



St Michael's Church, Boldmere

3rd October 2010
18th Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

Harvest

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

Today the children will stay in 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

Creator God,
you made the goodness of the land,
the riches of the sea
and the rhythm of the seasons;
as we thank you for the harvest,
may we cherish and respect
this planet and its peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

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This weeks Services 3rd October
Harvest

9.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

Leader and Preacher Margaret Preacher

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10.30 am Morning Worship with Parade

Leader: Margaret Preacher :Ann

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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 4th October

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.00pm Choir Practice

Wednesday 6th October

10.00 am Holy Communion

7.00 pm Women's Guild Open Night

Thursday 7th October

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Friday 8th October

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Curry Night

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

Traidcraft

Just to remind everyone that there will be a sale of fairly traded goods before and after this weeks 10.30 service. Please support us to support others by buying fairly traded produce.

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

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

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

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

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

St Michael's Church Magazine

The October 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

Date for your diaries CURRY NIGHT

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

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 10th October

9.00 am Holy Communion

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10.30 am Morning Worship

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6 00 pm Holy Communion

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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:

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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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