

King Charles the Martyr Church Mutton Lane, Potters Bar

Sunday 11 October 2009

Trinity 18

9.15 am Sung Eucharist

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

- President :** The Revd. Michael Burns
Preacher: Trevor Alexander, Reader
Theme: The word of God is living and active, piercing right to the heart; only with God is it possible to be saved.
Readings: **Amos 5/6-7, 10-15 p 920** read by Phil Emmans
The prophet Amos was the first to attack the evils of society itself. He stands against the complacency which leads many to accept social evils so long as they are profitable.
Hebrews 4/12-16 p 1203 read by Phil Emmans
In referring to Jesus as 'high priest' the role is that of mediator. The priest stands between humans and God, making offerings on their behalf for the sake of their good.
Mark 10/17-31 p 1014 read by Michael Burns
The command 'to love' has absolute priority. Hen Jesus attacks the rich. Wealthy is a great comfort but it is also a distraction from the things of God.
Prayers: Jean Emmans
Hymns:
Introit: Breathe on me breath of God **NEH 342**
Gradual: Psalm 22/1-5
My God, my God, why have you forsaken me?
Offertory: Lord enthroned in heavenly splendour **NEH 296**
Communion: Faithful shepherd, feed me **NEH 282**
Anthem Teach me, O Lord - Attwood
Final: Ye holy angels bright **NEH 475**

FOR YOUR PRAYERS:

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11.00am Morning Worship Holy Communion led by Michael Burns with Trevor Alexander preaching

Dates for your Diary

- Today**
6.30pm **Confirmation with Bishop Christopher**
(overflow parking available in Elm Court)
- Monday 12 October**
9.15am Morning Prayer
5.30pm Evening Prayer
7pm+ 8pm Confirmation Groups at the Vicarage
- Tuesday 13 October**
10.00am Holy Communion
No Evening Prayer tonight
- Wednesday 14 October**
9.15am Morning Prayer
1.30pm Charlie's Angels in MR1
No Evening Prayer tonight
8.00pm Bazaar Meeting in MOH
- Thursday 15 October**
9.15am Holy Communion
10.30am-2pm Open Door Café
5.30pm Evening Prayer
8.00pm Christian Issues 2 in MR2 - Euthanasia
- Friday 16 October** *Michael's Free Day*
9.15am Morning Prayer
7.30pm Choir Practice
- Saturday 17 October**
9.15am Morning Prayer

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| Sunday 18 October | St Luke and Stewardship Sunday President and Preacher: The Reverend Michael Burns Readings: Isaiah 35/3-6 + 2 Timothy 4/5-17 + Luke 10/1-9 |
| 9.15am | Sung Eucharist |
| 11.0am | Morning Worship Holy Communion with Crèche/Children's Groups |
| 2.30pm | Hertfordshire County Trefoil Guild Service |

Prayer, News, Action

FLOWERS THIS WEEK HAVE BEEN DONATED by Joy Wood, Joan Howell and Sue Warren in celebration of their Confirmation this evening.

HARVEST 2009 was again a very successful celebration. Thanks to:

- Joan Kilburn and the Flower Guild for their displays in Church
- Jean Emmans and the Catering Team for a delicious Harvest Supper
- Ray Smith and all those who entertained us so enjoyably
- All those who contributed to the harvest produce
- All those who took part in the Service – especially William and the Choir (with apologies from Michael that his proof reading for Autumn Days was so poor.) Thanks also to the children who were involved in the service.
- All who contributed to the Collection totalling so far £660 (including the £200 profit from the supper), which will be sent to the Bishop's Appeal for Water Action. It is not too late to donate - by today please..

THE CHRISTMAS BAZAAR (28 November) will soon be upon us. Ann Davy, Joy Rowley, Joanne Maddock Lyon and Sandie Fenech are again kindly coordinating the arrangements. There will be a meeting for all stall-holders in the Margaret Old Hall on **WEDNESDAY 14 OCTOBER at 8pm**. It would be very helpful if all stalls could be represented by at least one person.

CHILDREN'S SOCIETY BOXES – please return to Church as soon as possible for emptying, counting and returning. If they need to be collected please let Pauline Beckford know.

CANON ROBIN BROWN retires at the end of November. He and Vicky will be coming to KCM on 1st November to bid us farewell. If you would like to donate to his leaving gift from us, please hand donations in an envelope to Jean Emmans or one of the Churchwardens.

QUIZ NIGHT at 7.30pm. Saturday 7 November 2009 Come and make up tables of 8. Soup and a Ploughman's Supper will be served in the interval. BYO drinks. Raffle. Tickets must be ordered and paid for in advance - £7 for adults and £4 for u 16s. Please sign the list on the table today.

CHARITABLE GIVING will be decided by the PCC. If you have any suggestions for charities for us to support this year, let Jean Emmans know.

WORSHIP QUESTIONNAIRES (purple) to be brought back as soon as possible please – place them in the tin on the table.

HELP NEEDED WITH THE SOUND SYSTEM at 11.0am – please speak to Michael or Ed Sullivan if you are interested – full training will be given though it is not too complicated!

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Welcome, Notices and Opening Prayer

Song There is power in the name of Jesus

Confession and Absolution

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Song Jesus we celebrate
(during which the Collection will be taken)

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Address Trevor Alexander, Reader

Prayers

The Peace

Song All heaven declares

The Blessing of Bread and Wine

Songs Holy Spirit we welcome you

All I once held dear

Final Prayer and Blessing

Song Praise God from whom all blessings flow

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