

THE THIRD SUNDAY OF EPIPHANY 26TH JANUARY 2020

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The deadline for notices for the Sunday sheet is Wednesday at 12.00 noon

WELCOME TO OUR INCLUSIVE CHURCH FAMILY

St Michael & All Angels is a church where people are called to come together to explore the mystery of God's love. All of us, without exception, are called by God. A special welcome to all visitors and newcomers. May God bless you this day and every day. Please help yourself to a *Welcome Pack* before you leave.

RECYCLE SUNDAY

Please remember to bring any unwanted (portable) items you have to give away on 2nd February for our Recycle Sunday event in church straight after the 10 a.m. service. And do come along and see if there is anything there that you would like to take home with you.

THE GOOD FILL

The Good Fill is a zero-waste stall selling loose, dried organic foods and household detergents. Bring and fill your old containers to reduce single use plastic. The stall can be found regularly in The Threshold or in the Lower Church Hall at weekends, and dates can be found in the Church diary.

GODLY PLAY SUNDAY

The 4th week of the month means that the children of primary school age and above will go to the Godly Play room for a story, a feast and a prayer.

ANTHEM

O Nata Lux (Tallis)

ANTIPHON

Jesus of Nazareth was attested to by God with deeds of power, wonders and signs that God did through him among you. (Acts 2.22)

PARTNERSHIP LENT COURSE 2020

This Lent we are preparing 4 sessions on consecutive weeks from the w/b 2nd March. The dates and locations have yet to be fixed. We plan to share the sessions across the partnership. The theme of the course is the Care of God's Creation. We have invited some influential speakers.

LABYRINTH DAY, SATURDAY 7TH MARCH

Labyrinths have been used across the Christian centuries as a means of meditation and prayer. We will have two labyrinths in church on 7th March for an open event offering this experience to the community and partnership churches. We will also use one for the All Age Eucharist in March. We are putting together a group to plan the event – no experience of labyrinths is needed. Please contact Clare or Gavin if you would like to be involved or have any questions.

WHY I LIKE ST MICHAEL'S

Some recent comments from those in the know!

“Unconditional love for all of us in our own mess “

SUNDAYS

8.00 am Holy Eucharist

Traditional Language

10.00 am Parish Eucharist

1st Sunday of the month:

All-Age Family Eucharist

3rd Sunday of the month:

Sung Eucharist from the High Altar

6.30pm Taizé service

1st Sunday of the month silent prayer.

WEEKDAYS

8.30 am Silent Prayer

In the Lady Chapel

9.00 am Morning Prayer

In the Lady Chapel

Holy Eucharist

Thursdays 10.00am

1st Thursday of the month: Healing - the laying on of hands and anointing.

Choir Practice

Thursdays 6.30-7.45pm

Contact Steve Allen - 07717 852020

Men's Breakfast

1st Saturday of the month

Contact Steve Hunter - 01865 552475

FOR CHILDREN

'Children's Church' on Sunday

meets in the vestry during
10.00am Parish Eucharist

Godly Play

every 4th Sunday
at 10am with a crèche provided

St Michael's Choristers Age 3+

practise Thursdays in church
in term-time at 5.30 pm and sing on the
1st Sunday of the month
Contact Alice - 07791 328108

Baby & Toddler Group

Tuesdays 10.00 - 12.00 noon
Play for children and chat for carers
Contact Juliet - 01865 552640