

## This Week's Diary

SUNDAY 15<sup>th</sup> June  
7.30 pm Emmaus Course at the Rectory

MONDAY 16<sup>th</sup> June  
7.30 pm Bell Ringers Practice  
7.00 pm Linedancing in hall - Beginners (all welcome)  
8.00 pm 'Dancenergy' Linedancing in Hall - Intermediate

TUESDAY 17<sup>th</sup> June

### \*HOUSE GROUPS:

Discussions this term will follow the weekly sermon themes.

10.15 am 12 Crowthorne Rd (Doris Saunders)  
8.00 pm 28 Wiltshire Avenue, Crowthorne (Elizabeth Ritchie)  
8.00 pm 2 School Hill (John & Sue Campbell)  
8.00 pm 34 Albion Road (Linda Lemmon)  
8.00 pm 25 Templar Close (John & Stephanie Martin)

WEDNESDAY 18<sup>th</sup> June  
11.30 am Communion at the Day Centre  
7.30 pm Band Practice in the Hall  
7.30 pm Soul Survivor Meeting

THURSDAY 19<sup>th</sup> June  
7.00 pm Choir Practice  
7.30 pm Handbells in the Seeby Hall

FRIDAY 20<sup>th</sup> June

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*This list is updated on 1st Sunday of each month*

*Please Pray for:* Rebecca, Edith, Annabelle, Mark, Alison, Tony, Ken, Lilian, Rosalind, Eileen, John. For those on the prayer board. For those who mourn at this time. For Theo Cameron being baptised here today.

*Christ said "when two or three are gathered together in my name, I am with them"*  
*Matthew 18 v.20*

*If you are new to this church please note there is a ministry team available to pray with you, at the back of the Church, after taking Communion (9.30 Service).*

4<sup>th</sup> after Trinity

15<sup>th</sup> June 2008

# Newsletter

St Michael's Church, Sandhurst

## SERVICES TODAY

Theme & Readings: Called to Mission  
Genesis 18:1-15 (p 17), Romans 5:1-8 (p 1132),  
Matthew 9:35-10:8 (p 974)

- 8.00 am Holy Communion  
Service from page 287
- 9.30 am Parish Communion  
Reach in the Upper Room
- 11.15 am Family Service with Baptism for Theo Cameron
- 6.30 pm Alternative Worship in the Seeby Hall

## Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> June

Theme & Readings: Are you ashamed of being a Christian?  
Genesis 18:1-21, Romans 6:1b-11, Matthew 10:24-39

8.00 am Holy Communion  
9.30 am Parish Communion  
11.30 am Baptism  
6.30 pm Requiem Service

## THE PARISH OFFICE

Open 9.30 am – 12.15 pm weekdays for all enquiries regarding Churchyard, Baptisms, Hall bookings, Weddings, Counselling or Clergy appointments – Tel. 01252 873030

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## REQUIEM SERVICE – NEXT SUNDAY

Next Sunday evening is our annual Requiem Service at 6.30 pm, at which we remember those we have loved who have died. If you would like your loved one to be mentioned in the prayers, please write the name on the list at the back of church. We will also light candles in their memory. The Choir will be singing the beautiful Requiem setting by Gabriel Fauré. Please invite family members, friends and neighbours.

## ST MICHAEL'S SUMMER EVENING



On Friday 29th August at the Downshire Way Golf Club from 7-12pm there will be an 80's disco and summer BBQ and a welcome Pimms. Tickets will be £15 per person and the money will be donated to St Michael's and one of our giving projects, the Retrak project for street children in Addis Ababa, Ethiopia run by Maggie Crewes. Put it in your diary now! Tickets are available from Louise Tooze 01344 762353.

## THANK YOU

To Ruth Eve, Ann Homphray-Davies, Ann Harris, Jenny Hulbert, Kathryn Barton, and Helen Constable for the delicious lunch after the Confirmation Service on Sunday.

## WEEKLY PARISH PRAYERS

Would you like to subscribe and help us pray for the needs of our parish?  
Do you want to know more about it?  
Do you know someone in need of prayer?  
If your answer to any of these questions is YES please contact me:  
Phone: 01252 874525 or email: [thirtyfour@btinternet.com](mailto:thirtyfour@btinternet.com)  
Linda Lemmon, Parish Prayer Co-ordinator.

## 100 CLUB

The winners for the May Draw held on 1st June were:  
1st Prize - Mrs V P Jackson No 11 £25  
2nd Prize - Mr E Berridge No 97 £15  
3rd Prize - Mrs P Johnstone No 16 £5      Rosemary Dobson 01344 779461

## COMMUNION BEFORE CONFIRMATION

The PCC considered a proposal from the Working Party at its meeting on Wednesday. (Copies are available (yellow paper) at the back of church.). The conclusion we came to was that we needed more details about how the proposal would be implemented before we could reach a decision, and decided to appoint 3 PCC members to the Working Party to assist them. The members of the Working Party are now: Rev John White (chair), Emma Evans, Jan Herd, Linda Lemmon, Jessica Robinson and Gill Willis. Please feel free to ask them questions or tell them what you think. The working party have a target to submit the amplified proposal to the PCC in September.

## SONGS OF PRAISE, 13<sup>TH</sup> JULY

This year's ecumenical Songs of Praise service will be held outside the Community Centre at 3pm on 13<sup>th</sup> July, featuring St Michael's Choir and Sandhurst Silver Band. This will also be an opportunity to say farewell to Rev Phil Thomas, our local Methodist minister, who is leaving for West Bromwich in August. Please put it in your diary!

## CONFIRMATION

Congratulations to those who were confirmed last week: Hazel Lee (also baptised), Sheila Davenport, Simon Tattersall and Jane Bannister, and to Kim Taylor who re-affirmed her baptismal vows (Kim had already been confirmed). Please pray for them as they grow in their Christian faith. Thanks to Mike Arthy for the photo.

