

# What's On @ St Michael & All Angels' Parish Church, Shefford

The United Benefice Of Meppershall & Shefford

## FEBRUARY 2016

Monday 1	7.30pm	Churches Together in Shefford AGM at St Michael's
Tuesday 2	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	DAILY BREAD orders by today, please: see display or ring Michelle 01462 814117	
Wednesday 3	10am-11am	MINI-M: worship and fun for babies & toddlers (0's to 4's) with their parents/minders. Today's theme: Jesus the storyteller
Thursday 4	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
	7.45pm	PCC meeting
Friday 5	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 6	10am-12.00	Mission Action Planning Breakfast: open meeting to share ideas and encouragement, and to look for God's direction for our future.
<b>Sunday 7</b>	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10am	Family Service. Readings: Exodus 3:1-6; 1 John 3:1-3.
	2.30pm	Holy Communion at The Birches (everyone welcome)
Monday 8	7.45 for 8pm	Shefford & District Bible Society Action Group meeting at 112 Shefford Road, Clifton, led by Revd Paul Lanham. Theme: Peter's first letter.
Tuesday 9	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
Wednesday 10	9.45-11.15am	Mini-M Open House: parents and minders with under-5's are invited to drop in for informal chat, play and refreshments.
	morning	DAILY BREAD orders delivered
	7.30pm	Ash Wednesday Holy Communion (with Imposition of Ashes)
Thursday 11	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
	2pm-4pm	Craft group: all welcome. Make something, relax and chat, play Scrabble, find a friend...
Friday 12	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 13	9am-1pm	Shefford Farmers' Market, with refreshments in church
	10am-1pm	Shefford History Group: share your memories of Shefford.
	12.30-1.30pm	Churches Together Lent Lunch in Shefford Community Hall (simple soup lunch, donations to Christian Aid)
<b>Sunday 14</b>	10am	Family Communion. Readings: Deuteronomy 26:1-11; Luke 4:1-13.
	2.30pm	Baptism service
	6pm	Lent Film: The Theory of Everything. At Shefford Methodist Church, in preparation for the Churches Together Lent Course (see below)
Tuesday 16	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	7.30pm	'The Mystery of Everything' (1) Churches Together Lent Course at Shefford Methodist Church. Info: Dave Haseldine 01462 813284
Wednesday 17	10am-11am	MINI-M: worship and fun for babies & toddlers (0's to 4's) with their parents/minders. Today's theme: The best way to live
Thursday 18	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
Friday 19	9.50am	Morning Prayer with hymns & address
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 20	12.30-1.30pm	Churches Together Lent Lunch at Shefford Community Hall (simple soup lunch, donations to Christian Aid)
	2.30pm	Baptism service

<b>Sunday 21</b>	10am	Family Communion. Readings: Genesis 15:1-12,17-18; Luke 13:31-end.
	2.30pm	Ecumenical Service at The Birches (everyone welcome)
Tuesday 23	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	7.30pm	'The Mystery of Everything' (2) Churches Together Lent Course at Shefford Methodist Church. Info: Dave Haseldine 01462 813284
Wednesday 24	9.45-11.15am	Mini-M Open House: parents and minders with under-5's are invited to drop in for informal chat, play and refreshments.
Thursday 25	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
	2pm-4pm	Craft group: all welcome. Make something, relax and chat, play Scrabble, find a friend...
Friday 26	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 27	12.30-1.30pm	Churches Together Lent Lunch at Shefford Community Hall (simple soup lunch, donations to Christian Aid)
<b>Sunday 28</b>	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10am	Morning Praise. Readings: Genesis 28:10-19a; John 1:35-end.
	3pm	Ecumenical Service at Wren Park (everyone welcome)

### LOOKING FORWARD TO MARCH 2016...

Tuesday 1	10.30-12.00	Coffee Shop
	DAILY BREAD orders by today, please: see display or ring Michelle 01462 814117	
	7.30pm	'The Mystery of Everything' (3) Churches Together Lent Course at Shefford Methodist Church. Info: Dave Haseldine 01462 813284
Wednesday 2	9.45-11.15am	Mini-M Open House: parents and minders with under-5's are invited to drop in for informal chat, play and refreshments.
Thursday 3	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
Friday 4	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
	2.15pm	Women's World Day of Prayer service at St Michael's. All welcome.
Saturday 5	morning	(to be confirmed) Shefford's 'Clean for the Queen' litter pick around Shefford town centre – volunteers welcome! Refreshments in church.
	12.30-1.30pm	Churches Together Lent Lunch at Shefford Community Hall (simple soup lunch, donations to Christian Aid)
Sunday 6	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10am	Mothering Sunday Family Service. Readings: Psalm 127; Luke 2:33-35.
	2.30pm	Holy Communion at The Birches (everyone welcome)

Details for the March 2016 "What's On" should reach Jenny Dann  
**NO LATER THAN SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> FEBRUARY, 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 Friday and Sunday services.

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

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