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A weekly digest of news from the Diocese

FROM ANALYSIS TO ACTION 2009

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THE E-NOTICEBOARD

All contributions are welcome: please limit them to 100 words with a website reference for more information. Please send to: communications@derby.anglican.org

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THE WEEK AHEAD

Sunday 25 October

Last after Trinity

Monday 26 October

Alfred, king and scholar (899), Cedd, abbot and bishop (664)

Please pray for the members of the **senior staff** who are meeting today at Derby Church House. Bishop Alastair is leading the second session of **Growing Church Locally**, an examination of Paul's Missionary Methods, on Thursday night at Findern Methodist Church (7.30pm).

The children and staff of **Dove Holes Primary School** are looking forward to welcoming Bishop Alastair to their school on Friday afternoon.

Please come along to a second **Concert for the Bishop's Harvest Appeal**, a classical concert at Melbourne Parish Church at 7.30pm on Saturday 24 October, when Schola Episcopi will be performing along with Melbourne church choir. There will also be a short talk about India. Tickets free on the door, with a retiring collection for the Harvest Appeal work with the Church of North India.

DIOCESAN NEWS

NEW

Christine Wilson, Archdeacon of Chesterfield designate, writes:

It is a great privilege to be invited to become the new archdeacon of Chesterfield and a somewhat daunting prospect to be on the move yet again. I took up my present post as Vicar of Goring-by-Sea only last November!

Goring is a comfortable suburb of Worthing. It is a busy and fairly demanding parish with two Church Schools, two churches and multiple congregations attending a wide range of worship from BCP through to multi-media.

It is a far cry from my previous parish which was situated in the heart of Brighton and Hove in an area that had wonderful regency facades hiding a surprising level of deprivation, mental health problems and isolation. The clue was in counting the number of doorbells fronting each property. During my time in Hove I supported a number of community development projects and was Chair of a thriving Community Centre.

My Title Parish was a large United Benefice of three semi-rural parishes nestling at the foot of the Sussex Downs.

I have had a number of other responsibilities during my ministry in Chichester diocese. A particular area is in ministerial formation. I have worked as a Vocations Consultant since 2002 and more recently was appointed an education selector for Bishops Advisory Panels for the national church and locally for Reader selection. I am a peer reviewer for our clergy assisted review of ministry and also trained as a Spiritual Director back in 1999.

One of the most formative opportunities has been through our partnership in the Gospel with our link dioceses in West Africa and Kenya. Through mutual visits I have learnt a great deal about valuing diversity and I share their passion for mission.

I am married to Alan who commutes to London every day to work as Head of Compliance for a Japanese Bank. We have three adult daughters and one lively grandson.

My main hobby is growing organic vegetables and I am already eyeing up a corner of the vicarage garden at Baslow for cultivation!

(for yesterday's announcement see <http://www.derby.anglican.org/news/?i201>)

NEW

Back to Church Sunday

On 27 September 2009 over a thousand people in Derbyshire invited someone special Back to Church with them. People lose touch with church for all sorts of reasons but people with an invitation have come back.

One church said: "People have seen the church burst into life, and most have played a hand in it. Everyone has benefited from this event, a fresh vision for existing church members and a new start for the 27 new people who came."

We'd love to hear about your experience of Back to Church Sunday, and share any encouraging 'good news stories' that come out of it. Please click here to complete our evaluation form

<http://www.nicolajamescommunications.com/booking/btcs09feedback>

2010: Don't miss out; join us for Back to Church Sunday 2010. Pre-register to make sure you get the latest information and news by filling in the online form at <http://tinyurl.com/ye2n9zt> . Back to Church Sunday will be on 26 September 2010 - make a note in your diary now!

Now on Sale @ £3 (or £4 incl p&p)

***Thomas Hobbes and the Limits of Democracy* by Alastair Redfern**

This is the written version of the lecture given by Bishop Alastair in Ault Hucknall (the burial place of Thomas Hobbes) on 26 April 2009. All proceeds to Ault Hucknall Church roof appeal, by the generous wish of Bishop Alastair. Orders by post please, enclosing cheque made payable to Ault Hucknall PCC: The Reverend Tony Bell, The Vicarage, 59 The Hill, Glapwell, Chesterfield, Derbyshire, S44 5LX. Enquiries: 01246 850371, glapwell@btconnect.com.

NEW

Service for Derby Diocese Harvest Appeal, Derby Cathedral, 25 November

All are welcome to this service at 7.30pm on Wednesday 25 November. The collection will be in aid of the Bishop of Derby's Harvest Appeal of which 50% will go towards Christian Aid's work with the Church of North India. The service will include musical contributions from students from Ashbourne Grammar School and a talk from Ella Sonawane of ISPCK.

Derby Cathedral Centre

The gift shop may have closed but church requisites including candles, communion wine, wafers and church stationery are still available from the Cathedral Centre. To place an order or get a catalogue contact Derby Cathedral Coffee House, 18 - 19 Iron Gate, Derby, DE1 3GP: 01332 341201 ext 41, shop@derbycathedral.org or call into the Cathedral Coffee House.

Shirley Long, Cathedral Coffee Shop Manager

BRIEFING

New mental healthcare scheme will create over 150 jobs:

<http://www.thisisderbyshire.co.uk/news/Health-scheme-help-tackle-depression-generate-jobs/article-1430616-detail/article.html>

Plans submitted for a new bus and rail interchange:

<http://www.thisisderbyshire.co.uk/news/Plan-upgrade-bus-taxi-interchange-station-submitted/article-1430579-detail/article.html>

Charity motorcycle ride for Children in Need:

http://news.bbc.co.uk/local/derby/hi/tv_and_radio/newsid_8313000/8313312.stm

Duchess's floral festival for church:

<http://www.thisisderbyshire.co.uk/matlocknews/Busy-duchess-inspired-create-festive-wonderland-bit-Elvis-magic/article-1428270-detail/article.html>

THE WIDER CHURCH

NEW

Network Christians

Network Christians specialise in running events and holidays catering specifically for single Christians, allowing you to meet new people in a relaxed, friendly, environment. You are welcome to join them. More information: 01584 876116, www.networkchristians.com, info@networkchristians.com.

RSCM Advent Carol Service

The Royal College of Church Music has produced a new sequence of words and music for an Advent carol service. *The Advent Sequence: Veni Emmanuel* provides an imaginative range of musical styles, and offers flexibility for choirs of all standards. Price £7.95. It can be ordered online at www.rscm.com, by email at musicdirect@rscm.com, or call 0845 021 7726 (option 4). There is also a new supplement to the *RSCM Carol Book*. You can also sign up for their free newsletter at www.rscm.com/newsletter.

NEW

Christian Aid Big Christmas Sing

During Advent 2009 Christian Aid hopes to initiate and resource The Big Christmas Sing across the UK during the weekend of December 11-13. This might mean local schools sharing their Advent assembly items with a wider audience; or community groups enriching others through drama; or existing carol services or concerts being co-ordinated into one big celebration. If you would like to be part of this national initiative, small resource packs will be available from <http://www.christianaid.org.uk/getinvolved/christmas/big-christmas-sing/index.aspx>. The local office at Ashby can also provide speakers lwaldron@christian-aid.org.

CLERGY NEWS

The Revd. Philip Brooks, Priest-in-Charge of Crich and South Wingfield, is now also Rural Dean of Alfreton, with immediate effect.

The Revd Chris Jackson, Priest-in-Charge of Chesterfield Holy Trinity and Christ Church, will retire on 25 January 2010.

The Revd Dr Stanley Monkhouse, Priest-in-Charge of Old Brampton and Great Barlow, has also been appointed Minister Responsible for Loundsley Green (within the Benefice of Brampton St Mark and Loundsley Green). He will be licensed on Monday 16 November at 12 noon at Loundsley Green by the Bishop of Repton.

RIP - We regret to announce the death of the **Rev'd Kenneth Jardin** on 6th October in Northern Ireland. He was at Sudbury and Somersal Herbert from 1987-92, and also Chaplain at HMP Foston Hall and Sudbury, and then at Kirk Langley, Mackworth and Mugginton & Kedleston from 1992 until his retirement in 2003.

WHAT'S ON – See Appendix

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3.30pm on Monday.

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Revd Rob Marshall, Diocesan Communications Adviser, and Vivien Alexander, Communications Secretary

APPENDIX

Events

Cards for Good Causes, Derby, from mid-October

An outlet for charity cards will again be located at St Peter's City Centre Church in St Peter's Street, Derby. Trading begins on Wednesday 14 October and ends on Wednesday 16 December. Open 10am to 4pm, Monday to Saturday.

Auction at Morley, 24 October

On Saturday 24 October there will be an Auction in St Matthew's Church, Morley at 1pm. Viewing from 10.30am onwards. Light refreshments available. All proceeds in aid of Church Funds.

Valuation Day, Glapwell, 31 October

There will be a Valuation Day at the Glapwell Centre, Glapwell, with Charles Hanson of 'Flog It' from 10am to 1pm on Saturday 31 October. £1 per item valued. Proceeds to St John the Baptist Church, Ault Hucknall.

Affirming Catholicism Sung Eucharist, Derby Cathedral, 31 October

The Derby Diocesan group welcome you to a Sung Eucharist at Derby Cathedral with the Bishop of Lincoln, the Rt Rev'd John Saxbee, as Celebrant and Preacher, on Saturday 31 October at 11am. Accompanied by the Derby Cathedral Voluntary Choir, it is a joint service with the Society of Catholic Priests, the Modern Churchpeople's Union, the Lesbian & Gay Christian movement and the Society of St Francis. Refreshments afterwards. More information from Diocesan Convenor Paul Hygate, 01332 772779, paulhygate@fsmail.net. www.affirmingcatholicism.org.uk.

Choir Concert, Allenton, 31 October

The Rolls Royce Male Voice Choir will be in concert at St Edmund's Church, Allenton & Shelton Lock at 7.30pm on Saturday 31 October to help celebrate their 70th anniversary. All welcome. Tickets are £5 at the door and include refreshments in the interval.

NEW

Jacqui McShee's Pentangle Folk and Jazz Group in Concert, Newhall, 6 November

Concert at St. John's Church on Friday 6 November at 7.30pm. Tickets £12 available from Rev'd Bob Hollings, 01283 214685, email: bobandjacqui@btinternet.com.

Alternative Christmas Markets

Mickleover, 14 November

Alternative Christmas Gift Market on Saturday 14 November, arranged by Churches Together in Mickleover, at St John's Church, Devonshire Drive, 10am to 2pm. Special 'Gifts' from as little as £2.50, which will help some of God's neediest people at home and abroad! If you would like to know more but cannot be there on the day, call 01332 512530 or email paulmpritch@btinternet.com - our mail order service is available from 1-30 November!

Refreshments and Fair Trade Stall.

Allestree, 14 November

Fed up with the crush of Christmas shopping and hate the commercialism of it all? How about buying some virtual presents this year? A goat for a family in India or 100 school dinners for children in Africa? Come along on Saturday 14th November, 10am to 12.30pm to an Alternative Christmas Market at St Nicholas Church, Allestree Lane, Allestree, Derby and see the gifts on offer from local and international charities. Also refreshments and cake stall.

Concert, Mickleover, 14 November

On Saturday 14 November there will be a Concert by The Ashbourne Singers in All Saints Parish Church, Mickleover at 7.30pm. Tickets £6 inc. refreshments. Contact 01332 513733.

St Osmund's Chat Room, Derby, Sunday 15 November

The Chat Room takes place in the Church Hall on Sundays between 7 and 9pm – an informal coffee bar atmosphere, with bring and share nibbles, offering a chance to ask the Vicar questions and a special guest. On Sunday 15th November the guests will be John and Nellie Gerighty from Birmingham - John is a guitarist and Nellie sings. If you would like to attend, please ring 01332 571329 or email jean.stosmunds@btinternet.com to book a place.

NEW

Riding Lights Theatre Company in Derby, 17 November

Riding Lights Theatre Company will be presenting their highly acclaimed autumn tour production, 'Origins and Lemons' at St Peter's Church, Derby City Centre, on Tuesday 17 November at 7.30 pm. Tickets £11, £8 concessions, and £7 groups of 10 or more, from David Phipers, 01332 239134, david@phypers.co.uk. For more details about the show, see http://ridinglights.org/sub_sites/o&l/o&labout.html

TSSF at St Mary's Bridge Chapel, Derby

The Third Order of the Society of Saint Francis (TSSF), Derby Group, will be meeting in Saint Mary's Bridge Chapel, Derby. Meetings on Wednesday evenings will begin at 7.30pm with a Eucharist which will include a 'Franciscan Homily, then refreshments followed by a 'Local Group TSSF Meeting' and finally Compline finishing by 9.30pm. All are welcome for the Eucharist and refreshments, and those who wish to find out more about the TSSF are welcome to stay for the rest of the evening. If you have not visited Derby's 14thC Bridge Chapel then it is an opportunity to do so. Dates of meetings: **Nov 25th (2009)** & Feb.10th, April 14th, June 9th, Sep 8th, and Nov 10th (2010). For more information please contact 01332 332945, john-smart@Uko2.co.uk.

Christingle Service, Spondon, 29th November

The Rev'd Eleanor Berry, Associate Priest at Spondon, and Derby Diocesan President for The Children's Society, invites you to a Christingle celebration service at St Werburgh's, Spondon, Derby, on Sunday 29 November, 3-4pm, in aid of The Children's Society. It is hoped to make the celebration a large, joyful occasion. A Christingle will be provided for all attending, and in order to help with planning, Eleanor would be grateful to know **by 16 November** if you plan to attend (e.berry80@ntlworld.com).

NEW

Amnesty Greetings Card Campaign, St Peter's, Derby, 5 December

Derby Group of Amnesty International will hold their 2009 Greetings Card Campaign and Write-a-thon for Prisoners of Conscience in St Peter's City Centre Church on Saturday 5 December. All are invited to call in between 10am and 4pm to sign cards to people imprisoned for the non-violent exercise of freedom of expression, and other human rights. There will also be letters of appeal on behalf of others who have suffered human rights abuses. More details from tomkin@heage.plus.com.