

Notices and Future Events

- **Quiet Monday at Moggerhanger Park** every Monday through Oct and Nov the centre for Contemporary Ministry. Mondays 5 and 12 October The Rt Revd Dr John Taylor; 19 and 26 Oct The Revd Dr Joseph Steinberg of the CMS ;2 and 9 Nov The Revd Ray Porter of Oak Hill College; 16 and 23 November we expect to have the Revd Dr Derek Tidball.
- **Holy Communion** – Jeremy has decided to return to normal
- **Confirmation Classes** 12th and 19th October @ the Vicarage. 8th November, confirmation rehearsal 5pm Barton-Le-Clay.
- **17th October International Evening** 7.30pm St Michael's
- **Youth Club Sleepover** Wednesday 28th October from 7pm
- **Service of Remembrance for Loved Ones** 1st Nov 6.30pm. **Please check the list of names at the back of church**
- **Bonfire Night** 7th Nov 6pm.by Church Hall. Free; all welcome; refreshments provided; please bring one big firework. Help needed from 2pm on 7th to prepare please.
- **Elstow Poors Charity** – Application for benefit should be made in writing to Mr. Worthington-Ellis, 14 South Avenue, Elstow, Bedford, MK42 9YS by Sat 14th November.
- **New Director of Music** – David Ewbank is the new Director of Music from 1st January. Jeremy is grateful to Stephen for continuing until the 31st December, 2009.
- **Keys** – If you have church keys can you please inform Philip Bettles and write details on the lost at the back of Church
- **Hall Plans** at back of church – applying for planning 1st Oct

JRC day off: Friday 16th and 23rd October

Church Wardens Contact details: Tracey Hinson 01234 406061 & Barbara Routledge 01234 854369. Wedding/ Baptism Bookings/enquiries or Notices on **Wednesdays** at the Rectory – 01234 261477.



THE ABBEY CHURCH OF ST MARY AND ST HELENA, ELSTOW

We extend a warm welcome to everyone today

Sunday 11th October 2009

The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

10.00am Holy Communion with Sunday School (JRC)
Hymns: SoF: 525, 42, 415, 27, 520
6.30pm Choral Evensong – (JRC)
Hymn: NEH: 64, 374, 436, 331 Psalm 124

COLLECT for 11.10.09

Almighty and everlasting God,
Increase in us thy gift of faith
That, forsaking that which is behind
And reaching out to that which is before,
We may run the way of thy commandments
And win the crown of everlasting joy;
Through Jesus Christ thy Son our Lord,
Who liveth and reigneth with thee,
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and for ever.

COLLECT for 18.10.09

Almighty God, you called Luke the physician,
Whose praise is in the gospel,
To be an evangelist and physician of the soul;
By the grace of the Spirit
And through the wholesome medicine of the gospel,
Give your Church the same love and power to heal;
Through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
Who is alive and reigns with you,
In the unity of the Holy Spirit,
One God, now and for ever.

Diary for the Weeks

Sunday 11 th	10.00am	Holy Communion with Sunday school to be directly followed by the dedication of the new Churchyard gates in memory of Norman and Dorothy Thompson. Refreshments following.
Monday 12 th	8.30am 10.00 am 2.00pm 5.00pm 7.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Mums and Toddlers in the Hall Prayer Group in Summerhouse Confirmation @ Vicarage Pantomime Drafting @ Vicarage
Tuesday 13 th	8.30am 10.00am 5.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Sing and Sign in the Church Hall Baptism interview @ Vicarage
Wednesday 14 th	8.30am 11.30am 6-8pm 8.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Coffee Morning followed by Soup Joint Youth Club cinema evening meet @ Church Hall Team Bible Study @ Cardington
Thursday 15 th	8.30am 11.00am 11.45am 6-7pm 8pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Holy Communion (JRC) JRC at Archdeacon's study day Yoga @ Church Hall Liturgy meeting @ Hinsons
Friday 16 th	8.30am 7.15-8pm 8.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Choir Practice Bell Ringing
Saturday 17 th	8.30am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington International Benefice Evening @ St Michael's Scott Hall (£2)

DECEASED – Freda Roberts, Ian Skellorn, William Storton

Luke the Evangelist – 18th October 2009

10.00am	Holy Communion with Sunday School (PL)
Hymns:	SoF: 377, 40, 619, 390, 109
11.15am	Choral Mattins (Group)
Hymns:	NEH: 413, 450, 393, 478 Psalm 26 vs.1-7
6.30pm	Choral Evensong (JRC)
Hymns:	NEH: 393, 239, 388, 252 Psalm 8 vs. 1-6

Monday 19 th	8.30am 10am 2.00pm 5.00pm 7.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Mums and Toddlers in the Hall Prayer Group meet in Summerhouse Confirmation Classes @ Vicarage Pantomime Drafting @ Vicarage
Tuesday 20 th	8.30am 10.00am 7.30pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Sing and Sign in the Church Hall Youth Leaders' Meeting @ Vicarage (N.B. Date Change)
Wednesday 21 st	8.30am 11am-1pm 11.30am 5.45-8pm 8.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Visit from "Visits" to the Abbey Coffee Morning followed by soup Youth Clubs – International Evening Team Bible Study @ St Mary's
Thursday 22 nd	8.30am 11.00am 2pm 6-7pm 7.30pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Holy Communion (JRC) Team Clergy Meeting @ Vicarage Yoga @ Church Hall PCC Meeting @ Church Hall with Rev Venables re: new hall
Friday 23 rd	8.30am 8.00pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Bell Ringing
Saturday 24 th	8.30am 7pm	Morning Prayer @ Cardington Brainbox quiz @ London Rd Methodist