

Spotlight Link Newsletter.
St Matthias & St George Parish Church.
Week Commencing 9th November 2014.
A member of "Christ the King" team ministry.

Fr Michael Bartlett Tel 01527 545709.

Team Rector.

St Peter's Crabbs Cross

Fr Glenn Reading Tel 01527 894436 or
07964282278 **Team Vicar.**

**Welcome to St Matthias & St George Parish
Church, Church Road, Astwood Bank B96 6EH**

**Services for Sunday 9th November
(Remembrance Day)**

10-00am Remembrance Sunday Parade & Service
Led by Rev Mike Spencer.

7-00pm Sung Eucharist led by Fr Michael.

Service for Tuesday 11th November.

10-00 am CW Eucharist led by Fr Glenn.

Services for Sunday 16th November (King 3)

9-00am CW Eucharist led by Fr Glenn.

10-30am Sunday Stars in Hall with Irene.

6-30pm BCP Evensong led by Fr Glenn.

There is a hearing loop for those with impaired hearing. Please stay and enjoy a cup of coffee or tea after this service served in the Church Hall.

Christmas Fayre, Saturday 15th November

WANTED:- cakes and other homemade food stuffs,
tombola ,raffle prizes, bric-brac, jewellery and
HELPERS (please see Irene)

There are two competitions being run that require early preparation:-

1. A **photographic** competition for all age groups of pictures of anything to do with Astwood Bank, entry forms will be available at the back of the church next week.

2. The **Snowman** competition for children of all ages. Please build a snowman from various types of material. Could be straw, recycled plastic boxes, tissue paper, cardboard etc and can be small or large. Entry forms available next week at the back of the church.

As an addition to the attractions Helen Reading will be running a small Traidcraft stall to give you some new ideas for presents.

Spotlight Notices for inclusion next week please give to Brian by 1-00pm on Thursday on 892213 or e mail to brianrichards@talktalk.net .

We continue to pray for MickBolt, Jean Green, Philippa Kreuser, Alex, Eileen, Mike Lawes, Karen & Dale Roberts, Ena Treadgold, Colin & Alison Daines, Kathleen Moody, Maisie Harber, Anne Bush, Marion Lee, Edna Weale, Christopher Winter, Harry Wells, Joyce Slater, Jean Lees, Tony Strong and all their families.

Pastoral Care. If you know anyone requesting a pastoral visit or Home Communion please contact Irene Hamilton on 894179

For a hospital visit or bedside Communion please contact Margaret Andrew on 01527 540658.

Prayer Notice Board is available for prayer requests at back of Church. Please pray for those who are sick and all whom need our prayer support together with Sue Essam our CMS missionary.

The Prayer Chain is lead by Pauline Jones and to address urgent prayer requests please ring Pauline on 892650. The Prayer group continues on Thursdays, but also use the Prayer Board, as described above.

Christmas Rota.

Please let Ann Robinson know of any time you will be away over the Christmas period and up to Candlemass (2nd Feb) so that she can prepare the next rota. in particular Christmas Eve (10pm) Christmas Day (10am) and 28th Dec (10-30am)

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