

### Diary for the Week

<b>Monday</b>	9.00am	Time of Prayer in Wesley Room
<b>Tuesday</b>	9.30am	Family Fun in Upper Room
	1.45pm	Trinity Craft & Chat Group (see inside)
	7.30pm	<i>RU Free?</i> (Yrs 10-13)
<b>Wednesday</b>	11.30am	Holy Communion
	4.00pm	Adventurers (Yrs 1-3)
	7.30pm	Rock Solid (Yrs 4-9)
	8.00pm	Steward's meeting at the Hannam's
<b>Thursday</b>	9.30am	Big Shout, Mum & Baby Group, in Upper Room
	7.30pm	Thursday Group (see inside)
<b>Friday</b>	9.30am	Family Focus in Upper Room
	7.30pm	F@T Friday at Trinity
<b>Saturday</b>	8.15am	Time of Prayer in Wesley Room
	10.00am	Trinity Christmas Market & Book Fair
	4.00pm & 7.30pm	Countdown to Christmas (Trinity Messengers)
<b>Sunday</b>	9.00am	Rev Geoff Bell
	10.45 am	Rev Geoff Bell to include the dedication of baby Sophie H
	6.30pm	Mr John Starling—Café Worship

**Roundabout Trinity** meets here, Mon – Fri (8.30am – 6.00pm)

**Roundabout Town** meets at Wallis Centre, Mon – Fri (9.30am – 12 noon)

#### **WEEKLY OFFERING ENVELOPES (GENERAL FUND)**

The new packs of envelopes are now available in the Welcome Area. Please tell me if you would like to have envelopes or if you no longer require them. *Jennifer L (see printed)*

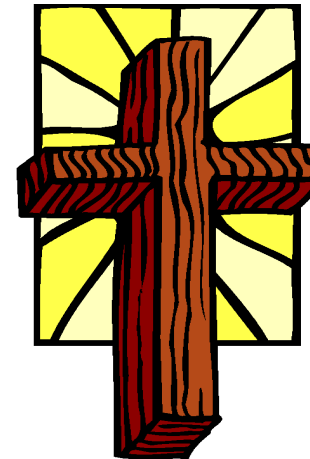
#### **DONATIONS NEEDED**

I would be very grateful for any toys and games in good condition for my stall on the Trinity Christmas Market. Please leave items in Ruth's office until I can collect them. Thanks. *Vivienne W*

# Welcome to Trinity

## SUNDAY 6TH DECEMBER 2009

9.00 am	Mrs Maureen Edwards
10.45am	Rev Geoff Bell—Communion
6.30pm	Rev Geoff Bell—Digging Deeper—Angels
6.30pm	Youth Fellowship



Theme: Sacrifice—Beauty and the Beast

10.45 Reading: Romans 12: 1-21

Text: "Offer yourselves as a living sacrifice" Romans 12:1

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**NETBALL CHRISTMAS FUN** Netball will take place next Sunday (13th) at the new time of 5pm at EG Sports Club. This match is open to ALL - yes, men too - but for safety reasons, Year 7 and over only! £1 per game. We will play for an hour and then there is an opportunity to attend a social for anyone interested. For more information contact me on (see printed). *Carrie M*

**CHRISTMAS CARD** There will be a Christmas card for people to sign to each other in the Welcome Cafe, money saved will be going to World Vision to help people in the Sudan to rebuild sustainable lives beyond the catastrophic effects of conflict. *Ruth*

**OLD KEYS WANTED**  
If anyone has any old keys could I have them ASAP for our School Christmas Fair please.

*Jayne C*

**Bible Hero for this month: Solomon**

**ACCOMMODATION NEEDED**

Karen S is returning to the UK at the end of December. She is looking for temporary accommodation in the East Grinstead area. If you have, or know of anyone with a spare room available to let, please ring Kay H on (see printed)

**ADDRESS DETAILS**—Please add Jon's details to your white list:  
(see printed)

**THURSDAY GROUP** Thursday 10th December at 7.30pm. Carol singing at Enid's.

**GOOD NEWS!**

We realise we often put in pleas for help. See how our pleas have been answered. The Property Committee now has Brian L as Chairman, Tony S as Secretary and some new volunteers who are working along with them. Communion and Worship Stewards have a full rota. Margaret C has taken the position of Roundabout chairman of Governors. Of course there is always room for more, but thank God for the people who have willingly volunteered to take on these tasks for the furtherance of God's kingdom. Thank you to everyone for the work done week by week in all areas of the church here at Trinity. *Rachael S*

**CHURCH FLOWERS** Thank you to Valerie H and Eleanor W for today's flowers. Valerie would like them to be in memory of her father and Eleanor in memory of her husband.

**TRINITY CHRISTMAS MARKET & BOOK FAIR**

**SATURDAY 12TH DECEMBER 10am - 2pm**

**Can you help with BOOK FAIR preparation on any of these dates?**

- ❖ **Thursday 10th December from 2pm** – the Big Book Box move from the Manse garage to the Crawley Down Hall, wheelbarrows and trolleys needed, then helping hands for sorting
- ❖ **Friday 11th December all day** sorting into sections and alphabetical order in the Crawley Down Hall and putting up signage.
- ❖ **PLUS Friday 11th December at 4pm** we need 2 men and a vehicle to collect 10 tables from New Life Church

**Can you help with the CHRISTMAS MARKET/BOOK FAIR?**

Lots of helpers needed including collecting the entrance fee at the door and cashiers from 9:30am to take shifts until 2pm. **Please take fliers in the Welcome Area to advertise this event and distribute these to your neighbours and spread the word to friends and family over the coming week.** Come and join the Fun Raising!! *Mabel C*  
Help is also needed on the day in the Welcome Café—please speak to Pauline or Tony S

**TRINITY CRAFT & CHAT GROUP** Tuesday 8th December at 1.45pm in the Crawley Down Hall. We are making Christmas tree decorations. Please bring old Christmas cards or photos if you have any. Everyone is welcome. *Anne K*

**TOWN CHRISTMAS SHOPPING DAY** Churches Together will be singing carols TODAY at the Trinity stand from 1.00pm. *Geoff*

**MESSAGES FROM OUR LAY ASSISTANT**

**TOWN SHOPPING DAY** We are running a stand to promote the Advent Conspiracy at the town shopping day today. We will be giving away Nativity stickers, Christmas cards and CDs, cheque books of promises and more! There will also be a prayer station to offer prayer to the town. Please do come and see us and support us. We will be there from 10am until 4pm.

**PRAYING FOR THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH** Please pray for us at the town shopping day today. Also, I would ask you to pray for the stewards who are meeting this week that they will be guided by the Holy Spirit in their decision making. Please focus your prayers on Crawley Open House as our Advent Conspiracy charity this week. Pray that they will have the strength and stamina to serve those who need them this winter. I would also ask you to focus your prayers on the finance committee this week that they will be fully equipped to deal with the challenges they face. *Simon M*