if this is more comfortable for you.

We have a Loop System. If you have a hearing aid with a 'T' setting, simply switch it to 'T'.

When the screen is used there are usually paper copies available at the back of church. Please ask.

Children @ 10:30am service:

There is a crèche area in the South Aisle for children under four with parents supervision that can be used at any point in the service.

Today children will go to their group (Ages 4 to Year 6 inclusive).

From 25th September there will be a group for those in secondary school.

Please do stay after the service and **coffee, tea, squash, biscuits** are available in the South Aisle after both the 9am and 10.30am services. We look forward to chatting with you.

Collect for the week

Almighty God,
you search us and know us:
may we rely on you in strength
and rest on you in weakness,
now and in all our days:
through Je

Sunday's Services— Sunday's Services– 18th September

9.00 am Holy Communion

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10.30 am Morning Worship

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6 00 pm Evening Worship

Leader and Preacher Manda

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Diary for week

The office will be open Monday– Friday

9.30am –2.30pm

Monday 19th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.00 pm Choir Practice

8.00 pm PCC

Tuesday 20th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.30 pm South Aisle Fellowship

Wednesday 21st September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

10.00 am Holy Communion

Thursday 22nd September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Friday 23rd September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

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Alpha Lite

To complement the sermons being preached during the autumn, there will be a series of evening meetings to discuss various aspects of the topics covered. It will be a great chance to ask questions.

This will also act as Confirmation Preparation (Confirmation service is on Sunday 27th November).

Wednesday 7.30pm South Aisle

12th October Jesus

19th October Faith

2nd November Tools of faith

9th November Holy Spirit

16th November Confirmation Rehearsal

MALAWI SKILLS SHARE TRIP 2011

Now that we've returned safely from Malawi after our third trip with a team of wonderful teachers, we'd like to re-iterate our thanks to everyone at St Michael's for their support both before and during the past few weeks. As ever, you have been most generous in offering many useful items as well as money, and we know that many of you continually supported us in prayer, for which we are extremely grateful. Please continue to pray for Malawi, especially its teachers and the children in their care.

Of course, it's not too late for you to give! We promise that cash donations, small or large, will find their way directly to schools and churches, and if you're having a clear-out at home, children's books, games, stationery and clothing can be sent in the next container, due to go out in February.

MANY, MANY THANKS ONCE AGAIN, Jim & Liz Carr.

**Peter Howell-Jones's Installation as
Vice Dean of Chester**

**COULD YOU PLEASE PAY LIZ CLAYBROOK OR
LIN BENSON
BY SUNDAY 18TH SEPTEMBER**

Cheques should be made payable to
St Michael's PCC

The cost will be £12.50 per person,

The coach will leave St Michaels' at 10am on Saturday
24th September
giving time in Chester before the service and to be back by
about 8.30pm.

Thank You if you have recently or are wanting to set up a
standing order to give to St. Michaels.
Can you contact our Stewardship Secretary (Jean 321 3026)
ASAP to allocate you a reference number.
This helps confidentiality and Gift Aid.
Thank you again. Paul.

HARVEST- PARISH OVER SIXTIES TEA

Come with your wife, come with your husband
Come with a friend or just come on your own
You will be assured of a warm welcome.

Sunday 9th October

3.30 pm for 4 pm in the Church Hall

Transport available

Invitations are available at the back of the Church

Messy church is back on the 21st October,

if you were on the team last time expect to hear from Gav. However if you weren't involved last time, and would like to be, please could you use the signing up sheet at the back of church, and Gav will be in touch. Thanks very much! Gav

4th Sunday Lunch

Sunday 25th September 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)

Pink Rotas

Availability forms for November—January are now at the back of church. Could you please return to the office by Sunday 2nd October. Thanks Liz

Harvest and Parade Service 2nd October 10.30am

We are supporting The Basics Bank this year. This is a Christian Charity set up to help people in financial difficulties in Birmingham. Thus if you could bring a donation of any of the following it would be very much appreciated.

Most needed:

Cereals, Coffee, Sugar.

Other items:

Tea, Hot chocolate, Biscuits,

Tinned meats (stewing steak, corned beef, pies etc),

Milk (UHT or powdered),

Tinned potatoes, Packet pasta & noodles,

Pasta sauce/cook-in sauces, Tinned rice pudding

Committee Meetings

Monday 19th Sept PCC 8.00 pm Counselling Rm

St Michael's Church Magazine

The September edition of the church magazine is now available from the back of church. Lots of info and articles about what is happening here at St Michael's for just 50p.

If you could help delivered please speak to Martyn Cordes on
308 0385

Lost Property

There is a growing amount of lost property at the back of church, including a hearing aid. Please check to see if any of it is yours

South Aisle Fellowship Tuesday 20th September

7.30 for 8pm start
"Insomnia" by Dr Cole

Beijing Marathon

Dr Martin Wilkinson is running the Beijing Marathon on 16th October in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. He would really appreciate your support by asking to donate via the website www.justgiving.com/martinwilkinson or texting 70070 with the message BEIJ90 followed by the amount you wish to donate e.g. BEIJ90 £10

Sunday's Services— Sunday's Services— 25th September PATRONAL SUNDAY

9.00 am Holy Communion

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10.30 am Morning Worship with Holy Communion

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12.15 pm Shortened Holy Communion prior to

12.45 pm 4th Sunday Lunch

6 00 pm Evening Worship

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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)

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