

THE CHURCH CALENDAR
JANUARY 2012

23 rd	Monday	10.00am 2.00pm 8.00pm	Mums and Todders in the Vestry/Back of Church Prayer Group Liturgy Meeting @ the Vicarage
24 th	Tuesday	3.45-5.15pm 6.30pm	After School Club at St Michael's Youth Club – Hide and Seek
25 th	Wednesday	11.30am 2.00pm 7.30pm	Coffee and soup in the Vestry JRC @ Bedford Academy Combined Treasurers Meeting @ Elstow Vicarage
26 th	Thursday	09.30am 11.00am 6.45-8.15pm 7.30pm	Morning Prayers at St Michael's (SS + JRC) Holy Communion (JRC) London Road Youth Club Cardington PCC
27 th	Friday	6.45pm 7pm 8pm	JRC @ Bedford Street Angels Choir Practice Bell Ringing

28 th	Saturday	3.30-6pm	'Ministry of Welcome' conference for all sidesmen and PCC members of all three churches @ St Michael's Church (Refreshments included)
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29 th	Sunday	Fifth Sunday - at Our own Churches - Benefice service with Bishop of St Albans next week (Sunday 5 th February)	
		10.00am Holy Communion + Sunday School (JRC)	
		10.15am <i>Holy Communion at St Michael's (NM)</i>	
		11.20am Mattins (Group)	
		6.30pm Evensong (JRC)	
30 th	Monday	10.00am 2.00pm	Mums and Todders in the Vestry/Back of Church Prayer Group
31 st	Tuesday	3.45-5.15pm 6.30pm	After School Club at St Michael's Youth Club – Nintendo Wii evening

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1 st	Wednesday	11.30am 1.30pm 7.30pm	Coffee and soup in the Vestry Clergy Meeting at 1 Binden Abbey Deanery Synod at St Michael's, Faldo Road
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2 nd	Thursday	09.30am 11.00am 12Noon 6.45-8.15pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Morning Prayers at St Michael's (SS + JRC) Holy Communion (JRC) Monthly lunch at The Red Lion London Road Youth Club Elstow PCC meeting in the Vestry PCC meeting at St Michael's Church
3 rd	Friday	7pm 8pm	Choir Practice Bell Ringing

5th	Sunday	10.30am	Benefice Service with the Bishop of St Albans, with Sunday School (DW) No Morning Services at St Mary's or St Michael's 6.30pm Evensong (JEH + JRC)
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6 th	Monday	10.00am 2.00pm	Mums and Toddlers in the Vestry/back of church Prayer Group
7 th	Tuesday	3.45-5.15pm 6.30pm	After School Club at St Michael's Youth Club – pancake night
8 th	Wednesday	11.30am	Coffee and soup group in the Vestry
9 th	Thursday	09.30am 11.00am 6.45-8.15pm	Morning Prayers at St Michael's (SS) Holy Communion (RC) London Road Youth Club
10 th	Friday	7pm 8pm	Choir Practice Bell Ringing JRC on holiday from today until Friday 17th February
12 th	Sunday	10.00am 10.15am 11.20am 6.30pm	Holy Communion + Sunday School (PL) <i>Holy Communion at St Michael's (RC)</i> Mattins (Group) Evensong (JEH)
13 th	Monday	10.00am 2.00pm	No Mums and Toddlers - Half Term Prayer Group

Deadline for the March Parish Magazine to **Jacque Waterfield @ 269 Goldington Road, Bedford, MK41 9PH or jakhat77@hotmail.com**

14 th	Tuesday	No after school club at St Michael's or Youth Club – Half Term 7.30pm	Parish Council Meeting at the Playing Fields
15 th	Wednesday	11.30am	Coffee and Soup in the Vestry

16th Thursday 09.30am Morning Prayers at St Michael's (SS)
 11.00am Holy Communion (RC)
6.45-8.15pm No London Road Youth Club
 7.30pm Team Council Meeting at Cardington Church

17th Friday 5pm Wedding rehearsal for Saturday (JRC)
 7pm **No Choir Practice**
 8pm Bell Ringing

18th Saturday 2pm Wedding of Richard Lewis Raybould and Suzanne Mary White (JRC)

5pm onwards	Card evening with hot supper at Elstow Church/vestry – Social Evening - £2.50 per person. £1 for children under 12
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19th Sunday **Stewardship Sunday**
 10.00am Holy Communion + Sunday School (JRC)
 10.15am *Holy Communion at St Michael's (SS)*
 11.20am Mattins (JRC)
 6.30pm Evensong (JRC)

20th Monday 10.00am Mums and Toddlers
 2.00pm Prayer Group

21st Tuesday 3.45-5.15pm After School Club at St Michael's
 6.30pm Youth Club – outing to the cinema or swimming

22nd Wednesday 11.30am Coffee and soup group in the Vestry
 7.30pm Ash Wednesday Holy Communion and the imposition of
 Ashes @ Elstow Abbey (JRC), @ St Michael's Church and @
 St Mary's Cardington

23rd Thursday 09.30am Morning Prayers at St Michael's (SS + JRC)
 11.00am Holy Communion (JRC)
 5pm Wedding rehearsal for Saturday (JRC)
 6.45-8.15pm London Road Youth Club

24th Friday 7pm Choir Practice
 8pm Bell Ringing

25th Saturday 1pm Wedding of Graham John Nash and Laura Jane Pauline Gullinee (JRC)

26th Sunday 10.00am Family Service + Sunday School (DW)
 10.15am *Holy Communion at St Michael's (RC)*

		11.00am	<i>Holy Communion at St Mary's (JRC)</i>
		11.20am	BCP Holy Communion (SS)
		6.30pm	Evensong + H/C + Healing (JRC)
27 th	Monday	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers in the Vestry/back of church
		2.00pm	Prayer Group
28 th	Tuesday	11.00am	JRC to Cotton End Lower School
		3.45-5.15pm	After School Club at St Michael's
		6.30pm	Youth Club – yoga or handbells
		6.30pm	Abbey Middle School sub-committee governors' Meeting (JRC)
29 th	Wednesday	11.30am	Coffee and soup group in the Vestry

7.30pm First session of the Lent Course at St Michael's Church

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1 st	Thursday	09.30am	Morning Prayers at St Michael's (SS + JRC)
		11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
		12Noon	Monthly Lunch
		6.45-8.15pm	London Road Youth Club
		8pm	Finance and Standing Meeting in the Vicarage
2 nd	Friday	10.30am	Women's World Day of Prayer @ Elstow Abbey
		7pm	Choir Practice
		8pm	Bell Ringing

3rd Saturday 4pm Bishop of Bedford's retirement service at St Paul's, Bedford. We are all invited to attend.

4 th	Sunday	10.00am	Holy Communion + Sunday School (RC + JEH to preach)
		10.15am	<i>Holy Communion at St Michael's (NM)</i>
		11.20am	Mattins (JEH)
		6.30pm	Evensong (JRC)
		09.30am	<i>JRC at Holy Trinity, Stevenage</i>