## Workshop on Leading Prayers in Church

Whether you are an 'old hand' or a novice do come along to this workshop and hear more about leading prayers in different kinds of public worship (formal and informal). Saturday November 17th @ 10am -12 noon

8 Figsbury Close, Taw Hill, Swindon SN25 1UA. NO CHARGE, but please book in advance by contacting Anne Faulkner on 01793 702715

or e mail: aefaulkner77@gmail.com

#### Date for your Diaries:-

Thurs 20th Dec 6.30pm Carol Singing at Edgehill Residential Home, Liden.
Please join us if you're able.

Thanks Beth.

## The next few meetings of the Men's Fellowship Group are as follows:-

Nov. 13th DVD part 2 - Science and Belief, The Big Issues (at Ecklinton, Eldene)

Nov. 27th DVD part 3

Dec. 11th Evening meal - everybody. (Christmas) All men welcome.

## Save the Date... 9th March, 2013...Save the Date

There will be a Lent quiet day at Liddington Village Hall on March 9th, 2013. Some of you will remember Paul Wheatley (now a Venerable) and he has kindly agreed to lead us on this day. It will give us an opportunity to put aside our busyness for a short while during the holy season of Lent, and reflect on our walk with Jesus, so don't forget to put the date in your diaries now. If anyone wishes to find out more, please speak with me. Barbara Wilcox

 $\ensuremath{\mathsf{AII}}$  items for inclusion in the next notices should be sent to

## Anna Newman by Thursday 15th November

Tel: 695698 or Email: anagram673@hotmail.co.uk (please let me know if you would like to receive notices by email)



# St. Paul's, Covingham St. Timothy's, Liden Eldene Church

www.dorcanchurch.org.uk 11th November, 2012

Staff Team:

Rev. Tony Knapp Tel: 525130 Rev. Beth Brown Tel: 826444 Rev. Andrew Wigley Tel: 523810

Tony & Beth both have Fridays off - Andrew has Tuesdays and Saturdays off. Please avoid contacting them at these times if possible.

## **SERVICES - 11th November—Remembrance Sunday**

Morning services will include an Act of Remembrance at 11.00am

St.	Paul	's
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8.45am Holy Communion Beth Brown
10.30am Remembrance Parade Tony Knapp

(Sunday Tots - Jo Kirkland & Lucy Curtis; No Sunday Club – All Age Parade Service)

#### St Tim's

10.30am Holy Communion Stuart Fisher

#### Eldene

10.30am Morning Worship Barbara Wilcox

St. Paul's Living with Loss Andrew Wigley, Beth Brown and Tony Knapp

 Lectionary Readings
 Ruth 3: 1-6
 Heb 9: 24-28

 11th November
 & 4: 13-17
 Mark 12: 38-44

## Welcome to the Dorcan Church.

If you are new, we would love to get to know you better. Please speak to the Minister or to one of the Stewards. **LIVING WITH LOSS** - There will be a special service at **4.00pm** today at St. Paul's - Remembrance Sunday. We will be remembering those we love who are no longer with us. We have sent invitations to all the families who have had a funeral conducted by Tony, Beth or Andrew within the past 12 months. Please come to support the families, whether you have experienced bereavement or not.

<b>SERVICES</b> —Sunday 18th November At all our services we will receive and dedicate <b>shoe boxes</b> for Operation Christmas Child.				
St. Paul's				
8.45am	Holy Communion	Andrew Wigley		
10.30am	Morning Worship	Paul Tayler		
Welcome: Denis G Barbara W., Teas: Jean & Joan (Sunday Tots – Diana Kelly; Sunday Club – Nathalie Marshall & Helen Newman)				
St. Tim's				
10.30am	Holy Communion	Andrew Wigley		
Eldene				
10.30am	Holy Communion	Stuart Fisher		

**18th November** from 9:45am the Wednesday Cell Group are running a fundraiser; we will be selling cup cakes, fruit cakes and sweet treats.

# Samaritan's Purse: Operation Christmas Child Shoe Box Appeal - Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> November

Once again we are assembling shoe boxes of Christmas gifts for children who otherwise would have little for Christmas. You will find leaflets with labels at each of our Church Centres – please do check the leaflet carefully for the list of items which are acceptable. You are asked to make a donation of at least £2.50 for transportation of each box – the leaflet gives details of how to donate online, or to include it in the box. It may be of some interest those who are doing the shoe boxes, The countries the shoe boxes are going to this year are -----LIBERIA, SWATZILAND, UKRAINE AND BELARUS.

We will be receiving and dedicating our shoe boxes at all of our services on 18<sup>th</sup> November.

<u>NEXT WEEK</u> Normal weekly church and small group activities unless you are notified otherwise by group leaders.			
Mon. 12th Nov.	2-4pm 7.30pm	Scrabble & Dominos at St. Tim's Fellowship & Bible Study at Thorne Road, Eldene.	
Tues. 13th Nov.	10.00am 7.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St Tim's Cell Group at Fitzmaurice Close, Covingham Men's Fellowship Group at Ecklington, Eldene	
Wed 14th Nov.	9.30am 1.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Tiny Tots at St. Paul's Tiny Tots at St. Tim's Cell Group— Tregantle Way, Nythe Church Council meets at St. Tim's	
Thurs. 15th Nov.	10.00am 1.30pm 3.30pm 7.30pm 7.30pm	Holy Communion at St. Paul's Cell Group at Ravenscroft, Covingham Holy Communion at Edgehill Nursing Home, Liden Cell Group at Austen Crescent, Cell Group at Bryanston Way, Nythe	
Sat/ 17th Nov.	6.00pm	X:site meets at St. Paul's	



## CHRISTMAS FAYRE—Saturday 24th November 11am—2pm

Thank you to those who have already contributed to the fayre, we still require, cakes,& mince pies on the day, bottles of various descriptions, raffle prizes and offers of help to man stalls and help set up please. We shall be setting up from 6.30pm Friday 23rd, also required decorations to decorate the stalls.

Diane K.

Once again our Cell Group is delighted to be involved in the Christmas Fayre. We are "manning" the Plastic Cup Tombola stall and would be really grateful for your help in ensuring that we have enough filled cups. We will provide the clear plastic cups and you can be as imaginative as you like with the contents. Suggested items for children are—hair slides, ribbons, pencil sharpeners, erasers, sweets, Lego. For adults—sweets, toiletries etc. etc. Filled cups should be returned to us by the 23rd November. With grateful thanks in anticipation.

Jenny Poole and Colleen Wiseman.

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