



St Michael's Church, Boldmere

26th September 2010
17th Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

Patronal and Back to church Sunday

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 at the back of church .

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 the Week

Gracious God,
you call us to fullness of life:
deliver us from unbelief
and banish our anxieties
with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

This weeks Services 26th September

Back to church Sunday

9.00 am Holy Communion

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10.30 am Morning Worship

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12.15 pm Shortened Holy Communion

Prior to Parish Lunch

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 27th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.00pm Choir Practice

Tuesday 28th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.30 pm Finance Committee Meeting

Wednesday 29th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

10.00 am Holy Communion

Thursday 30th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Friday 1st October

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

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As many of you will know by now, Margaret, our Curate will be leaving us next month to take up her post as Vicar at Holy Trinity, Lickey and St Catherine's, Blackwell.

Margaret's last Sunday with us will be 24th October 2010. On this day, we will have ONE service at 11am to allow us all to celebrate Margaret's time here together and give thanks and praise for her service. This service will be followed by a Bring and Share lunch, to which we hope everyone will be able to stay.

For those wishing to contribute to Margaret's leaving collection, there are blue labelled envelopes at the back of church.

Please put the 24th October in your diaries now and let's celebrate Margaret's time with us in true St Michael's style. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact either Pat Tennant (Lay Chair of PCC), Kathy Evans or Gary Connell (Wardens).

Many thanks

CHURCH HALL

We need someone to check the hall for an hour on Saturday mornings and 2 hours on Monday mornings. Heavy cleaning will not be required but ensuring that cloakrooms etc are in order for the next users. This is a paid position and would suit an active pensioner!

Please ring me if you are interested or know of someone who might be.

Pat Tennant
0121 354 4795

St Michael's Prayer Meeting

All are welcome to join the monthly prayer group when we especially pray for the life and work of St Michael's .
Next meeting to be held at 8pm on Thursday 30th September at 58 Morven Road Sutton Coldfield B73 6ND.

Get Ready for this years Christmas Market

This years Christmas Market will be held on
Friday 12th November 7pm to 9pm and
Saturday 13th November 10.30am to 1pm
Everyone will be welcome.
More Info from Julie & Bob Giles 355-4594

CHILDRENS SOCIETY BOXES

I would like to open the boxes over the next month. Can you either leave at the back of church or ring me for me to call round for them. Thank you for your continues support
Pat Tennant Tel 0121 354 4795

Sunday 26th September 12.45

Normal 4th Sunday lunch

Not bring and share

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)

QUIZ IN AID OF MALAWI

Come along to a Quiz Evening on Friday 15th October in St Columba's Church Hall at 7.30 p.m. Teams of up to 6 people, £6 per head to include a light supper. Soft drinks provided, but bring your own booze.

All money raised will go towards education projects in Northern Malawi, where the Diocese continues with the struggle to run its schools effectively in the face of a desperate lack of funds: the fact is, however, that it doesn't take too much effort on our part to begin to make a difference think about this – the amount raised by entering one team of 6 for the quiz would pay the salary of a Malawian teacher for a month.

Contact Liz or Jim Carr by October 8th to enter a team: phone 354 3769 or email liz.carr@blueyonder.co.uk

St Michael's Church Magazine

The July 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

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 10th October

3.30 pm for 4 pm in the Church Hall

Transport available

Invitations will be available at the back of the Church

ITEMS WANTED FOR CAR BOOT SALE

I would like to ask any member of the church who has any small items (particularly CDs and DVDs, children's clothing and table ware) in a sale-able condition to donate them for a car boot sale to help me raise funds with a view to exploring the possibility of starting my own business. Please bring items to church within the next two weeks, or arrange for them to be collected by contacting Liz Carr (354 3769) or Ann Grice (355 2097).

Many, many thanks for your support ~ ~ Bonny Mubonderi

CONCERT FOR BONNY'S FAMILY

7.00pm Saturday 20th November

At St Michaels church

with

Christian rock band 'Habakkuk' featuring our own Rob Adams on vocals,
Acoustic duo from Cambridge,
wonderful solo singers
and Jazzy Mick Walsh & friends.

Refreshments served during interval.

Tickets £5 each available from
Edwina Connell, Cathy Spruce, Mick Walsh,
Or telephone 682 9119 to reserve

Women's Guild Open Evening

Film "Shirley Valentine"

Wednesday 6th October 7pm in the Church Hall

All Welcome

Charity Proceeds to The Air Ambulance ACF Charity for 2010

Date for your diaries
CURRY NIGHT

The Social Committee are organising a curry night on
Friday 8th October
In the Church hall
Cost £6
Further details to follow shortly

St Michael's Men's Football
Tuesdays, 8.45-10 pm

Does anyone have the yearning to play indoor football. We are a group of men with varying footballing abilities and, especially, ages (most are in their 30's but I am now well beyond my sell-by date). We play in Bishop Vesey's Sport's Hall on a Tuesday evening. We are getting low in numbers and, at my age, I can't play 3-a-side for much longer! You will be very welcome. Bring a friend! Austin Spruce (Tel 321 2604).

Next Sunday's Services 3rd October
Harvest

9.00 am Holy Communion

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10.30 am Morning Worship with Parade

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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

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).

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 please see the Vicars Bulletin.

Points of Contact

Vicar:

Revd Paul Rattigan, On Study leave until December 2010

Curate:

Revd Margaret Brighton, 19 Southam Drive,

Tel 355 5430 e-mail margaret@stmichaels.org.uk

(off Fridays)

Youth Minister— Gavin Hicks 07746 887335

Student Youth Minister - Kate Hammond 07814 842010

Verger:

Michelle Johnson

Tuesday—Friday 354 9364 , 07982 948827

Church Office:

Liz Claybrook—

Monday, Wednesday Friday 9.30– 2.30pm

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