

## PLEASE PRAY FOR

### MONDAY

The Diocesan Vision for Action Initiative - Stewardship  
The people who live in Watermead Road

### TUESDAY

Penitents, Confessors and Spiritual Directors  
The people who live in Waterslade Green

### WEDNESDAY

The Limbury Churches together Lent Course  
The people who live in Weltmore Road

### THURSDAY

All those setting out on a Journey of Faith  
The people who live in Willenhall Close

### FRIDAY

Our Armed Forces and those working for Peace  
The people who live in Wistow Road

### SATURDAY

All those who are Struggling Financially  
The people who live in Wodecroft Road

### GROUPS

Group 3 is on duty next Sunday  
Group 1 is on the 28<sup>th</sup> February  
Group 2 is on the 7<sup>th</sup> March

### Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> February – Ash Wednesday

7.30 pm Imposition of the Ashes

Sidepersons : J. Crawley and F. Chick

### Sunday 21st February

#### Lent 1

9.15 am Sung Eucharist  
Sidepersons: J. Kammerer, J. Sanders & J. Meek

Parish Breakfast: S. Duffy and J. Jeffs

Prayers: K. Devey

Servers : Team 2

Readings: p731 Deuteronomy 26, 1-11  
Year "C" Romans 10, 8b-13

Luke 4, 1-13

Sunday school: "Splash" (3 to 8s)

11.00 am Family & Parade Service

Sidepersons : T. Nichols

### MINISTRY TEAM :

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## THE STAR



*The weekly news sheet of the Parish of St. Augustine of Canterbury, Limbury.*

**14<sup>th</sup> February 2010 : Sunday next before Lent**

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## WELCOME!

### TODAY'S SERVICES:

**9.15 am Sung Eucharist**

Today we welcome Archdeacon Paul as our preacher

"Splash" (3-8s) takes place in the hall today. The children leave church during the last verse of the first hymn.

The Choir Vestry is available throughout the service for small children (plus parent) if needed. Baby changing facilities are available in the disabled toilet.

Refreshments are served in the hall after the service. Everyone is very welcome.

### ORDER OF SERVICE

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**11.00 am Family Communion**

The order of service is on the service sheet. The service is for all ages. There is no Sunday school or crèche, but the choir vestry is available for small children (plus parent) if needed. Refreshments will be served in the Church Hall after the service

## DIARY

### SUNDAY 14<sup>th</sup> February – Sunday next before Lent

9.15 am Sung Eucharist  
11.00 am Family Communion  
3.30 pm Marriage & family Cream Tea

### TUESDAY 16th February

9.30 am Said Eucharist

### WEDNESDAY 17th February – Ash Wednesday

11.30 am Little Bramingham Farm Communion  
7.30 pm Sung Eucharist – Imposition of the Ashes

### FRIDAY 19<sup>th</sup> February

7.30 pm Games and Hobbies in the Hall

### SATURDAY 20<sup>th</sup> February

8.45 am Men's Club Breakfast

### SUNDAY 21<sup>st</sup> February – Lent 1

8.00 am Said Eucharist  
9.15 am Sung Eucharist  
11.00 am Family and Parade Service

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## NOTICES AND ACKNOWLEDGEMENTS

**Treasurer Tuition** Free tuition is offered in bookkeeping and simple computer spreadsheets. I am willing to train anyone in as much or as little of church treasurer business as they feel able to consider. Absolutely no commitment is required – just have a look at how the job can be broken down into “bite sized” tasks. Job sharing is a possible way forward.

*Kevin Devey*

### **Recommended Lent Books for Personal Use**

*The Songs Forever New*: Lent and Easter meditations on Charles Wesley hymns, by Paul Wesley Chilcote. This book is a series of meditations of Charles Wesley Hymns. He sets a Biblical passage alongside a different hymn for each day of the five weeks of Lent, and adds a commentary too.

*Our Sound is our Wound* by Lucy Winckett. This book is full of insights and is overflowing with ideas. There is pastoral and practical material and also an analogy between reading the Bible and playing music – “*Just as the score becomes music when the players take it up and play it, so the Bible only becomes scripture when we live it out in our own lives*”

**Marriage and Family** Note : **Today** at 3.30 pm, there will be a Cream Tea in the Hall to celebrate marriage and family life – all are welcome as we are

all part of a family. Bring along special wedding cards , telegrams, messages, love poems that you may have stored away! Please sign the list in the hall.

**Annual Barnfield Dinner** will be held on Thursday the 20<sup>th</sup> of May – 7.00 for 7.30 pm. Everyone is welcome, but please sign list in the hall.

**Mens Club** annual breakfast – This Saturday 20<sup>th</sup> February - 8.45 am for 9.00am start. Please sign up on the notice board by today. Thank you.

**Icon Painting** You are invited to join the Luton Deanery MU members in a day of Icon Painting on Saturday the 6<sup>th</sup> March in the church hall. The day will be led by Revd David Ridgeway of St Stephen's Church, St Albans, and will commence at 10.30 am, finishing at 3.00 pm. Please bring a packed lunch and note that tea and coffee will be supplied during the workshop. You do not need to be able to draw, and I can assure you it will be great fun. Cost will be around £5 pp, so to book a place please ring me on Lut. 653741. Thank you. *Carol Chamberlain*

**MU – Women's World Day of Prayer** – A Service will be held at Holy Cross Church, Marsh Farm, on the 5<sup>th</sup> March commencing at 7.30 pm. Everyone welcome. *Teresa*

**The Grass Cutting** rota is being compiled for this year. Extra help is needed such that each team is only required to perform this task once a year. If existing helpers wish to make changes, or if anyone can help, please contact me on 01582-895258 or e-mail [glenray@ntlworld.com](mailto:glenray@ntlworld.com). Thank you. *Ray Bench*

**The Church Locking** rota is currently being compiled, and there are vacancies that need to be filled. If anyone feels they can help or requires further details, please contact me on 01582-895258 or e-mail [glenray@ntlworld.com](mailto:glenray@ntlworld.com). Thank you. *Ray Bench*

**Thank You** – Since the death of Keith's mother, we have been overwhelmed by everyone's kindness. Thank you so much for all the beautiful cards, messages and prayers that have been sent. It has been a great comfort and very much appreciated. *Keith and Margaret*

**Enquiry Time** To arrange baptisms, weddings and the calling of banns, please come to the church on any Wednesday evening between 6.30 and 7.00 pm. If no-one is available then please 'phone 01582 – 881873. Thank you.

**STAR Editions.** Would anyone wishing to have a notice published in the STAR please contact either Pauline Mole or Les Townsend by no later than Tuesday for inclusion the following Sunday. Thank you.