

King Charles the Martyr Church Mutton Lane, Potters Bar

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368 Mutton Lane, Potters Bar, Hertfordshire EN6 3AS
Church Office – 01707 665579 – open Monday – Friday 10 am – 12 noon
(10.30 – 12 noon on Tuesdays)
The Reverend Michael Burns – 01707 661266.
KCM Web Address: www.kcm-church.org.uk

Three weeks' Notices for 18 December - 8 January

Sunday 18 December 2005

Advent 4

9.15 am Sung Eucharist

The Quiet Room is available for parents and babies to use (with toys). It is in the North Porch

Celebrant and Preacher: Michael Burns

Readings: 2 Samuel 7: 1 – 11 & 16 p. 310
Luke 1: 26 - 38 p. 1026

Hymns

Introit: Hark! a herald voice is calling **NEH 5**
Gradual: Advent Prose (*all sing refrain*) **NEH 501**
Offertory: Ye who own the faith of Jesus **NEH 188**
(omit vv 5 & 6)
Communion: Hail, true Body, born of Mary **NEH 289**
Antem: *Ave Maria - Arcadeldt*
Final: Lo! He comes **NEH 9**

The Prayer Chapel is always available for quiet and prayer. Someone will join you there for prayer if you require. If you want anything prayed for in the coming week(s) please write details in the diary

Do stay for Coffee or Tea in the Hall

Today
11.00 am **Morning Worship and Nativity Play**

Dates for your Diary

Today

4.30 pm Carol Service followed by refreshments

Monday 19 December

9.15 am Morning Prayer

5.30 pm Evening Prayer

7.30 pm Town Carols at Wyllyotts Centre – organised by Churches Together. All welcome

Tuesday 20 December

10.00 am Holy Communion

11.00 am Carols sung at Temple Court – all welcome

5.30 pm Evening Prayer

Wednesday 21 December

9.15 am Morning Prayer

Thursday 22 December

9.15 am Holy Communion

10.30 am – 2.00 pm **OPEN DOOR CAFÉ**
(open again on January 5)

Friday 23 December

9.15 am Morning Prayer

Saturday 24 December: CHRISTMAS EVE

4.00 pm Crib Service

6.00 pm Christingle Service

11.30 pm Midnight Eucharist

Sunday 25 December: CHRISTMAS DAY

10.30 am Christmas Communion

The Church and Office will be closed until 4 January 2006

Wednesday 4 January 2006

9.15 am Morning Prayer

1.30 pm Charlie's Angels in Meeting Room 1

2.30 pm Wednesday Break meets in Margaret Old Hall

No Evening Prayer tonight

Thursday 5 January

9.15 am Holy Communion

10.30 am – 2.00 pm **OPEN DOOR CAFÉ**

Friday 6 January

9.15 am Morning Prayer

Saturday 7 January

9.15 am Morning Prayer

Sunday 8 January: EPIPHANY

9.15 am Sung Eucharist

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11.00 am **Morning Worship Holy Communion**

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Prayer, News, Action

A VERY HAPPY CHRISTMAS to you all and many thanks, in advance, for all the work and organisation that will go into our Christmas Services. A lot of people help in all sorts of ways – some high profile and some less so – but all your work and efforts really are appreciated by so many.

Thank you very much – Michael.

CHRISTMAS CARDS may be left in the usual place – but please check and empty your pigeon-hole regularly!

SUNDAY JANUARY 1ST - there will be no services at KCM on this day. If you intend to go to church at one of the other Anglican Churches in Potters Bar it would be helpful if you could sign the list in Church, especially if you could offer a lift or two. Similarly, if you would like a lift please sign your name against the chauffeur or church of your choice!

ROYAL MARTYR CHURCH UNION – please take a letter giving details of their Centenary Celebrations in 2006 – and let Michael have the reply slips back as soon as possible.

A SILVER BIRCH TREE has recently been planted in memory of Mary Thomas. Paid for by the Open Door Caf  (of which Mary was a founding member) it was one of Mary's favourite trees and replaces a diseased horse chestnut which had been removed.

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We welcome you all as we enjoy the Nativity Play which our young people have written – with thanks to the Leaders who have translated their ideas into reality.

Please sit as near the front as possible!

Welcome and Notices

Song: Holy Spirit, we welcome you
(during which the collection will be taken)

Reading: 2 Samuel 7: 1 – 11 & 16 (p. 310)

Confession and Absolution

Reading: Luke 1: 26 – 38 (p. 1026)

Song: Majesty

Address

Prayers

A Modern Nativity Play

Final Prayer and Blessing

Song: Come and join the celebration

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You are warmly invited to stay for coffee in the hall