

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

The United Benefice Of Meppershall & Shefford

SEPTEMBER 2016

Thursday 1	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
Friday 2	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry
Saturday 3	9.30am	Outdoor working party in church grounds – see Ian or Pat G
	10.30am	Rehearsal for 'Shefford's Songs from the Shows' – see Debra or Jenny
Sunday 4	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10am	Family Service. Readings Philemon 1-21; Luke 14:25-33
	2.30pm	Holy Communion at The Birches (everyone welcome)
Monday 5	6.30pm	Singing Night – open to all. For info contact Judy 07973 159593
Tuesday 6	10.30-12.30	Community Café
		DAILY BREAD orders by today, please: see display or ring Michelle 01462 814117
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: Ten silver coins
		The Bishop of St Albans visits our Deanery today – all are invited to Barton-le-Clay in the evening. Lifts available – see Roni or Pat G.
Thursday 8	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
Friday 9	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
	12.15pm	Community Lunch – share a meal and social activities. Run by our Parish Nurse, Julia Haigh.
Saturday 10	9am-1pm	Shefford Farmers' Market, with refreshments in church
	10am-1pm	Shefford History Group: share your memories of Shefford
	10am-6pm	Sponsored Bike 'n Hike for Beds & Herts Historic Churches Trust: see posters and leaflets at back of church, or contact Jenny.
Sunday 11	10am	Family Communion. Readings 1 Timothy 1:12-17; Luke 15:1-10
	2.30pm	Baptism service
	5pm	Tea & cakes
	6pm	Second Sunday at Six: informal worship
Monday 12	7.45pm	'Songs from the Shows' rehearsal
	7.45 for 8pm	Shefford & District Bible Society Action Group meeting at 65 House Lane, Arlesey, led by Revd Jane Wheatley. Theme: Letter to the first Church on European soil: Philippi
Tuesday 13	10.30-12.30	Community Café
Wednesday 14	9.45-11.15am	Mini-M Open House: parents & minders with under-5's are invited to drop in for informal chat, play and refreshments.
	morning	DAILY BREAD orders delivered
	8pm	'Listening Prayer' at 3 Olivers Court (Lucy & David Yule)
Thursday 15	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
	2pm-4pm	Craft group: all welcome. Make something, relax and chat, find a friend...
Friday 16	9.50am	Morning Prayer with hymns & address
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Friday 16 to Sunday 18:		The first ever Meppershall Scarecrow Festival! See poster for details.
Saturday 17	10.30am	'Songs from the Shows' rehearsal
Sunday 18	10am	Family Communion. Readings 1 Timothy 2:1-7, Luke 16:1-13
	2.30pm	Baptism service
	2.30pm	Ecumenical Service at The Birches
Monday 19	6.30pm	Singing Night – open to all. For info contact Judy 07973 159593
Tuesday 20	10.30-12.00	Community Café
	7pm	PCC meeting
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: The angels' stairway.

Thursday 22	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
Friday 23	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 24	10.00-12.30	Michaelmas Fair: see posters or contact Pat G for details or to offer help with this important event.
Sunday 25	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10am	St Michael & All Angels Festival Communion. Readings Revelation 12:7-12; John 1:47-end
	2.30pm	Ecumenical Service at Wren Park (everyone welcome)
Monday 26	7.45pm	'Songs from the Shows' rehearsal
Tuesday 27	10.30-12.00	Community Café
Wednesday 28	9.45-11.15am	Mini-M Open House: parents & minders with under-5's are invited to drop in for informal chat, play and refreshments.
Thursday 29	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
	2pm-4pm	Craft group: all welcome. Make something, relax and chat, find a friend....
Friday 30	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available

LOOKING FORWARD TO OCTOBER 2016...

Sunday 2	8.30am	Holy Communion
	10am	Family Service. Readings 2 Timothy 1:1-14; Luke 17:5-10
	2.30pm	Holy Communion at The Birches (everyone welcome)
Monday 3	6.30pm	Singing Night – open to all. For info contact Judy 07973 159593
Tuesday 4	10.30-12.00	Community Café
	7.45pm	'Songs from the Shows' rehearsal
DAILY BREAD orders by today, please: contact Michelle 01462 814117 or Jenny 01462 817337. (Please order for TWO months this time as there will be no delivery in November.)		
Wednesday 5	10am-11am	Mini-M: worship and fun for babies and toddlers (0's-4's) with their parents/minders. Today's theme: A happy harvest.
Thursday 6	10.30-12.00	HFT Café
Friday 7	9.50am	Holy Communion
	10.40-12.00	Tea/coffee served : prayer ministry available
Saturday 8	9am-1pm	Shefford Farmers' Market, with refreshments in church.
	10am-1pm	Shefford History Group: share your memories of Shefford
	2.30pm	'Songs from the Shows' rehearsal
Sunday 9	10am	Harvest Family Communion
	4pm	Bible Sunday service at St Michael's (Churches Together in Shefford)
Saturday 15	3pm & 7.30pm	Shefford's Songs from the Shows: sing along to some of your favourite songs from the St Michael's Musicals! Free entry, song words provided, donations welcome.

Details for the October 2016 "What's On" should reach Jenny Dann
NO LATER THAN FRIDAY 22nd SEPTEMBER, 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...
Community Café - every Tuesday 10.30-12.30	HFT Café – every Thursday 10.30 – 12.00 – run by HFT. 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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