

# THE CHURCH CALENDAR

## November - December 2007

### NOVEMBER

1 <sup>st</sup>	Thursday	All Saints Day	
		11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
		12 noon	Monthly lunch in the Red Lion – all welcome
2 <sup>nd</sup>	Friday	7-8pm	Choir Practice
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Saturday	2.15pm	St Michael's Christmas Fayre
		6.00pm	<b>Bonfire and Fireworks Party in the field behind the Church hall</b>
4 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>4<sup>th</sup> Before Advent</b>	
		10.00am	Family Communion with Sunday School (JRC)
		11.15am	Morning Prayer (JRC)
		3.00pm	Baptism of Joseph Hillson (JRC)
		6.30pm	Annual Commemoration Service (JRC)
5 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers Group in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Young People's confirmation class, Cardington
		7.00pm	Prayer Group meet in the Summerhouse
		7.30pm	Adults confirmation class, Cardington
6 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	9.45am	Visit to Elstow Abbey by Southlands School
7 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	9.45am	Visit to Elstow Abbey by Southlands School
		11.30am	Coffee Morning followed by soup in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Youth Group – Indoor Games
8 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)

		7.30pm	Meeting of Elstow Parochial Church Council in the Church Hall
10 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday	2 – 7 pm-	Quiet afternoon at Turvey Abbey
<b>11<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>3<sup>rd</sup> Before Advent</b>	
			Remembrance Sunday
		10.55am	Remembrance Service followed by wreath laying at the War Memorial (JRC)
		3.00pm	Baptism of Rianna Johnson
		4-6pm	Pantomime Rehearsal
		6.30pm	Remembrance Evening Prayer (JRC) with the Royal British Legion Bedford and District Branch
12 <sup>th</sup>	Monday	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers Group in the Church hall
		6.30pm	Young People's confirmation class, Cardington
		7.00pm	Prayer Group meet in the Summerhouse
		7.30pm	Adults confirmation class, Cardington
			<b><i>DEADLINE FOR MATERIAL FOR THE DECEMBER 2007/ JANUARY 2008 MAGAZINE</i></b>
13 <sup>th</sup>	Tuesday	9.45am	Visit to Elstow Abbey by Southlands School
14 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	9.45am	Visit to Elstow Abbey by Southlands School
		11.30am	Coffee morning followed by soup in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Youth Group – Karaoke in the Church Hall
15 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
16 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	7-8pm	Choir Practice
17 <sup>th</sup>	Saturday	2 – 4 pm	Christmas Bazaar in Elstow Church Hall

<b>18<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>2nd Before Advent</b>	
		10.00am	Family Communion with Sunday School and the Baptism of Natasha Heron (JRC)
		10.15am	Dedication of St. Michael's Garden of Remembrance by The Bishop of Bedford
		11.15am	Morning Prayer (Captain David Wells)
		4-6pm	Pantomime Rehearsal
		6.30pm	Evening Prayer (Mr Robert Heley)
<b>19<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Monday</b>	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Young People's confirmation class, Cardington
		7.00pm	Prayer Group meet in the Summerhouse
		7.30pm	Adults confirmation class, Cardington
<b>21<sup>st</sup></b>	<b>Wednesday</b>	11.30am	Coffee morning followed by soup in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Youth Group – Beach Party in Church Hall
<b>22<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>Thursday</b>	11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
<b>24<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Saturday</b>	2.00pm	Children's Workshop in the Church hall
<b>25<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Next Before Advent</b>	<b>Christ the King</b>
		10.00am	Young People's Service (JEH)
		11.15am	Parish Communion (the Revd Peter Littleford)
		6.00pm	Joint Service at Christ the King, London Road/ Harroden Road Junction. (JRC Preacher)
			<b>Please NOTE: There is NO EVENSONG AT ELSTOW</b>
<b>26<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Monday</b>	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Young People's confirmation class, Cardington
		7.00pm	Prayer Group meet in the Summerhouse
		7.30pm	Adults confirmation class, Cardington

28 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	11.30am	Coffee morning followed by soup in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Youth Group – Visit to Pizza Hut
29 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
		7.30pm	Youth Leaders Meeting @ the Vicarage
30 <sup>th</sup>	Friday	7-8pm	Choir Practice

## DECEMBER

1 <sup>st</sup>	Saturday	7.00pm	Quiz Night in Elstow Church Hall with Fish and Chip supper
2 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Sunday</b>	<b>Advent Sunday</b>	
		10.00am	Family Communion with Sunday School and the lighting of the first Advent Candle (JRC)
		11.15am	Morning Prayer (JRC)
		2.00pm	Baptism of Olivia Beard (JRC)
		6.30pm	Evening Prayer (JRC)
3 <sup>rd</sup>	Monday	10.00am	Mums and Toddlers in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Young People’s confirmation class, Cardington
		7.00pm	Prayer Group meet in the Summerhouse
		7.30pm	Adults confirmation class, Cardington
		8.00pm	Advent Course at St. Michael’s Church.
5 <sup>th</sup>	Wednesday	11.30am	Coffee morning followed by soup in the Church Hall
		6.30pm	Youth Group – Christmas Icing
6 <sup>th</sup>	Thursday	11.00am	Holy Communion (JRC)
		Noon	<b>No</b> lunch at the Red Lion, Christmas Lunch on 13 <sup>th</sup>