



CHURCHES TOGETHER in MILTON KEYNES

Week of Prayer

January 2023

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Wed 18th

7.30pm

St Mary's,
Bletchley

Prayer for the City

Pastor Ferdinand Tambwe from **Rehoboth PEFA Church** will lead us in worship, as we pray for the new City of Milton Keynes. Join us for an evening of Pentecostal prayer and vibrant music, with speakers including **Revd Helen Cameron**, the Moderator of the Free Churches Group, and our local Roman Catholic bishop, **Rt Revd David Oakley**.

Thu 19th

7.30pm

St Mary and St Giles,
Stony Stratford

Come and Sing Evensong

Choral Evensong is one of the great English musical traditions, with its rich biblical language and emotive music. Choirs and singers from across the Borough will gather for a **brief rehearsal at 6.00pm**. **Revd Lisa Kerry**, the Baptist Regional Minister will be preaching at this open and enjoyable event. Check the web site for more details if you want to take part.

Fri 20th

7.30pm

St Edward
the Confessor,
Shenley Church End

We Sing!

The Catholic community in Milton Keynes is rich in diversity with members from every corner of the World. This will be an evening of words and music reflecting the multicultural nature of our parishioners. With refreshments celebrating the breadth and depth of this amazing community, it promises to be both a wonderful and reflective experience.

Sat 21st

10am-3pm

Servant King,
Furzton

Mission Fair

There are an amazing number of charities and mission agencies based in Milton Keynes. They make a huge difference to our communities - and to the wider world. This is an opportunity to meet some of these change makers and find out how we can support them in their crucial work. There will be stalls, talks, activities and cake.

Sun 22nd

7.30pm

Christ the
Cornerstone

A Child of our Time

Michael Tippett wrote and composed this moving oratorio during the dark days of the Second World War. It reflects on the experience of oppressed people across the World, with a longing for peace and reconciliation. At the turning point of our week, this concert performance will root our search for justice in the depths of the human soul. **Tickets are available through the web site.**

Mon 23rd

7.30pm

The Quaker Centre,
Downhead Park

Climate Unity

The Climate Crisis is the single biggest issue facing the planet in this century. **The Society of Friends** have a strong tradition of working for justice through creative action and will help us address the challenge. They will bring us together in a meeting of worship in the Quaker tradition, with a mixture of silence,

Tue 24th

7.30pm

Christ Church,
Stantonbury

Any Questions?

This has been a powerful week with great music, challenging ideas and powerful speakers. Where next for ecumenical mission in Milton Keynes? This will be your chance to ask the big (or silly) questions? There may be a few answers, but this will definitely be a chance to shape the next steps... Panellists will include the Moderator of the URC East Midlands Synod, **Revd Geoffrey Clarke**.

Wed 25th

7.30pm

Christ the King,
Kents Hill

A Celebration of Justice

The week will finish with a big celebration. We thank God for the rich diversity of our communities and the challenge we are given to make this World a better place. There is so much that is broken and wrong in God's creation, but we have a great hope in Christ - so this is the time for a big **Alleluia!** Our preacher this evening will be the General Secretary of Churches Together in England, **Bishop Mike Royal**.