

PEW NEWS

St. Michael's Church, Aspley Heath, Woburn Sands

Pew News is available on our website each week under 'Newsletter'. You are encouraged to use this as a means of communicating with all here at St. Michael's.

Sunday 26 June – The Second Sunday after Trinity

Nick Parkinson will be leading our Service this morning

Collect for Today

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Readings

2 Kings 2: 1 – 2, 6 – 14	Page 342
Galatians 5: 1, 13 – 25	Page 187
Luke 9: 51 – end	Page 67

This Week in St Michael's

Sunday 26 June	9.45 am	Parish Communion
Sunday 3 July	8.00 am	1662 Holy Communion
	3.00 pm	Pet Service

Just a reminder that our Family Service on Sunday 3 July at 3.00 pm will be our **PET SERVICE**. We hope to hold this outdoors at St Michael's. Please tell all your furry, feathered and other animal friends!

Zoom Morning Prayer

There will be NO Zoom Morning Prayer until Wednesday 6 July – and from then it will start at the later time of 9.30 am.

Ukrainian Refugees and Hosts

All Ukrainian Refugees and Hosts are invited to meet and chat at Community Room, Greens Court, Woburn Sands, MK17 8FA on Sunday 17 July at 2.00 pm. Your children are welcome and we will provide tea, coffee, and squash for children. We are just three volunteers and have no funding, so a cake donation would also be welcome. Please email ws.ukraine.coord@gmail.com and tell us how many people will be in your party. If bringing children please tell us how many and how old they are. Don't forget to leave your contact details.

NB Unfortunately the meeting due to be held on Sunday 26 June has been cancelled.

Ukraine Update

Four people volunteered to be our St Michael's Church and Woburn Sands Town Council Ukraine Co-ordinator, so we have formed a co-ordinating group. The group email is ws.ukraine.coord@gmail.com. The aim of the group is to be a source of useful information and to co-ordinate offers of support and requests for support from those who are hosting refugees from Ukraine. Do get in touch with any offers or requests!

GDPR Consent needed

We need your consent to use photos on the church website and Facebook page. We also need you to renew your consent to use your personal data to contact you about church events etc, in accordance with GDPR regulations. Please go to St Michaels' website where a link has been added to the consent form. On the home page, scroll to the bottom and click on the text: Data Protection Policy. Under the heading General Data Protection Regulations (GDPR), within this text, click the link after 'click here'. This will open the form you need to complete then submit. Please complete this indicating your data usage preferences; you have the option to consent to photos being posted on Facebook, the website or just to be contacted about events. If you aren't online, paper copies will be made available in church – please see Rachel or me.
Many thanks

Rachel & Lynne

For Your Prayers

If you would like to include someone in our prayers, please contact Ruth or Gerry Cullinan, or the editor of Pew News directly. Names will normally remain in Pew News for a month, unless we are asked to keep them there for longer.

This week we are asked to pray for **Carmen Hardy, Maureen Phillips, Roger Young, Lillian Nye, Liz Sutton and Peter Houghton, Martin Coombs, Grace, the family and friends of Susie Scrimgeour**

We continue to remember and give thanks for all those faithful members of St Michael's who are unable to get to church due to illness or frailty, or Covid19.

Please send anything for inclusion in 'Pew News' to Robin at pewnews@btinternet.com or Tel: 01908 582704 by Friday lunchtime each week. Our website is www.stmichaelsws.org.uk. and our Facebook Page is **St Michael's Church, Woburn Sands**. A copy of each week's Pew News can be found on our website under **Newsletter**.