

# *Outlook*

Hughenden Parish Magazine  
St Michael and All Angels



***September 2013***

## **Welcome to Your Church**

The fact that you are reading these words suggests that you are a new reader of this magazine. Either you are a newcomer to this area or you are a visitor.

If you are a visitor, we hope that you have enjoyed your visit to our church; that you have found it interesting, instructive and conducive to prayer. If you are going to be here at one of our regular service times, we hope that you will join us in the worship of God and we ask that you take our greetings back to your own church.

If you are new to this Parish, we bid you welcome and invite you to join us and share in the fellowship of God's family in Hughenden. This magazine gives details of the regular times of worship here. We hope that you will find something to meet your spiritual needs. The printed word is cold and remote and we would like to make personal contact with you, so please leave your name and address in the box at the back of the church.

Whoever you are who reads these words, may God bless you, sustain you and protect you, your family and friends, now and always.

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## **Outlook**

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# September 2013



**Dear Readers,**

Whilst compiling this month's Outlook, we were struck by the number of activities and events being held in the next few weeks organised by and for our Church. Some of these are fund raising events for our linked charities, for example the Concert for Thames Valley Partnership and New Leaf on the 2nd November, performed by the New Mozart Orchestra, led by Clive Fairbairn. Others are spiritual in nature, such as the start of the new format Alpha Course, the prayer breakfast, the Quiet Day, Prayer for Wycombe, and the re-launched prayer cycle. These fulfil our '**prayer**' object from our 4Ps. Others focus on outreach (our '**presence**' and '**proclamation**' function) such as the Auction and Barn Dance.

These events rely primarily for their organisation upon our many stalwarts; but they all call for **our** support too. Please offer whatever you can do to assist with those events that are of interest to you... and tell others who may be interested about these activities.

On a quite different topic, attenders at the 10.45 service have been asked to fill in a Questionnaire to give feedback about the format of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Sunday Service. If you have missed this, please seek a form out or convey your views to Simon or the Churchwardens.

Finally, as this lovely summer draws to a close, can we take this opportunity to wish you blessings for the autumn

**Jane and Christopher Tyrer**  
**Editors**

## From the Vicarage - September 2013

A little bit of self-disclosure for this one.

When I was seven I began attending a boarding school somewhere in Berkshire. I was deeply miserable there and somehow found myself continually getting into trouble. It was not that I was deliberately deviant: I just did stupid things that landed me in the headmaster's study with predictable frequency.

Whilst I avoided the cane (school, the happiest days of our lives!) there was one punishment that inevitably I found myself facing at the end of the summer term. All the boys slept in dormitories; however there was one room set aside, a single room. It had a name on the door, 'Forget Me Not'; it was a dreaded place of segregation and to be sent there meant that one had committed some serious infraction. I actually don't remember what landed me there but I do remember the first evening feeling an utter sense of desolation. This however was soon replaced by a sense of total liberation. This was towards the end of the summer term and the evenings

stayed light long after the official lights out time. I soon realised that with no prefects to police what I was doing, apart from the occasional inspection that I had to be wary of, there was enough light for me to read by. It was in 'Forget Me Not' that I first discovered the children's stories by C S Lewis, the Narnia Chronicles. In truth I kept this discovery to myself for a long time as stories about a bunch of children in some fantasy land was not what an eight year old boy should be seen with, (I mean I had just discovered rugby!) but I was captivated, and have been captivated by these stories ever since. At the time they represented an escape from my misery. I wasn't to know that they would mark the beginning of a journey that would change my life.

Wind the clock forward twelve years when I was a student in South Wales. It was here that I re-engaged with the writings of C S Lewis having been introduced to them by a Christian member of staff at the Polytechnic where I was studying. This time I avidly ploughed through Lewis' science fiction trilogy, Out of

the Silent Planet, Voyage to Venus, and That Hideous Strength; these stories also had a deep impact upon me. It was at this time that I knowingly became a Christian and Lewis' works of Christian apologetics became firm foundational reading, Mere Christianity, the Problem of Pain and of course the Screwtape letters perhaps being the three best remembered.

I have read and re-read C S Lewis' works over the years and every time I get something new and refreshing out of them. Of course many things have dated: they were, after all, written by bachelor and an Oxford academic: a rarified combination even in wartime and post war Britain and yet there is much of worth that remains. I especially love Lewis' robust theology in Mere Christianity and the Problem of Pain, and his depiction of heaven and hell in the Great Divorce which, in my opinion, has never been matched.

This year marks the 50th anniversary of Lewis' death, He is apparently more read than ever before. Certainly with the film franchise a new generation has been introduced to his Narnia chronicles, but his other

books remain well sold as well. There is one book that I want to get hold of for my holiday read (at the beginning of September, after most others people's holidays are over). It is a new biography\* of Lewis by the theologian Alistair McGrath written to coincide with this anniversary. Alistair McGrath was my personal tutor at theological college in Oxford and himself is a prolific writer so I look forward to this read which has received very good reviews.

I have found it profoundly helpful to have these foundational Christian works to return to throughout the years. I have read many other things as well but of all the books piled up in my study, if I could keep only a small handful, undoubtedly and above all else they would be the much thumbed copies of Lewis' works. Along with many others I am indebted to him for planting a seed of longing in me which led to the discovery that beyond the stories of Narnia is an extraordinary wonderful truth. I am indebted to him for giving me so much robust and challenging material to return to over the years of my ministry. Looking back, a spell of exile in 'Forget me Not' was an

extraordinary stroke of good fortune. However, I never went back to that school, the following September: my parents decided to send me

elsewhere, a decision they - and I - did not regret.

**Simon**

*(\*Alistair McGrath: C.S. Lewis A Life. Eccentric Genius Reluctant Prophet)*

### **Update to my last letter in Outlook**

Many thanks for the comments that I received following my last letter in Outlook. Firstly, it is good to know that people do read these and bother to comment! There has been a bit of an update. Apparently following the response to the e-petition about benefits and homeless shelters there has been clarification that benefits can still be claimed if someone is using a homeless shelter: so that is very good news. What was not good news at all was the case lost in the High Court by ten people with disabilities who challenged the so-called bedroom tax. It was claimed that there are other sources of provision for them and they have not been discriminated against. Gillian Guy, the chief executive of Citizens Advice said of this provision "Discretionary housing payments are worth only a small fraction of the total cut in housing benefit and are often only temporary, meaning problems can go unresolved". The Government's stance was challenged in the 'Independent' on Monday 5 August claiming that 96 per cent of those affected by this tax have, in effect, nowhere to move. For the 38 councils that provided full data, 99,079 families are expected to be affected by the bedroom tax, but only 3,803 one and two bedroom social housing properties are available - just a small percentage of the homes required to rehouse the families who are hit. Many of those affected by the policy have a disability and, as I said in my last letter, spare rooms are needed to store equipment: they are not spare bedrooms at all. I continue to believe that this represents a gross injustice hitting the most vulnerable of our society.

**Simon**

## AUTUMN DATES FOR THE DIARY

The following events are being organised this autumn by the Church, as part of its mission to the community. PLEASE support these events by offering to assist in preparing and running them and by coming and participating.

ALPHA: Explore the mysteries and tenets of our Christian faith in a cordial and relaxed atmosphere through weekly meetings between October and December.

BARN DANCE: Saturday the 5<sup>th</sup> October between 7.30pm and 11pm. Tickets £10 and £5: great fun for all the family.

CLASSICAL MUSIC CONCERT: Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> November, by the New Mozart Orchestra, Director: Clive Fairbairn, in aid of the Thames Valley Partnership and New Leaf. Tickets from Christopher Tyrer or [bron@thamesvalleypartnership.org.uk](mailto:bron@thamesvalleypartnership.org.uk)

AUCTION OF PROMISES: Saturday the 16<sup>th</sup> November in Hughenden Village Hall, commencing at 2pm. Pledges, promises, items for auction, gifts and donations gratefully received.

Further details are within this Magazine, in Church Notices or from Frank Hawkins 01494 565050 or Christopher Tyrer 01844 344650.

## Quiet Day

This is an invitation to a day of rest and stillness in God's presence. The day is Saturday, 19<sup>th</sup> October, from 10.00 am to 3.30 pm and the venue is the Methodist Church, Chapel Lane, Naphill. Look for Posters and fliers early in September with full details.



**Norma Clarke, Moira Lewis  
and Yvonne Cook**



**Prayer Breakfast for Alpha:  
Church House Hughenden  
Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September 2013  
At 8.30 am**

Having received very positive feedback from a prayer breakfast earlier this year, we are holding another breakfast to focus on the Alpha course starting on 26<sup>th</sup> September.

A simple breakfast will be provided, followed by the opportunity to pray in small groups for the potential participants, leaders, practicalities etc.

Please let Helen Peters know if you are able to join us and if you have special dietary requirements (Tel: 01494 716722 [helen.peters@peters-research.com](mailto:helen.peters@peters-research.com))

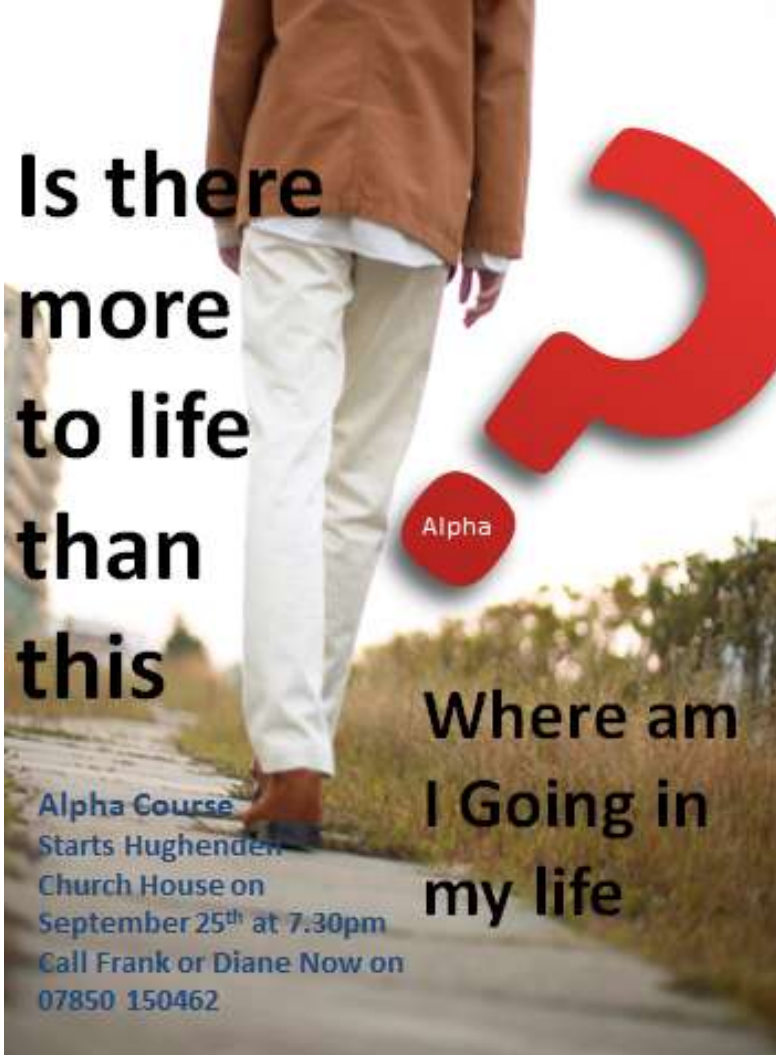
**National Trust Events  
September 2013**



Sat 14 Sept 2 – 3.30pm	Wild Food Walk	Join our Ranger and discover the wild foods we can find in the countryside.	£2. Booking essential – estate office.
Sat 14 Sept 11am – 5pm	Heritage Open Day		Free admission
Sat 21 Sept 10 – 4pm	Countryside workout	Countryside volunteering (one off or regular)	Free, no need to book. Phone 01494 755573 for details & where to meet and dates.



## NEW ALPHA COURSE



Is there  
more  
to life  
than  
this

Alpha

Where am  
I Going in  
my life

Alpha Course  
Starts Hughenden  
Church House on  
September 25<sup>th</sup> at 7:30pm  
Call Frank or Diane Now on  
07850 150462

### The Alpha Course Has a New Format

The new course starts Wednesday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2013 with some really exciting developments. The previous format of the course has traditionally had a DVD lecture by Nicky Gumball followed by some active group discussion sessions. However, technology has now come to assist us and we will be able to join in with **live sessions** from the home of Alpha (Holy Trinity Brompton London) with a full range of speakers including Nicky Gumball.

This means that the speakers will be able to provide some exciting stimulation for the groups.

We as local leaders are delighted with this change as our topics and discussions will be right up to date. The chance to ask questions will always be available even if all the answers cannot be found!

The questions that deserve an answer usually include:

Where am I going in my life? Is there more to life than .....?  
Did Jesus really die for us? Is Christianity relevant in the 21<sup>st</sup> Century?

This is going to be an exciting and challenging course. If you feel that you want to know more but are not sure about the course itself please feel free to come along for one or two sessions and then make up your mind. If you have to miss one or two sessions due to other commitments don't worry, we are used to this. Please note that there is no charge made for this course.

Session 1 on the 25<sup>th</sup> September has a cooked supper and a preliminary outline of the course with a DVD introduction lasting about 30 minutes after the meal.

Session 2 each Wednesday onwards for 11 weeks will have the live link content and the programme for these evenings will be tea coffee and cakes at 7.15pm with the live link happening at 7.45pm.

All sessions will finish by 9.45pm.

If you would like to get involved, please call Frank or Diane on 07850 150462 for further details or to register for the course.

## **Bubbles**

As an eavesdropper on Bubbles, the Sunday School group for the younger children, I was engrossed. What a lovely time they were having while learning the bible stories. They all sat in a circle on kneelers borrowed from the church and listened, wide eyed, while Helen (on this occasion) told them about things that had been



lost and then found. (I was wide eyed too!) Everyone shouted 'hooray!' when the missing things came to light. This was all woven into how much Jesus loves them.

They spend some of their time colouring pictures or sticking shapes onto paper. One week they made sheep, sticking little pieces of cotton wool onto the drawing of a sheep. They all end their time together by standing in a circle and saying some simple prayers, then holding the prayers in their hands, whirling them higher and higher until they 'throw' them up to Heaven.

How did I come to be eavesdropping? Well, I was on crèche duty in the North Room. I must hasten to assure parents who leave their children in my care, that I do watch them carefully as well as listening in to Bubbles!

**Sylvia Clark**

## **Wrong question, wrong answer**

Douglas Alexander told a story at the annual Labour Friends of Israel lunch (yes, you can be a friend of Israel and still criticise the Israeli government) about his father, who is a Church of Scotland minister.

He was conducting a marriage and suddenly realised halfway through the opening hymn and welcoming sentences that he had forgotten the names of the couple. But as the hymn ended he came up with a plan, so he turned to the groom and pronounced, in as solemn a voice as possible: 'In what name do you present yourself?' The ruse was to no avail. The groom, well versed in liturgy, proudly declared: 'In the name of the Father, the Son and the Holy Ghost.'

*From Christ Bryant's column in 'The Independent', Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July 2013.*

## **Mothers' Union**

On July 2<sup>nd</sup> we were pleased to host an Open Evening for our members and friends: everyone tried to invite at least one non-member. Pimms and strawberries, cream and scones were served and they were very much enjoyed by everyone. Unfortunately it must

have been the last cold, wet evening before the heat wave started so we could not be in our pretty garden as planned. There was much socialising before we showed two short films about the aims and work of The Mothers' Union in the UK and Africa. The films have been produced as part of a membership drive and provided food for thought. The response to our evening was very encouraging with over 40 people attending.

Many thanks to everyone who supported our cake and produce stall in July. The final total was £201.70 which is being used to make donations to the MU "Away from it All Holidays" and The "Wheels Appeal"



charities. Away from it All Holidays provides holidays for locally needy families. The Wheels Appeal is providing extra money to cover the extra cost of fuel for MU social workers in Africa.

Thank you also to everyone who donates so generously to The One Can Trust collecting box: there is a big demand for the food parcels during the school holidays.

We had a very enjoyable coffee morning in the garden on August 5<sup>th</sup> in perfect warm sunshine, it was good to see so many members and friends and catch up on news.

Our next meeting is on Tuesday, September 3<sup>rd</sup> : 7.45pm for 8pm. The speaker will be Heather Baxter talking about "A Day in The Life of The Royal Ballet Company".



All are welcome.

**Barbara Willson**

## **“Have you met Rosa?”**

*The following article was published in ‘Church Alive!’- the Swanage Parish Magazine in June 2013, and was submitted by Jane Eastgate.*

Have you met Rosa, the absolute gem of the Stroke Unit at Poole Hospital?

As one enters Rockley Ward, this small round lady from Portugal, with the kindest face and empathetic eyes, just appears at your side with a cup of tea. Oh the most welcome sight as one is nervously wondering how you will find your beloved husband that day; tubes everywhere, maybe slumped to the side or slipped down the bed, a raging temperature, breathless, or begging for a drink that he can't have?

One learns that Rosa has already befriended your husband, knows all about his family, his life, his work, his humour and his great love of God and desire to talk of Jesus.

Rosa just pops up alongside each member of the family as they visit in sadness and apprehension with her love and kindness just oozing.

On the 10<sup>th</sup> day, one learns that Rosa is a committed, worshipping Christian as she tells you that she prays for every patient and each member of staff each morning and that her faith in God is her motivation.

Her badge says ‘Housekeeper’, but to us, through our 20 days (so far) of extreme crisis and sadness, Rosa is the bright sunshine that God has sent us. John sings to her in his creaky, breathless voice “You are my sunshine” and we just thank God for her.



# CHURCH AUCTION

**Saturday 16th November 2013**

*To raise funds for the Work and Ministry of  
Hughenden Parish Church*

**At Hughenden Village Hall**

**Viewings from 10.00am on day of sale.  
Sale starts at 2.00pm.**

**Lots include antique furniture, event tickets,  
holiday cottages, promises, glass,  
porcelain & general sale items.**

**Bar & Refreshments available.  
Light lunches from 12.00 noon**



**If you have items for the sale or can donate a gift voucher  
or are able to make a promise –  
Please call Frank Hawkins on 01494 565050**



**24/7 Prayer for Wycombe**

By the time this goes to print, the holiday season will be a not too distant memory. However, throughout the last two months ministries that we pray for under 24/7 Prayer for Wycombe have continued to spread the Gospel and exhibit the love of God throughout our town. The Prayer Points for September are not available just now but we may have requests from some of the following ministries so that we can incorporate them in our prayers.



During the last week of July, Lighthouse 2013 took place on three sites in the Wycombe area and with a brand new site opening up in Beaconsfield. Having taken part in the scheme in Hazlemere this year, albeit in a very small way, I was able to see the amount of dedication put into the organisation and programming on just that one site. It was inspiring to see so many young people enrolling as helpers but being young wasn't the only criterion; there were quite a few seniors there too and some of them had been helping for years and loved it. My role began at the end of the day and by the time I left I met scores of 'young adults' arriving to enjoy the activities offered in the Fresh Cafe. As always there are never enough volunteers to deal with the numerous children who would like to come along. Next year I hope to be able to 'dip my toe in' a little further than I did this year. I'm sure there will be requests for praise and thanks for the success of Lighthouse 2013.

With the new school year starting in September Wycombe Youth for Christ will be planning their programme for the year as they engage with children just starting out, students changing schools and new university students arriving from all over the country. Erica Holt and her Team will be building many new relationships, not only with the children, but with teaching staff at the schools they visit as they take Assemblies and RE Lessons and run their clubs.

News from the Dorcas Project is that they had 150 referrals for new school uniforms during the summer and they were able to fill all of them. They were overwhelmed with the generosity of individuals, churches and organisations who helped them achieve their goal in supplying the children referred by social workers, health professionals,

children centre workers and other professionals working with vulnerable families. We look forward to hearing that Dorcas have achieved their charitable status very soon.

As I drive around our local area and beyond, many of the churches are displaying their 'Alpha Course' banners. St Michael's begins their course on Wednesday, 25<sup>th</sup> September, in Church House. Perhaps you know someone who has questions they would like to ask. Perhaps you have some of your own. It's very likely that we will have prayer requests for Alpha Courses taking place over the next few months in Wycombe and the surrounding area.

During August I stepped right out of my comfort zone as I went to Wycombe to speak to the Healing on the Streets Team and have prayer before I left them. They are situated in the area outside Robert Dyas from 1.30 pm to 3.30 pm on Saturdays where they have several seats so that you can sit comfortably as they pray. They don't forget you once you have left but continue to pray for you for a month. They have been spiritually challenged for some weeks and requested prayer for a resolution, which has been answered.

These are some of the ministries we pray for on our chosen day. Our prayer day this month is Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> September from 8.00 am to 8.00 am Friday. The Prayer Room will be set up in the North Room with all the usual facilities available. Prayerfully think about signing up for an hour, or part of an hour if that is all you can manage, in prayer for these and other ministries and the many volunteers involved in them. The sign-up sheet will be on the table within a week of our last prayer day and the Prayer Points will be available by the last weekend of the month. Further information can be obtained from Simon (563439) Jacky (07921 258822) or Yvonne (563960).

**Yvonne Cook**







# **H A R V E S T B A R N D A N C E**

**Organised by Hughenden Parish Church for all the community**

**All Welcome especially  
families with children**

**Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> October  
at 7.30 pm**

**NAPHILL VILLAGE HALL**

**Includes Ploughmans Supper with Bar available.**

**Professional Music and Friendly Caller**

**Tickets £10 adults Children £5**

**For Tickets Call: 01 494 565050 or 07850 150462**

# The Reverend Canon John Eastgate



## A Tribute by Kathleen Moxham

The 30<sup>th</sup> May 2013 was a sad day for many of us as we heard of the death of dear John – but a happy day for him as he entered into the nearer presence of the LORD whom he had served so faithfully.

When he was a young man, John spent several years at Kelham, an Anglican religious community known as the Society of the Sacred Mission. He learned theology there and a discipline of life based upon worship, prayer and work for the love of JESUS and of the Gospel.

He became Vicar at Hughenden in 1983 and retired for medical reasons in 1994. His ministry was a good time for the Parish: congregations grew and his involvement in Village activities made him as much respected and loved outside the Church as inside it. In worship he led in a relaxed and natural manner that made us feel “at home” with GOD. Outside in the community, his joyful ability to play the piano and sing and his concern for the welfare of individuals brought many friends – and the knowledge that the Church was neither exclusive nor stuffy. PRAYER was the basis of his busy life. John and his good wife Jane, who cares especially for the sick and dying, made a well-balanced partnership. John was a great exponent of hard work. Jane told me recently that he had said “carry on the work.”

He was compassionate too. I myself cherish his kindness to my aged parents whom he visited on their 70<sup>th</sup> Wedding Anniversary at my home and took photographs. Later he was on a course in Windsor and managed to see my Dad a few days before he died in a Care Home there. He conducted both my parents' funerals in the context of the Eucharist with simplicity and an occasional touch of humour. John's last years of retirement were happily spent in Swanage where he took services in various churches, including the Baptists'. Latterly, under doctors' advice, he cut down on many activities but remained

Chaplain to a nursing home and he remained a keen member of the Bowls' Club. Visitors were always welcome: and John was a good cook.

The provision of a coach, so carefully organised for many of us to go to John's funeral at Swanage, was much appreciated. We remember him and Jane and the family in our prayers and give thanks to GOD for the privilege of knowing John and for the inspiration that he gave us.

## Good Companions

Our July meeting featured a return visit from Lois Crane but on this occasion on a totally different subject. Lois delighted us with an account of her experiences as a volunteer at the 2012 Olympic games both as an assistant in crowd control and as a participant in the opening and closing ceremonies. In this latter connection she brought along some of the colourful and distinctive uniforms she had to wear and explaining how their movements in the arena were controlled with the assistance of pocket radios and earpieces. This was a talk which had to be listened to from start to finish and which (to the relief of the writer) defies summary.



On 23rd July a group of members met at the Whip, Lacey Green for a lunch enjoying pleasant company.

Our August meeting took the now established form of "picnic in the Village Hall". This was an opportunity to enjoy a plentiful bring and share meal and a chance for friendly chat and the exchange of funny stories and experiences.

Our **September meeting** will see our A.G.M and a bring and buy sale of plants, produce and other useful items.

**Michael Harris.**

## **Floodlighting Dedications**

Floodlighting dedications received too late for the edition of Outlook in July and August were for:

28 July – 3 August Barry and Judy Biggs give thanks for the safe arrival of their second grandchild Alice Isabelle born on Diana and Stuart's wedding anniversary.

11 – 17 August Ann & Bob Moore are giving thanks for their Golden Wedding anniversary, celebrated on 17 August.

A dedication for September is for:

15 – 21 September Brenda and Derek Lynch are remembering with much love their son James, particularly on 20 September, his 8th anniversary.

**Lin Smit**

## **From the Parish Registers**

### **The Departed:**

Sylvia Joan Gerrard, aged 86

Marguerite Faith Darvill, aged 94



### **Holy Matrimony**

On Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> July: Richard Luke Smith to Emily Anne Barber;

On Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July: Oliver Thomas Harvey Hughes to Caroline Emma Cox;

On Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> July: Jonathan Wallace Rozelaar to Jennifer Yates;

On Wednesday 31<sup>st</sup> July: Steven James Arthur to Frances Corinne Walker;

On Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> August: Andrew Nicholas Wright to Victoria Violet Wilmot

## Communicants – June and July



### Sundays

#### June

2nd 21 + 44 = 65

9th 25 + 81 = 106

16th 18 + 39 = 57

23rd 23 + 59 = 82

30th 25 + 67 = 92

#### July

7th 21 + 35 = 56

14th 23 + 55 = 78

21st 22 + 43 = 65

28th 20 + 65 = 85

### Weekdays

11th St Barnabas 5

24th Birth of St John the Baptist 7

29th Ss Peter and Paul 7

3rd St Thomas 3

22nd St Mary Magdalen 7

25th St James 6

## Wycombe Youth for Christ – Update

On Monday 4<sup>th</sup> July I was delighted to attend Wycombe Youth for Christ AGM and was blown away by what is happening within the lives of young people in High Wycombe as a result of WYFC.

Last year there were only 4 Christian Unions (CUs) across the 17 secondary schools within WYFC sphere of influence. Now only 3 schools do NOT have CUs, and are supported by WYFC! The CU members across the schools decided to re-start the Inter Schools Christian Fellowship (ISCF). This meets once a month, and has developed its own Worship Band, which played at the AGM, and the lead singer was confident enough to launch into unscripted prayer between songs – it was jaw-droppingly awesome!

Within the Primary School work, as well as Assemblies, WYFC runs Zone Clubs - after school clubs – and this year has greatly increased attendance; at one session Erica even worried about having enough craft materials and biscuits, what a wonderful problem to have!. At

one school three Year 6s came to Erica at the last session of the year and said they were moving to secondary school next term. Erica felt guilty she had not acknowledged this in advance, but wished them well and said she would pray they settled in. However the reason for approaching Erica was to ask if they could return next term as Young Leaders? - Erica said that it was never in her plan to develop leadership in Year 7s - not in HER plan but perhaps in Our Lord's??!!

The Secondary School work includes RE lessons but now WYFC are asked to develop lessons across the whole RE curriculum, not just Christianity, so now WYFC is teaching Ethics and Philosophy as well. This academic year they have taken more RE lessons than in the previous 6 years added together.

Sam, the Youth Worker, had a vision for a mission week within a secondary school, a whole week of sessions every day, under the title of 'Is there a God?' or iTAG - he said they have 'i-everything else'! The arrival of a new Chaplain at St. Michael's Roman Catholic School, who was also keen on such an event, gave him the opportunity to realise his vision! Sam approached the Centre for Christian Apologetics in Oxford to ask for speakers and support, and, since they only usually get to work with undergraduates, they jumped at the offer and came up with world class programme of speakers and sessions. The week of debates and activities was a great success (it triggered a Youth Alpha course for 29 youngsters who had dedicated themselves to Christ during the mission week) AND another local secondary school is now also thinking of scheduling a similar format event next year!!

This last year WYFC and St. Michael's have of course jointly shared the services of Rebecca Hawes (Bex), our Trainee Youth Worker. Bex does 10 hours work for WYFC each week, 10 hours for us and 10 hours of study in Oxford on a Christian Youth Worker's course; and will stay with us for 2 more years, until her studies are complete. This arrangement has worked so well that, as of September 2013, WYFC are taking on a second Trainee Youth Worker who will work in the same way as Bex, but with Christchurch Flackwell Heath. In fact WYFC would like to become a centre for Christian Youth Worker training and development. Thank You Lord!!

**Jane Tucker**

# September Recipe

## Spiced Fish and Rice

### Ingredients

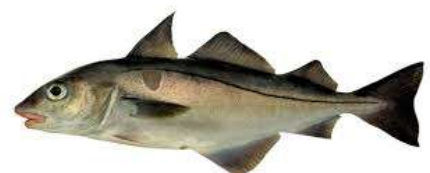
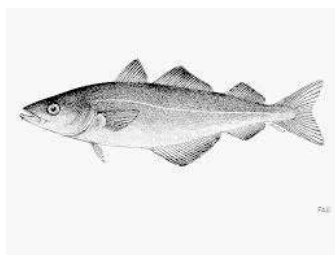
2-4 fillets of skinned fish (cod, coley or haddock)  
2 oz prawns  
2 large mushrooms or ^ button ones, sliced  
1 large onion, finely chopped  
2oz butter or good margarine  
2 tbsp plain yoghurt  
Generous pouring of single cream  
1 tsp mild chilli powder  
Salt and pepper  
Splash of sherry (optional) or rice wine  
1 packet herb flavoured rice

### Method

Fry onions in butter, add mushrooms in a large frying pan and stir well. Chop fish into medium sized chunks and add to pan. Add prawns. Cook gently until fish is cooked. Stir in chilli powder, then add yoghurt, salt and pepper, cream and sherry if using. Heat until just bubbling. Serve with cooked rice and lightly cooked broccoli or spinach.

If you prefer an even more oriental flavour a splash of dark soy sauce can be added: experiment to make your own special recipe. This is my own and my family always enjoy it.

**Ann Way**



(Pictured: cod, coley and haddock, eds. Which is which?!)

## DAMSON TIME

*Mid-September; damson time.  
Looking up through lichened wood,  
sunlight stabs me painfully.  
Pendant purple shapes  
hang between the scudding clouds and me:  
clouds that gather greyness on their way.*

*Rain last night; soon rain again.  
Reaching up through tangled twigs,  
loosened drops splash tears upon my face.  
Summer, as it flies,  
fills trees with panic at its pace;  
soon with sighs the russet leaves descend.*

*Boughs now stripped where I have picked,  
my gaze is raised to higher wood;  
bigger bunches beckon like Lorelei.  
As stolen fruit is sweeter,  
so promises the fruit that hangs too high:  
best be content with damsons within reach!*

*Not listening for winter's tread,  
nor looking back at summer's smile,  
but resting in the moment all the while;  
not stretching beyond one's grasp, painfully,  
but tasting joy that one can reach, gratefully,  
is all that life should teach.*

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*Ron Cretchley, 15.9.93*  
[www.thinkingpoet.co.uk](http://www.thinkingpoet.co.uk)





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## Parish Prayer Cycle

You may remember seeing an article about the Parish Prayer Cycle last year and since then monthly magazine articles with lists of Prayer Topics for use in your daily prayer time.



Additional areas have been identified that had been missed from the initial list and, as you may have lost your original copy, or at the very least it may be a bit dog-eared from daily use, we thought it would be as well to re-issue it, with some text from the original article.

“Do you start out with good intentions about praying, and then tail off when you run out of ideas as to what to include? To help you we have put together a list of topics for prayer, which can be addressed in both a Weekly, and Monthly, cycle.

The Parish Prayer Cycle is printed on the other side of this page and is designed to be torn out of the magazine and kept for reference. The page can then be kept close at hand to be used to assist your prayers and ensure that no aspects of the local Community, or the Church, are forgotten in your prayer time during the months to come.

As a guide for using the Prayer Cycle, if you are praying on Wednesday 4th September, your prayers should include Stewardship/Finance [from the Monthly Cycle] and Choir/Music Group [from the Weekly cycle]. The following Wednesday (11<sup>th</sup> September) you will again pray for the Choir/Music Group [from the Weekly cycle], but this time also include Winter Warmers/Church House Teas [from the Monthly cycle].”

You will also now find in each magazine a table of 5 or 6 topics from the Prayer Cycle with specific prayer requests or Thanksgivings, that have been identified for specific prayer attention. You can tear this out for use during that month when you reach the days allocated to each topic.

**Jane Tucker**

## Parish Prayer Cycle

### Day

### Monthly

- 1 Families/Family Life
- 2 Church Wardens/PCC/Leadership Team
- 3 Christians in the Community
- 4 Stewardship/Finance
- 5 Mother's Union
- 6 Schools
- 7 Valley Wives
- 8 Scouts/Guides/Cubs/Brownies/Beavers/Rainbows
- 9 Church Cleaners
- 10 Village Shop Volunteers and customers/ Naphill Bon Ami Cafe
- 11 Winter Warmers/Church House Teas
- 12 Doctors' Surgeries and all who pass through them
- 13 Gardeners/Grave Digger
- 14 Neighbourhood Watch/Local Policeman
- 15 Church Magazine Editors/Printers/Distributors
- 16 Tiny Tots/Mother and Toddler Group
- 17 Bookstall all who run it and use it
- 18 Task Groups – Youth, Mission, Social & Outreach
- 19 Local Pubs/Businesses/Farms
- 20 Church Administrators/Church Website
- 21 Friendship Morning/ Naphill Lunch Club
- 22 Flower Arrangers
- 23 Men's/Women's Breakfast
- 24 National Trust
- 25 Good Companions
- 26 Alpha Courses
- 27 Parish Council/Local Councilors
- 28 Deanery Synod and Area Dean
- 29 House group members and leaders
- 30 MS Society
- 31 Spring Valley Centre

### Weekly

- Mon** Creche
- Tues** Bell Ringers
- Wed** Choir/Music Group
- Thur** JC Club/Bell Tower/Donkey Shed
- Fri** Servers/Sidesmen/Greeters
- Sat** Interceders + MAF/Ebenezer/Wycliffe/ROPE
- Sun** Clergy and Trainee Youth Worker

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## September's Prayer Topics

<p><u>2<sup>nd</sup> Church Wardens/ PCC/ Leadership Team</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thanks for the effective way that all teams work so well together</li> <li>- Guidance as we start to look at our focus and activities for 2014</li> <li>- For God's blessing and guidance on this Autumn's major events – the Barn Dance, the Concert from the New Mozart Orchestra and the Auction</li> </ul>
<p><u>13<sup>th</sup> Gardeners/ Grave Diggers</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thanks for the many people to turned up and helped for the Church Yard Clean-up evening</li> <li>- Pray that the team who mow the grass stay strong and healthy</li> <li>- Thanks for the peace of the Church garden and the flourishing plants and wild life who visit it , plus the joy of using the garden for so many events</li> </ul>
<p><u>17<sup>th</sup> Bookstall all who run it and use it</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thanks that the books stall is being used, it sells a few items each month</li> <li>- Thanks that the Library is being used</li> <li>- For some more modern books to be donated to the Library that may perhaps look more attractive to those who browse the shelves</li> </ul>
<p><u>23<sup>rd</sup> Men's/ Women's Breakfast</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thanks that a new leader for Men's Breakfasts has been identified</li> <li>- For dates to be planned for future Men's Breakfast meetings</li> <li>- For potential speakers to be identified, approached and scheduled for all Breakfast meeting dates</li> </ul>
<p><u>24<sup>th</sup> National Trust</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- Thanks that visitor numbers are up on last year</li> <li>- For the art exhibition in the park to encourage new visitors to this historic parkland</li> <li>- For the new exhibition planned for the house that will allow the display of previously unseen items from the Disraeli collection</li> </ul>
<p><u>26<sup>th</sup> Alpha Courses</u></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- For people in the congregation to have the courage to invite family and friends to think about join the course</li> <li>- For those planning to come on the course or trying to make that decision</li> <li>- For course Leaders as they plan, and for additional helpers to come forward to support the course</li> <li>- For all who have attended Alpha courses, here and elsewhere, and found their answers to the questions asked.</li> </ul>

## **Audio Visual at the 10.45 am Services**

The 10.45 Sunday Services have been blessed over the past few years now with the facility of having excellent projection of Hymns, Choruses and other material used in the services. Of course to do this has required the help of those who prepare the service material and those who operate the laptop computer for the services.

So this is a chance for me to formally thank firstly Tony and Jackie Sackville for preparing the computer on a weekly basis and also to thank the team who have learnt the techniques required to actually do the presentations. These include Penny Austin, Tom Brewer, Cath Cronk, Mark Sherrington, John Smalley, Jane Tyrer, Jane Tucker, Richard Turner, Andy Wattestone, Harry Williams and Jim Williams.

**On behalf of everyone in the Church can I please say a big thank you to this team as the new technique has definitely brought a new dimension into the services and this support role is now so important to us all.**



There is an annual rota prepared for the operators with the objective of ensuring that each month has a nominated person to cover the services.

The new rota is being drawn up now to commence in November and if you are not yet part of this team, but would like to be so, please contact me and I will be happy to organise training for you.

**Frank Hawkins**

**Tel: 565050**

# Duty Roster September

<b>0800 Service</b>	<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Sidespersons</u></b>		
First Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	Andrew Cole	Philip Hynard Grantley Hoath		
Second Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	Lin Smit	Judy Wilson TBA		
Third Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Judy Wilson	Jean Godfrey TBA		
Fourth Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Alan Jaycock	Denise Barrow Jean Godfrey		
Fifth Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Judy Wilson	Rosemary Petty Meg Freeman		
<b>0900 Service</b>	<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Sidespersons</u></b>	<b><u>Intercessions</u></b>	
First Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	Alan Jaycock Rex Harris	Edie Sadler	Ann Moore Keith Dean	Christopher Tyrer
Second Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	N/A	N/A	Keith Dean Eileen Dean	N/A
Third Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Alan Jaycock Andrew Cole	Edie Sadler	Christopher Tyrer	Kathleen Moxham
Fourth Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	N/A	N/A	Louise Stallwood Richard Stallwood	N/A
Fifth Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	N/A	N/A	Keith Dean Eileen Dean	N/A
<b>1045 Service</b>	<b><u>Servers</u></b>	<b><u>Chalice</u></b>	<b><u>Sidespersons</u></b>	<b><u>Intercessions</u></b>
First Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	N/A	N/A	Janes Family	Sunday School
Second Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	Lois Comley	Andy and Lyn Wattesten	Anne and John Smalley	Yvonne Cook
Third Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Fourth Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Lois Comley	Tom and Kirstie Brewer	Heather and Brian Morley Tim and Angela Aze	Judith Campplisson
Fifth Sunday 29 <sup>th</sup> September	Lois Comley	Lois Comley Christopher Tyrer	Judy Biggs Christine Powell	Anne Smalley
<b>Greeters</b>	<b><u>Prayer Team</u></b>	<b><u>Computer</u></b>		
First Sunday 1 <sup>st</sup> September	Ann Dean Clare Godfrey	N/A	Jane Tucker	
Second Sunday 8 <sup>th</sup> September	Ann and Mike Dean	Judith Campplisson Karen Williams Norma Clarke	Jane Tucker	
Third Sunday 15 <sup>th</sup> September	Brian and Sylvia Clark	N/A	Jane Tucker	
Fourth Sunday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Penny Austin Christopher Tyrer	Judith Campplisson Karen Williams Norma Clarke	Jane Tucker	

Fifth Sunday    Derek Godfrey  
29<sup>th</sup> September    Jean Godfrey

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Jean Godfrey  
Judith Camplisson

Jane Tucker

## The Lectionary – September

Date	Lessons	Readers		
		8am/6pm	9am	1045am
<b>1<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>14<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity</b>			
	Proverbs 25, 6 – 7	J Holmes	C or J Tyrer	
	Hebrews 13, 1 – 8 & 15 – 16	P Hynard	K Moxham	
	Like 14, 7 – 14	Priest	Priest	H Isaacs
	Evensong: Psalm 119, 81 – 96			
	Isaiah 33, 13 – 22	A Johnson		
	John 3, 22 – 36	E Bailey		
<b>8<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>15<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity</b>			
	Deuteronomy 30, 15 – end	C Carter	A Moore	A Sackville
	Philemon 1 – 21	A Stacey	L Stallwood	J Sackville
	Luke 14, 25 – 33	Priest	(check which NT)	Priest
	Psalm at 9am: 1			
	Evensong: Psalms 120 & 121			
	Isaiah 43, 14 – 44, 5	M Morgan		
	John 5, 30 – end	B Brice		
<b>15<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>16<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity</b>			
	Exodus 32, 7 – 14	J Wilson	D or H Lowe	Informal Service
	1 Timothy 1, 12 – 17	J Dauncey	J Palmer	
	Luke 15, 1 – 10	Priest	Priest	
	Evensong: Psalms 124 & 125			
	Isaiah 60	A J or LS		
	John 6, 51 – 69	S Brice		
<b>22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity</b>			
	Amos 8, 4 – 7	A Jaycock	B Brice	R Stone
	1 Timothy 2, 1 – 7	J Kendell	E Sadler	M Stone
	Luke 16, 1 – 13	Priest	(check which NT)	Priest
	Psalm at 9am: 113			
	Evensong: Psalms 128 & 129			
	Ezra 1	AJ or LS		
	John 7, 14 – 36	B Doran		

<b>29<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>St Michael and All Angels</b>			
	Genesis 28, 10 – 17	J Godfrey	D or H Lowe	C Tyrer
	Revelation 12, 7 – 12	A Johnson	-----	R Smith
	John 1, 47 – end	Priest	R or A Gee	Priest
	Psalms at 9am 34 & 150			
	Evensong: Psalms 138 & 148			
	Daniel 10, 4 - end	AJohnson		
	Revelation 5	E Bailey		

Anyone unable to read at 9 am as above, please ask Susan Brice to deputise: 445899

## **CONCERT: Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> November 2013, at 7.30pm.**

The New Mozart Orchestra [ [www.nmo.org.uk](http://www.nmo.org.uk) ], directed and conducted by Clive Fairbairn, is a professional orchestra of young musicians. Among many other activities, they perform in Schools, bringing classical music to young ears which may not have had much, if any, opportunity to listen to such treasures. Clive generously approached the Thames Valley Partnership and New Leaf in the summer with an offer to put on a Concert in St Michael and All Angels. His offer was accepted with alacrity.

The Vicar and Churchwardens have kindly offered to host this prestigious event and not to charge for the use of the buildings and the facilities. It promises to be an exceptional evening.

The Concert programme has yet to be finally decided but will consist of classical pieces – such as Mozart and Hayden – and a 20<sup>th</sup> century piece – such as Britten or Stravinsky. There will be an Interval for Refreshments, which will be offered in the North Chapel [the North Room will be set aside for the musicians]. It is hoped that there will be an opportunity to meet with the musicians afterwards, perhaps in Church House.

Information will be available in Church and tickets may be purchased either through [bron@thamesvalleypartnership.org.uk](mailto:bron@thamesvalleypartnership.org.uk) or through Christopher Tyrer 01844 344650.

This will be a significant local charitable event attended by the Lord Lieutenant. Tickets are already being purchased and the Concert is likely to be fully booked well in advance.

**Ian Blair**

**Christopher Tyrer**

**Lord Blair of Boughton  
Chair TVP Trustees**

**His Honour Christopher Tyrer DL  
Chair NL Strategy Group**

**CALENDAR FOR September 2013**

**Morning prayer** is said in Church at 7.45 am on Tuesdays and Thursdays, and 7.30 am on Mondays, Wednesdays, Fridays and Saturdays. **Bellringing practice** is Tuesday evening at 7.30 pm in the Belltower. Why not come and learn to ring? You'll be very welcome. Speak to David Cornwall. **Choir practice** is Wednesday evening at 7.45 pm. If you can read music you will be most welcome: speak to Neil Brice. **Art Group** meets in Church House at 1.45 pm on Tuesdays. Contact Bob Stone for more information.

## SEPTEMBER

Sun	1	<b>Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
		8.00 am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer)
		9.00 am Sung Communion
		10.45 am All Age Family Service with Holy Baptism
		12.45 pm Holy Baptism
		2.15 pm Church House Teas. Co-ordinator: Kay Kennedy
		6.00 pm Evensong (Book of Common Prayer) (no sermon)
		7.00 pm Prayer Hour: Church
Tue	3	8.00 pm Mothers' Union: Church House. A day in the life of the Royal Ballet'
Thu	5	8.00 pm Leadership Team Meeting: Brian Clark.
Sun	8	<b>Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
		8.00 am Said Communion
		9.00 am Mattins (Book of Common Prayer)
		10.45 am Family Communion with JC club
		2.15 pm Church House Teas. Co-ordinator: Jean Godfrey (Downley)
		6.00 pm Evensong (Book of Common Prayer) (no sermon)
		7.00 pm Prayer Hour: Church
Thu	12	8.00 am 24 hours of prayer for High Wycombe: North Room
		8.00 pm Standing and Finance Committee: Brian Clark
Fri	13	10.00 am Mothers' Union Committee Meeting: Church House
Sat	14	<b>Holy Cross Day</b>
		9.00 am Holy Communion: Church
Sun	15	<b>Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
		8.00 am Holy Communion (said)
		9.00 am Sung Communion
		10.45 am Informal Family Service with JC Club
		2.15 pm Church House Teas. Co-ordinator: Lizzie Hurrell
		6.00 pm Evensong (Book of Common Prayer) (no sermon)
		7.00 pm Prayer Hour
Tue	17	2.00 pm Interment of Ashes: Sarah Gee
Thu	19	10.30 am Tiny Tots' Service: Church
		8.00 pm Parochial Church Council: Church House
Sat	21	<b>Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist</b>
		9.00 am Holy Communion: Church
		8.30 am Prayer breakfast: Church House
		12.30 pm Wedding: Tom Marianczak and Sarah Storer
Sun	22	<b>Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity</b>
		8.00 am Holy Communion (said)
		9.00 am Mattins (Book of Common Prayer)
		10.45am Family Communion with JC club
		12.45 pm Holy Baptism
		2.15 pm Church House Teas. Co-ordinators: Julia and Roger Grant
		6.00 pm Evensong (Book of Common Prayer) (no sermon)
Tue	24	7.30 pm Deanery Treasurers' meeting: Church House
Wed	25	7.30 pm Alpha Course: Church House
Sun	29	<b>St Michael and All Angels (Patronal Festival)</b>
		8.00 am Holy Communion (said)



9.00 am Choral Mattins and Holy Communion  
10.45am Family Communion with JC club  
2.15 pm Church House Teas. Co-ordinator: Helen Byrne and Karen Williams  
6.00 pm Evensong (Book of Common Prayer) (no sermon)  
7.00 pm Prayer Hour



**Church House set up for teas: Summer 2013**

# Regular Meetings and Organisations



## Friendship Morning

This is a get together in Church House on the **3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday each month at 10.30 a.m.** It is primarily for those who are bereaved, who live on their own, and for those who are lonely. The emphasis is very much on companionship, and the atmosphere is light and cheerful. Please contact me if you think this is for you.

**Judith Camplisson – 01494 565108**

## Toddlers @ St. Michael's

Hughenden Toddlers @ St. Michael's meets every Thursday from 9.30 -11.30 am in Church House. Come for chat, play, craft and refreshments. Included, every third Thursday of the month, will be **'Tiny Tots'** a time of fun worship in Church.



**For further details contact Helen Peters (01494 716772)**

<b>House groups</b>	Weekdays	See weekly notice sheet for details
<b>CYFA</b> (School Years 10+)	alternate Sunday evenings in term time	Contact Mike Dean (463376) for details
<b>D-CYFA</b> (School Years 7 – 9)	alternate Sunday evenings in term time	Contact Mike Dean as above

## October 2013 Issue of Outlook

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***Hand-written articles should be delivered, or posted, to Helen Byrne at 67 Friars Gardens, Hughenden Valley.***

***ALL contributions to be received by 15<sup>th</sup> September, please***

## *Who's Who at St Michael & All Angels*

VICAR AND AREA DEAN OF WYCOMBE	The Rev'd Simon Cronk	563439
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PCC ASSISTANT SECRETARY	Anne Dean	463376
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PCC ASSISTANT TREASURER	David Cornwall	714718
PLANNED GIVING SECRETARY	David Cornwall	714718
TASK GROUP LEADERS: WORSHIP	The Rev'd Simon Cronk	563439
PASTORAL SUPPORT	Anne Dean	463376
YOUTH	Mike Dean Jane Tucker Norma Clarke (Administrator) Helen Byrne (Co-ordinator)	463376 534989 563116 564342
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OUTREACH & SOCIAL	Frank Hawkins	565050
ALPHA COURSE - ADMINISTRATOR	Diane Hawkins	565050
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CAPTAIN OF BELLRINGERS	David Cornwall	714718
VALLEY WIVES	Jill Graves	563813
CRECHE ROTA	Jane Lomas	563629
CHRISTIANS IN THE COMMUNITY	Norma Clarke	563116
FRIENDSHIP MORNING	Judith Camplisson	565108
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CHURCH COFFEE ROTA	Sylvia Clark	562801
CHURCH FLOWERS	Jean Godfrey	522198
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# **St. Michael and All Angels Hughenden**

**Our Mission is**

**“To enable all to follow Jesus Christ”**

***We shall live out this mission through Prayer, Presence, Persuasion  
and Proclamation by:***

***i) Leading lives centred on Jesus Christ –***

- *That is steadfastly based on the Bible and prayer*
- *That is based on Jesus’ example*
- *By being ambassadors of Christ to our friends, families, neighbours and work and school colleagues.*

***ii) Being seen and known in the wider Community by***

- *Understanding the communities in which we live and seeking to be fully involved in those communities*
- *Building appropriate bridges between our Church and our community*
- *Taking every opportunity to share the Good news about Jesus Christ*

***iii) Offering and receiving spiritual and practical support and development –***

- *That is appropriate to wherever people are on their spiritual journey*
- *That is based on worship that is honouring to God and accessible and relevant to all*
- *And that is led by prayer that engages with the will of God and his purposes*