

What's On @ St Michael & All Angels Parish Church, Shefford
The United Benefice Of Meppershall & Shefford
JULY 2010

Thursday 1	10.30-12.30	Samuel Whitbread Upper School pupils visit Shefford churches
Friday 2	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Sunday 4	8.30am	Holy Communion
	9.45am	Morning Praise
	2.30p	Holy Communion at the Birches (everyone welcome)
Monday 5	7.30pm	Healing & Wholeness Service at St Francis of Assisi Catholic Church (Shefford Churches working together)
Tuesday 6	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	2.30pm	Tuesday Afternoon Group
	8pm	Word of Life meeting at 17 Oakwood Road: Frank Bond 01462 812730
Wednesday 7	10am-11am	MINI-M: worship and fun for babies and toddlers (0's to 4's) with their parents/minders. Today's theme: My family and other animals
	DAILY BREAD orders by today, please: see display table or ring Michelle 01462 814117	
Thursday 8	1.30-3.30pm	HFT Café
Friday 9	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 10	9am-1pm	Shefford Farmers' Market - refreshments served in church
	10am-1pm	Shefford History Group: share your memories of Shefford
	2.30-4.30pm	TRAVELLING BAND: informal drop-in workshop to get our new all-age musical show on the road! Everyone welcome, come and be creative or just enjoy bouncing ideas around over a cup of something! More info from Jenny Dann 01462 817337
Sunday 11	9.45am	Family Communion with Messengers
	11.15am-12.15am	Family Service at St Mary's Meppershall, with commissioning of leaders and helpers for Sparks 2010 "Awesome" Christian Holiday Club
	5pm	Tea & cakes
	6pm	Second Sunday @ Six: Sea Sunday Summer Special (outdoor service)
Monday 12	7.45pm	Shefford & District Bible Society Action Group meets in St Michael's Meeting Room, led by Jonathan Gorsky. Theme: "The LORD (JEHOVAH/YAHWEH) - use and significance"
Tuesday 13	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	DAILY BREAD orders delivered this morning	
Thursday 15	1.30-3.30pm	HFT Café
	7.45pm	PCC meeting
Friday 16	9.50am	Morning Prayer with hymns & address
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Sunday 18	9.45am	Family Communion with Messengers
	PM	Assembly of tents and gazebos in Meppershall Rectory garden in preparation for Sparks 2010 "Awesome" Christian Holiday Club
	2.30pm	Ecumenical Service at The Birches (everyone welcome)
Tuesday 20	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
Wednesday 21	10am-11am	MINI-M: worship and fun for babies and toddlers (0's to 4's) with their parents/minders. Today's theme: Rock and Sand
	8pm	Mothers' Union Deanery Festival at All Saints' Clifton
Thursday 22	10am-2pm	Sparks 2010 -'Awesome' Christian Holiday Club at St Mary's Meppershall - forms at Meppershall Church/Rectory + School
	1.30-3.30pm	HFT Café
Friday 23	9.50am	Holy Communion (Followed by Tea/coffee: prayer ministry available; 10.40-12.00)
	10am-2pm	Sparks 2010 -'Awesome' Christian Holiday Club at St Mary's Meppershall - forms at Meppershall Church/Rectory + School

Saturday 24	12noon-2pm	Sparks 2010 -'Awesome' family picnic & games in the field opposite St Mary's Church, Meppershall.
	4pm-5.30pm	Stories4Saturdays: informal sharing around a Bible story theme. More info from Jenny Dann 01462 817337
Sunday 25	9.45am	Family Service
	11.15am-12.30pm	Family Communion at St Mary's Meppershall with Sparks 2010 'Awesome' Celebration
	3pm	Ecumenical Service at Wren Park (everyone welcome)
	6pm	Holy Communion
Monday 26	10am-2pm	Sparks 2010 -'Awesome' Christian Holiday Club at St Mary's Meppershall - forms at Meppershall Church/Rectory + School
Tuesday 27	10am-2pm	Sparks 2010 -'Awesome' Christian Holiday Club at St Mary's Meppershall - forms at Meppershall Church/Rectory + School
	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
Thursday 29	1.30-3.30pm	HFT Café
Friday 30	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served: prayer ministry available

LOOKING FORWARD TO AUGUST 2010...

Sunday 1	8.30am	Holy Communion
	9.45am	Morning Praise
	2.30pm	Holy Communion at the Birches (everyone welcome)
Tuesday 3	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	8pm	Word of Life meeting at 17 Oakwood Road: Frank Bond 01462 812730
Wednesday 4	10am-11.30am	MINI-M TEDDY BEARS' PICNIC: worship and fun for babies and toddlers (0's to 4's) with their parents/minders. Bring a teddy and a snack – older children also welcome!
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Thursday 5	1.30-3.30pm	HFT Café
Friday 6	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available

AND FURTHER AHEAD...

Sat Sept 11	10am-6pm	Sponsored Bike 'n Hike
Sat Oct 25	10am-4pm	Loving God, Living Green: Diocesan Environment Resource Day at St Mary's Church, Welwyn (see poster on notice board for details)

Details of events for the August 2010 "What's On" should reach Jenny Dann
NO LATER THAN WEDNESDAY 21st JULY, THANK YOU!

PRAYER REQUESTS...

St Michael's has a prayer book which you can use to ask us to pray for you, or for anyone that you know that needs praying for – you will find it on a small table in front of the Lady Chapel at the back of the Church – do feel free to use it – we include all requests for prayer from this book in our Sunday services.

HOME VISITS...

If you would like to receive a visit at home, to receive Communion, for prayer, or for a chat, please contact John Harper, Patsy Critchley or Jenny Dann (telephone numbers at the foot of this page)

Regular Events:		Plus...
Coffee Shop - every Tuesday 10.30-12.00 - run by the Biggleswade Adult Centre	HFT Café – every Thursday 1.45 – 3.30 – run by Home Farm Trust Teas, coffees & home-made goodies	Time-4-U - If you need someone to talk to (in confidence), we have the listeners available

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