

This Weeks Notices

MELTHAM COMMUNITY CARD GROUP

Thank you to everybody who supported the Meltham community Card Group by purchasing Christmas cards and gift tags.

Cards for birthdays and other occasions are available in all the churches. The group will resume at some point in the New Year. Please keep your old Christmas cards for us to recycle, they can be placed in the green boxes which are in all the churches.

Thank you

Please, please, please

Maureen would rather hear from 10 people that someone is sick or has died, rather than hearing the news on the grapevine. You can always leave a message on the answer-phone if she is not in. Already this year she has not known of two people who are sick and the death of a member of a congregations parent.



Week of Christian Unity

Meltham Churches Together
Joint Service
Sunday, 15th January 2017
10.30am, Methodist Church



A New Helme School Governor

COULD THIS BE YOU?

At Helme Church of England

(Voluntary Aided) Infant and Junior School,

we require a new Foundation Governor from the Parish of Christ the King. No previous school governor experience is required. Our Governing Body Skills Audit, undertaken earlier in the year, indicated that new members with knowledge and skills related to special educational needs, local business or community links would be particularly welcomed.

If you feel that this may be for you, please do not hesitate to get in touch for an informal chat with me or contact the school direct for further details.

Many thanks,

Revd Dennis Shields (Chair of Governors)

Tel: 01484 850074 Email: dennis_shields@btinternet.com



A Reminder



If you want to have something published either in the Weekly News or on the magazine diary page you must make sure it is in Maureen's diary. All the information on here comes from there! You can tell her or email the details through.

The Parish Pastoral Team are meeting at the Vicarage on Monday 16th January at 1.30pm. If you feel you would like to join this important area of ministry please come along to the meeting. We'll be setting out our plans for 2017 so come with any new ideas!

All Welcome



Welcome to Worship

Sunday, 8th January 2017

EPIPHANY

Clergy Contact Details

Revd Maureen Read: 01484 850050
Revd Charlene Smith: 01484 851334
Revd Peter Rolls: 01484 340342
Revd John Radcliffe: 01484 348806
Revd Dennis Shields: 01484 850074
Revd Judy Kenworthy: 01484 851158

Parish Links

Web - www.melthamparish.co.uk
Email - melthamparish@outlook.com



Worship Today

9.30am
11.00am
11.15am
5.00pm

Holy Communion - St Bartholomew's
Holy Communion - St Mary's
Holy Communion - Christ Church
5Alive - St James

Readings
Gospel

Isaiah 60: 1-6
Matthew 2: 1-12

Parish Weekly Diary (Sunday 8.1.2017 - Sunday 15.1.17)

Weekly Prayer Intention: Father, you revealed your Son to the nations by the guidance of a star.
Lead us to your glory in heaven by the light of faith. Amen

Sunday: EPIPHANY

9.30am - Holy Communion - St Bartholomew's
11.00am - Holy Communion - St Mary's
11.15am - Holy Communion - Christ Church
2.30pm - Interment of ashes - Christ Church
5.00pm - 5Alive - St James

Monday:

9.10am - Shop Prayers
10.10am Meltham CE Worship
3.00pm - Evening Prayer - St Mary's

Tuesday:

9.30am - Morning Prayer - St Mary's
1.30pm - Greenacres Songs of Praise
3.00pm - Evening Prayer - Christ Church

Wednesday:

9.00am - BCP Communion - St Bartholomew's
10.00am - MCT Prayers - Christ Church
11.00am - Funeral of Jean Wilkinson - St Bartholomew's
3.00pm - Evening Prayer - St James

Thursday:

9.30am - Morning Prayer - St James
1.30pm - Interment of ashes - Christine Hollinson - Christ Church
3.00pm - Evening Prayer - St Bartholomew's
7.30pm - MCT - Methodist Church

Friday:

10.30 - Open Church - Coffee Morning - St Bartholomew's

Saturday:

NO COFFEE MORNING

10.30 - 12.30 - DBS Training Morning - St James

Sunday

9.00am - Holy Communion - St Bartholomew's
10.30am - Service for the Week of Christian Unity - Methodist Church



Useful Information/Numbers:

MCT Prayer Chain - If you have prayer needs, however small or big, there is a prayer chain group, who operate in strict confidentiality, who await your requests.

Contact Revd Peter Rolls 01484 340342,
Hester Deacon 01484 657069

Crossroads Centre - Citizen's Advice Bureau, Benefit's Advice, Debt Advice, Free Legal Advice, advice and support. The Centre is open weekdays 10.00am - 12.30pm. Call in or telephone: 01484 854400 to make an appointment.

Crossroads Foodbank - Helping people in need in Meltham for further information please ring the Crossroads Centre: 01484 854400 / 07958 217215, or the Welcome Centre: 01484 340034.

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GROWING YOUR Church

God of Mission

Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give
Vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers,
In spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community
Through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen