

King Charles the Martyr Church Mutton Lane, Potters Bar

Sunday 24 February 2008

Lent 3

9.15 am Sung Eucharist

The Quiet Room in the North Porch is available for parents and babies to use.

President and Preacher: The Reverend Michael Burns

Theme: God both knows us completely and loves us completely; meeting us where we are, he provides us with living water, to satisfy all our needs

Readings: **Exodus 17/1-7 p 75** read by Phil Emmans
Trusting in God through thick and thin can be an ordeal; but faith is the better for being tested
Romans 5/1-11 p 1132 read by Phil Emmans
Paul never ceases to be amazed at God's love for us – creatures of his who merit nothing from him at all.
John 4/5-42 p 1066 read by Michael Burns
Jesus is the 'giver' of the water that alone can satisfy our real thirst; and he is the 'place' where God is most truly worshipped, our bond with God.

Hymns:

Introit: On this day, the first of days **NEH 256**
Gradual: Psalm 95 v 1-7 **Stand to sing the Gloria together**
Offertory: Jesu lover of my soul **NEH 383**
Communion: All ye who seek a comfort sure **NEH 63**
Antem: *O taste and see – R Vaughan Williams*
Final: Praise the Lord **NEH 463**

The Prayer Chapel is always available for quiet and prayer. If you want anything prayed for in the coming week(s) please write details in the diary and there is also opportunity to light a candle for someone

You are warmly welcome to stay for coffee in the Hall

Today

11.0am Morning Worship led by the Reverend Michael Burns with Crèche and Children's Groups

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27 January 2008 (King Charles Day)

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Dates for your Diary

Monday 25 February

9.15am Morning Prayer
5.30pm Evening Prayer
7.00pm Wedding Rehearsal

Tuesday 26 February Barnet Deanery Clergy Quiet Day

No Holy Communion this morning
No Evening Prayer

Wednesday 27 February Michael's Free Day

9.15am Morning Prayer
1.30pm Charlie's Angels in MR1
2.30pm Wednesday Break in Margaret Old Hall
A Speaker from the RNLI
No Evening Prayer

Thursday 28 February

9.15am Holy Communion
10.30am–2pm Open Door Café
5.30pm Evening Prayer

Friday 29 February

9.15am Morning Prayer
1.00pm Wedding of Nigel Barber and Debbie Reed
No Choir Practice tonight

Saturday 1 March

9.15am Morning Prayer
10am – 11.30am ACT 4 Brunch at PB Baptist Church

Sunday 2 March Mothering Sunday/Lent 4

10.30am **United Service of Holy Communion**

CONFIRMATION – a number of people have indicated that they would be interested in eventually preparing to be confirmed as full members of the Church – but maybe next year. This is absolutely fine! The start of the preparation group(s) is always dependant upon the date offered by the Bishop – and will be in the autumn of 2009 at KCM – so groups would begin after the summer of 2009. The 2009 confirmation date will be announced soon.

SOCIAL EVENTS DIARY for 2008 was published recently – collect your copy. **HELP** will be welcome in organizing events – please sign list on board.

INTERNAL TELEPHONE DIRECTORY – copies for all are now available. Please, however, respect people's privacy and only refer to it for your own personal use. If there are any mistakes or additions needed, please let Michael know. Please also make sure that you **SHRED** your old phone list and don't just tear it up and throw it in the bin, as it would be easy for someone to use the information on it in the wrong way. If you haven't got a shredder, bring your old directory to Church and we can shred in the Office.

OBERAMMERGAU 2010 – see poster and contact Peter Weaver on 01707 850147 if you are interested in joining this party.

SATURDAY 1 MARCH 10am – 11.30am - Act 4 Brunch at the Baptist Church. Act 4 invites you to join them for Brunch, to see them in action and to find out more about their work & vision for their future. Food and Refreshments will be served at 10am; tickets £3.00 available 665551

FRIDAY MARCH 7 at 10am St Mary's Potters Bar

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER SERVICE –

Speaker will be Adelaide Smith of the Justice and Peace Committee of the RC Church – all welcome

AN ENGLISH BANQUET – Saturday 19th April at 7.30pm at Lochinver House School, Heath Road, Potters Bar. To celebrate all that is best about England and Englishness, a 3 course Roast Beef Dinner will be served, together with entertainment with the emphasis on 'having a good time'. The Hertfordshire Showband is presenting the evening. Tickets are £20 per head. Licensed Bar.

To book call Terry on 01707 650209. See poster for further details.

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Welcome and Notices and Opening Prayer

Song: I am a new Creation

Talk and Lord's Prayer

Song: Father we love you
(during which the Collection will be taken)

The children and young people leave for their groups

Confession and Absolution

Reading Exodus 17/1-7 p 75 read by Elaine Hartland
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faith is the better for being tested

Song: As the deer pants for the water

Reading John 4/5-42p 1066 read by Michael Burns
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thirst; and he is the 'place' where God is most truly
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Song: Be still for the presence of the Lord

Prayers led by Cynthia Cook

Final Prayer and Blessing

Song: A new commandment

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