

HOST 2014

Are you thinking about who might come for Christmas this year? **HOST** is looking for kind, friendly, hospitable people of all ages whose imaginations are caught by the idea of welcoming an international student at university here, far from his or her own family, to their home. Some of the adults from other countries overseas who are currently studying at UK universities would love to spend a couple of days in a real home, rather than on a deserted campus. It is interesting to share Christmas with people for whom it is all quite new, This could be for a day, a weekend or for the whole Christmas period. **HOST** has been linking students with hospitable volunteers for 22 years, at Christmas and also one-off weekends throughout the year. **HOST** is a registered charity backed by the Foreign Office and many universities. Students are prepared to travel for this unique experience, so you don't need to live near a university!

See www.hostuk.org

or call **Host's** voluntary regional organiser,
Sandra Purrett



Please join us after the
service for a cup of
tea or coffee and a chat!



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TO KNOW JESUS AND TO MAKE HIM KNOWN

19th October 2014

Trinity 18

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 salvation which is given
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

TODAY:

9.15am Prayers
10.00am Holy Communion

Hymns: 214, 262, 128, 46, 97, 246.

Readings: 1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10...Matthew 22: 15-22

THIS WEEK 47A:

Thursday 10.15am Holy Communion

The Hatch is open from 11.45am to 1.45pm

NEXT SUNDAY 48A: 26th October 2014 Last after Trinity

Readings:

Deuteronomy 34: 1-12...1Thessalonians 2:1-8...Matthew 22: 34-46



CHILDREN WELCOME!



at all our services

Each week we have Sunday school groups for children over 3 years old, and a crèche, Small Saints, for the 0-3's. On the 1st Sunday of the month we have All-age worship when children, whatever their age, are encouraged to be part of the service.

Come and join us and bring the children!

PRAYER MINISTRY

If you would like someone to pray with you after the service, for healing or for any other reason, please ask a member of the ministry team who are wearing name badges, or a member of staff.



PLEASE PRAY FOR: Please pray for those on your heart, ill or in need of Prayer for any reason.

For our missions for this Year: ASCEND...EthiopiAid....The National Association for Colitis and Crohn's Disease...For... Those who mourn **For...** Those who are ill at home or in hospital...**In your daily prayers please pray for those listed below...** Noah Crossley, Andrew Wyard, Fay Cowell, James Prushi, Marjorie, Nelly, Sian, Sid & Monique parsons, Jon Poore...**For our community and for the residents of...** Belfairs Green, Benton Road, Denton House Doncaster Green, Greenfield Avenue, Hallowes Crescent...**Your prayers are asked for...** Preparations for Operation Christmas Child (Shoebox Campaign), New Hope Trust's 'HopeWorks' employment training scheme.

Monthly Prayer meetings for ASCEND

Staff, Volunteers and visitors are welcome to join in prayers for the future of ASCEND and the people in the local community. Please feel free to express your prayers, thoughts, poetry or visions, or bring along your favourite reading to share at these meetings. The prayer meetings are usually on the first Tuesday of each month.

The next one is: - **Tuesday 4th November 2014 at 12.15pm.**

Missions for 2015

We will soon be deciding which missions or charities we will be supporting in 2015. We all have our favourite charities, big and small, international, national or local – every charity that is suggested will be considered. Please give serious thought to a charity that is important to you – even if it is not well known. Pass the name and details to Joan Kennedy, Marjories Coombes, or Pam before Sunday 9th November 2014.

Ted Willis

Some of you will already know the sad news that Ted Willis has died. Ted & Joyce Willis were members of All Saints for many years before they started worshipping at the Methodist church. His funeral is at 9.40am on Monday 20th October at West Herts Crematorium Garston.

Fireworks & Food



Everyone enjoyed our firework party last year and it will be just as much fun this year.

We will have delicious Jacket Potatoes.

Come along on Wednesday 5th November at 6.00pm.

We are asking for donations towards the fireworks & food. Please leave donations in the basket at the back of the church.



A NIGHT UNDER THE STARS!!

How do you fancy a night sleeping out under the stars? Sounds romantic? - Maybe a novelty? - Or just a bit of fun? It can of course be all those things if its not part of your normal daily routine.

? Did you know there are many people who sleep out rough on our streets every day as part of their daily life.

On **Friday 5th December from 9pm-7am** there will be a Sponsored Sleepout at **St Albans Abbey** in aid of homeless people.

So you can have.....

A romantic night under the stars or you can treat it as a novelty or just a bit of fun, just as long as you get sponsored and join in...

The St Albans Abbey Sponsored SLEEPOUT!!

and raise money to help Homeless People!

Download your pack at www.abbeysleepout.org

They're back!! CHRISTMAS PUDDINGS from ASCEND!!

We will be selling delicious puddings again this year in aid of **ASCEND.**

These are made by the Ultimate Plum Pudding Company and are amazing value at **£5.00 each**, four flavours: -

Traditional Plum, Sticky Toffee, Zingy Lemon and Triple Ginger

Buy early to avoid disappointment or place an order with

Linda Leaver or Christine Wyard.