

## Diary for the Week

<b>SUN 20</b>	6pm	Fusion Youth Church at St Thomas'
<b>MON 21</b>	10.00am	Christmas Tree Fayre meeting at 62 Gregories Rd
	2.15pm	Young at Heart at URC Crabtree Close
<b>TUE 22</b>	9.15am	Tom's Tots
	2.30pm	Senior Citizens' Group meets at Kiln Court - <i>Andrew Gallacher</i>
<b>THU 24</b>	9am	Morning Prayer at St Thomas'
	3.30pm	Stage Fright After School Theatre Club
<b>FRI 25</b>	12.30pm	Funeral of David Sutcliffe, Amersham Crematorium
<b>SAT 26</b>	9-9.30am	Praying Together at St Thomas'
<b>SUN 27</b>	10am	<b>The 18th Sunday after Trinity</b> <b>Holy Communion</b> <b>Revd Michael Johnson</b>

## Save the Date

<b>November</b>	<b>16</b>	Film Show and Afternoon Tea - 2.30pm
	<b>30</b>	Inter-church Quiz at FWC at 7 for 7.30pm, in aid of Wycombe Homeless Connection
<b>December</b>	<b>5</b>	Rock Choir Concert at St Mary's Church at 7.30pm
	<b>7</b>	Christmas Tree Festival, 10.30am-3.30pm
	<b>15</b>	Carols by Candle Light, 6.30pm
	<b>24</b>	Christingle Service, 4pm

DEADLINE FOR NOTICES: **Thursdays 1pm.**

For entries or to sign up to notice sheet: [cadali.stthomas@gmail.com](mailto:cadali.stthomas@gmail.com)

### BIRTHDAYS



Wishing a very Happy Birthday  
to...

Keith Smith & Conrad Kotari

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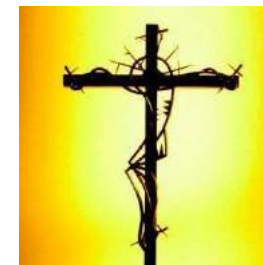
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# St Thomas' Church

Holtspur, Beaconsfield

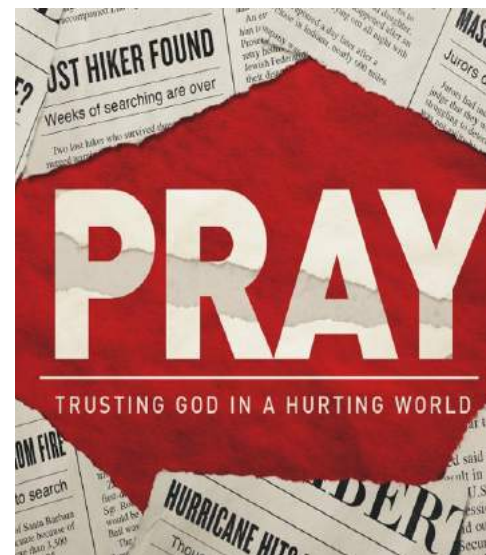


Sunday 20th October 2019

10.00am

**Holy Communion**

**Revd Michael Johnson**



### The Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

God, our judge and saviour,  
teach us to be open to your  
truth

and to trust in your love,  
that we may live each day  
with confidence in the salva-  
tion which is given  
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Readings for the week

- Jeremiah 31: 27-34
- 2 Timothy 3: 14 – 4: 5
- Luke 18: 1-8



# half term



# soft play

for 0-5 year-olds Refreshments available

**28<sup>th</sup> Oct – 1<sup>st</sup> Nov**  
**every day 10am – 1pm**  
**in St Thomas' Church**  
Mayflower Way HP9 1UF  
**£2 for one child (+£1 for siblings)**

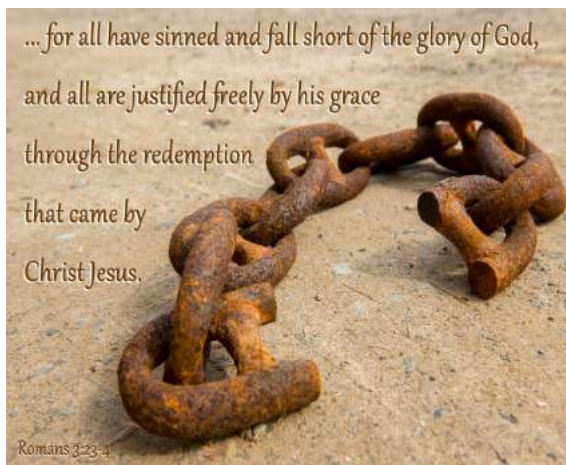


**Out 'trick or treating'?**  
**Warm up at Hot Chocolate Heaven**  
31<sup>st</sup> October 5-8pm  
Outside St. Thomas' church,  
Mayflower Way

**Help** is needed to run this.. we are looking for a team of volunteers who are happy to serve drinks and chat to people 4.30-6.30pm or 6.30-8.30pm. Please email if you can help:  
[fusionbeaconsfield@gmail.com](mailto:fusionbeaconsfield@gmail.com)

**TEAM LEADER WANTED: The Beaconsfield Talking Newspaper** captures local news and items of interest for the visually impaired. We need a Team Leader to read the local news one Thursday afternoon each month for approximately 2 hours with a team of 3 others. The Team Leader oversees the readers at his or her house. The task involves reading preselected news articles into a supplied computer. The USB recording is then delivered locally for copying and distributing to the listeners. The task is not difficult and anybody who is interested will be shown the ropes and given full support. If you are interested please contact Barbara Francis on 01494 673327 for more details.

 **TOYBOX** Changing the world for street children  
Toybox is thrilled to be airing a BBC Radio 4 Appeal again! Catch the Reverend Richard Coles talking about our new birth registration work in Nepal at **7.54am and 9.25pm on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> November** or at **3.27pm on Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> November**. Join us to change the lives of even more street children around the world. **#nochildinvisible**



## FOR OUR PRAYERS:

### Prayer Requests

For the family and friends of David Sutcliffe, who's funeral is on Friday  
For Keith Smith, Joe Flynn, Saheena, and Charlie Cameron – we remember all those who care for them.

For our church family members:  
Keith, Anne & Samuel Smith and Andrew, Julie, Lois & Joanna Snelling

### Mission

Please pray for:



- Ebola has been devastating communities in the Democratic Republic of Congo. MAF staff transported vaccines, medical personnel, supplies and sanitation equipment to affected areas. Now Ebola has reached a MAF base at Nyankunde and the staff have been evacuated. Pray for the team and those agencies working to eradicate the disease.
- Praise God and give thanks for progress on the new MAF hangar in Liberia and the new Cessna 182 now flying in Madagascar.
- The MAF Global Week of Prayer will take place from 3-10 November 2019, focussing on Ephesians 4:4-6.

The **Beaconsfield Advisory Centre** offers their advisory services to anyone in need. Please feel free to recommend them to anyone who may need assistance. For more details, call 01494 672987 or email [beaconsfieldadvisory@gmail.com](mailto:beaconsfieldadvisory@gmail.com)

**OPPORTUNITY TO HELP** : Fusion Youth, meet in our church & hall on Sunday evenings and need 1-2 people who can help in the kitchen for an hour. Please see Michael / Michelle F

**Inter-Church Quiz** - there is a sign up sheet if you would like to join in.

This year we have been invited to join Hope Church, in Baring Road on **Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> November, 2-4pm**, to fill shoeboxes. Please start to collect items suitable for the boxes, which give joy to children in many different countries, in many different circumstances. A list of suitable items can be found on the website. [www.samaritans-purse.org.uk](http://www.samaritans-purse.org.uk). If you find getting out to shop difficult, I am happy to shop for you, if you give me your donations. Thanks. Helen



The **Town Community Bus** is running on **Tuesdays & Thursdays**. <https://www.beaconsfieldtowncouncil.gov.uk/general/beaconsfield-community-bus-tuesday-thursday-9am-3pm/>

