



ST MICHAEL
IN-THE-HAMLET



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Sunday 1st October 2017

Todays Services

10.00am Harvest Parade with Keith Hitchman
2 Corinthians 8v1-15 Matthew 9v35-38
6.30pm Evening Prayer with Alan Studley



NOTICES

Collection for Father Moses

This Sunday is the first week in the month when we make a collection for Father Moses in Ghana. We have committed ourselves to send a minimum of a pound each to help him maintain his 4x4 vehicle to reach his outstations and outlying churches over rough terrain. I appreciate that this Sunday you will have already been generous with your harvest gifts to help others in need but our brothers and sisters in Ghana truly need your help. May God bless you for your kindness. **Rob**

MacMillan coffee Morning Thank you to all who attended, contributed and donated cakes we raised a total of £376.58 **Cath Park**

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Monday Group 2nd October 2017, We meet in Church for 7.30pm When we will remember our very good Friend Joan Davis. Please note the change of time and please speak to Elizabeth 342 1708 or Cath 427 7164 if you need transport.

'Why Church?' - Thursday 5 October: An introductory evening for all families thinking about Baptism & Church School Entry for their child. Anyone wanting Baptism for their child between October and January, please attend this evening. There will be another 'Why Church?' evening in January.

Friday 6th October 2017 at 7.30p.m in Church The Friends Present Live Music from the 'ANGLETONES'. We hope you will come and join us and enjoy this wonderful duo's music. £6 incl refreshments Pay on the door. All proceeds go to the Church Restoration via The Friends. Please support the Friends.

Ladies Pizza and Prosecco Evening!

We would like to invite all ladies to a 'Pizza and Prosecco Evening' on Thursday 26th October 2017 in Maranto's Lark Lane. All are very welcome including existing, new and non-members of our congregation to what will be a good opportunity to build up our friendship and fellowship in an informal environment over a glass or two of bubbly ☺ Further details to follow shortly. If you can make it, please let Helen 07393 283 662 or Gill 07851 720 193 know as soon as you can

Boys Brigade Fundraiser Come and join the fun at our next Boys Brigade fundraiser in Maranto's. Its on Saturday 11th November 8pm star. We have a fantastic all round singer Paul Mc Coy, ticket only £6 please see Alan, Martin. Eddie, Karen and Dave for tickets.

Date for Your Diary We will be holding another men's get together on Wednesday 6th December 2017 at the Tai Pan, Hanover Street. A popular and relaxed "All You Can Eat" restaurant - for an informal and convivial evening before Christmas. All men are invited - hope you can make it. I will be taking a list of those who wish to attend in November.

Christmas Fair - We have set a date for the Christmas fair Saturday 2nd December Church Hall, If you can help please see Dave Patmore and Christina Barrett Yuen who are organising, further details will be going out soon.

Church Working Party

We put a piece in the church newsletter over the summer asking for volunteers for a working party to address some of the work that needs to be done in church. I emphasise that this is not gender specific and anyone who has a skill or talent which can help improve the fabric or decor of the church will be welcomed and appreciated. I have left a list at the for names and phone numbers of those who wish to help. Please see the warden team at the back of church to give them your details. Even if you have already offered your help it would be appreciated if you put your name on the list. I will organise a Saturday in the next couple of weeks for us to get together and survey the building to see what needs to be done. Some jobs will, of course, need to be done by professional contractors, but we still need to make a list of those jobs to measure our progress. We truly want to make the building as welcoming as you, our congregation are. If you can help please put your details on the list and I will update everybody about a meeting in the near future. May God bless you for your help. **Rob**

Volunteers Needed Please help us keep this beautiful building pleasant to visit and worship in. we urgently need people to join our cleaning teams, starting January 2018. This would be for no more than 2 hours every 6 weeks, at a time that suits you. If you can help or need more information please see me as soon as possible , **Karen White**

Christmas Shoeboxes

Many thanks to all who have donated items so far. We still need tooth-brushes & toothpaste, soaps, pencils, coloured pencils and crayons, balls and girls' soft toys and any donations would be gratefully received. Many thanks Pam Fitzsimon

Twitter Please follow our new Twitter account for St Michael in the Hamlet with St Andrew Parish church **@StMichaelsL17**— Please contact Gill 07851 720 193 g.mclaren@liverpool.ac.uk with details of anything that needs tweeting.

Facebook

There is a facebook page **@stmichaelinthehamlet** for anyone on social media who wants to keep up to date with various news for more info please see **Nicola McGregor**

Newsletter — All items for this Newsletter should be directed to **Sorena Aziz** before the **FRIDAY** of that week. Any updates to **Services, Church notices, Church groups and Children's clubs, especially re-start dates,** should also be given to Sorena. On a special service there is an opportunity for the **name and photo** to go into the news sheet all details should go to the email address as below.

Please contact Sorena Aziz

with notices or news:

Diary

Thursday 5th October 11.00am Service of Holy Communion in Church Hall followed by Community Lunch

Sunday 8th October

9.45am Children's Church Belgrave Rd

10.00am Morning Prayer with Alan Studley

6.30pm Holy Communion with Keith Hitchman

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