



St Michael's Church, Boldmere

4th September 2011
11h Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME

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

God of glory,
the end of our searching,
help us to lay aside
all that prevents us from seeking your kingdom,
and to give all that we have
to gain the pearl beyond all price,
through our Saviour Jesus Christ.
Amen

Sunday's Services— 4th September

9.00 am Holy Communion (BCP)

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10.30 am Morning Worship

Leader: Manda Preacher: Elaine

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6 00 pm Evening Worship

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Diary for week

The office will be open Monday– Friday

9.30am –2.30pm

Monday 5th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

7.00 pm Choir Practice

Tuesday 6th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Wednesday 7th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

10.00 am Holy Communion

8.00 pm Women's Guild Open Evening

Thursday 8th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Friday 9th September

9.00 am Morning Prayer in the Chapel

Want to understand the Christian faith more deeply?
Open to exploring how to live out your faith
more confidently?
Keen to explore what it means to be sharing in the life of the
church, gathered in prayer
and sent out in service?

Then the 3D Course is for you!

Diocesan Course for Developing Disciples



What is expected?

Regular attendance (each session lasts about 90 minutes)

Some preparation for each session

Working in a group led by a tutor

Being willing to listen, learn and grow

It aims to give a clearer overview of the Bible (Old and New Testaments) as well as some understanding of its key themes.

More information is available in a fuller leaflet available from Paul, Ann Willis or Elaine Riley.

There are 30 sessions running from September 2011 through to next June. There are courses running in different parts of the Diocese but crucially there is at least one running here at St. Michaels. A group will be meeting in church on a Sunday Evening starting @ 7.30pm.

Women's Guild

The first meeting of this term is on Wednesday 7th September in the Church Hall at 8pm.

We are having a Town Crier to speak.
This is an Open Meeting so all are welcome.
For more details please contact
Ann Willis 2433168

Barn Dance

Sat 17th September 7pm for 7.30pm

As part of saying goodbye to Kate Hammond, the social committee have organised a Barn Dance. Costs still to be sorted, limited space, see Margaret Smoldon to register.

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

The coach will leave St Michaels' at 10am on 24th September giving time in Chester before the service and to be back by about 8.30pm. The cost will be £12.50 per person, Could you please pay Liz Claybrook or Lin Benson **by Sunday 18th September.**

Cheques should be made payable to
St Michael's PCC

If you are going but not on the coach could you please let Lin know asap as Peter needs to know how many tickets to allocate.

PARISH BREAKFAST

The next Breakfast will be on
Saturday 17th September
in the Guide Hall.

For the early birds, we start serving at 8.30 a.m. and continue throughout the morning. Come and enjoy a breakfast of your choice. Full English, Continental or just tea and toast.

From 10.30 a.m. onwards we shall also be serving coffee and cakes. Also on sale will be a wonderful selection of cakes, cards and paper

McMillan Cancer Support
Coffee Morning as part of

The Worlds Biggest Coffee Morning
Friday 30th September 2011

10.15 am—12.30 pm
5 Greenhill Road
Wylde Green
Everyone Welcome

Health & safety request

Concern has been raised over the potential health and safety risks to young children when running around unsupervised in the main church after services. While we try to make the church as child-friendly as possible, we cannot completely eliminate all risks. So, in the interests of safety, please could all parents keep an eye on their children after the service, and can all of us be vigilant to potential risks. Many thanks.

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)

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

Birmingham Half Marathon

On Sunday 23 October as I am running the Birmingham Half Marathon, I am running for 'Children with Cancer UK' people can sponsor me online by going to - www.justgiving.com/1blindmouse
Thanks- Mark Bishop

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)

Prayer Calendar

The Prayer Calendar for September which we hope all church members will find of use in their personal prayer lives, is now available. Look out for your copy, on yellow paper, today at the back of Church

Morning Prayers

Are held week day mornings between 9 - 9.30 in the Chapel-entrance is through the South Aisle
(see weekly diary for any changes to days)

Fairtrade

Reminder that it's Fairtrade next week and every second Sunday through the year except august.

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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.

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.

Points of Contact

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