



St Michael's Church, Boldmere

22nd August 2010
12th Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

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

There are no children's groups arranged for the summer. However each Sunday, during the talk, there will be a supervised activity arranged for the children in the south aisle. Children under four will require adult carer supervision during this time. The crèche area will be available during the service as normal but carers are asked to leave this area tidy when they finish.

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

Collect for the Week

God of constant mercy,
who sent your Son to save us:
remind us of your goodness,
increase your grace within us,
that our thankfulness may grow,
through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

This weeks services 22nd August

9.00 am Holy Communion

Leader : Paul Preacher: Margaret

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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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Diary for week

The office will be open

Monday, Wednesday and Friday 9.30am —2.30pm

Monday 23rd August

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Tuesday 24th August

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Wednesday 25th August

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

10.00 am Holy Communion

Thursday 26th August

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Friday 27th August

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Back to Church Sunday

is

26th September

So why a notice on the Green sheet now?

Because I want to ask you to think and pray about who **you** are going to bring to one of the services at St Michael's on Back to Church Sunday this year?

Services will be especially easy to follow and will include well know hymns and songs. This is a great opportunity for our friends and neighbours to be reminded of God's love for them and to build up church life.

Margaret

Treasure for treasure... Saving the Herkenrode Windows.
On **Saturday 11th September Lichfield Cathedral** is inviting women of all ages (and their families) to come to the Cathedral and donate pieces of jewellery that they no longer use or wear. The day is intended to be a celebration of womanhood, be part of an act of worship and save a unique piece of stained glass. The Herkenrode windows are situated in the Lady Chapel and date from the 14th Century. They were installed in the cathedral in 1802 and now need urgent repair and conservation work. You are invited to participate in this very special occasion. Please come along to Lichfield cathedral at any point between 1:00pm and 4:00pm, there will be a Thanksgiving service at 2:30pm. For more information, please contact Jodie Galley on 01543 306100 or email jodie.galley@lichfield-cathedral.org

Morning Prayers

Are held week day mornings between 9 and 9,30 in the Chapel-entrance is through the South Aisle
(see weekly diary for any changes to days)

INstep Mens' Breakfast **St Michaels's Church 4th September...**

The speaker is Peter Howell-Jones and we start with a light breakfast at 8.00am.
If you have not indicated your company with us please contact Mick Walsh on 07703 780566 or e-mail thewalshfamily@sky.com to book in advance. Newcomers welcome. Come on give it a try.

Help Wanted

In November we are having a morning making Advent Calendars, before then we desperately need people to cut out the windows ready for the children. If you could spare an hour or so and are handy with a craft knife or a Stanley knife please see Trudy Walsh

There will be a **memorial service for Francis Holttum** who died on the 14th July this year.

It will take place on Wednesday 25th August 11.30am at St. Michael's Church.

All are welcome to this service and to the refreshment buffet afterwards in the South Aisle.

Warden and Sidespeople rotas

For September—November are available at the back of church . Thanks Kathy

Readers Etc

In order to make provision for services during the absence of parish clergy and to take pressure off Paul when he returns back after sabbatical, it is necessary to draw up a rota that is longer than usual.

Therefore the availability forms for October 2010 to January 2011 are now at the back of church. Please return to the church office by Sunday 29th August Thanks Margaret

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 Margaret or anyone in the Team (details in the Magazine).

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Can you help with a working party for the outside of the Youth Minister's House (gardening & pulling weeds etc.)
Saturday 4th September 9.30 – bring your own tools
Thanks, Gary (Warden).



Macmillan Cancer Support

Our next event is a talk and demonstration about Pearl jewellery by George Hook, the Master Pearl Worker. It takes place on Friday 17th September at 7.30pm at the Carpenter's Arms, Boldmere Road. Included in the price of £8.00 per ticket is a Cheese and Wine light supper and it is hoped that some of Mr. Hook's jewellery will be on sale. Limited tickets from Lin Benson 373 1227.

Our Coffee Morning will also be held at the Carpenter's Arms and is on Friday 24th September from 10.00am until 12.30pm Everyone is welcome!

On Monday November 29th we are taking over the Juboraj Indian Restaurant for a curry supper. This meal will cost £15.00, with £5.00 of that going to Macmillan. It begins at 7.00pm and tickets from Lin Benson.

Next Sunday's Services 29th August

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Web Site

Please note the church website – www.stmichaels.org.uk – has been revamped and now you can download sermons etc. from here rather than having to go to a separate site. The Green Sheet is now available on the Web Site .

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. For more details regarding our finances and giving then

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