

**INFORMATION
JANUARY 2005**

Emergency Contact over Christmas

In the case of an emergency over Christmas and the New Year please contact the Bishop of Edmonton, the Rt Revd Peter Wheatley, on 020 7435 5890.

The Bishop of London's Mission Fund – Mission Projects

Two mission projects have been granted funding by the Mission Fund: a proposal for a parish evangelist working in South Tottenham and a project to continue a mission church in Kensington.

For more information about the Bishop of London's Mission Fund, or to make an application for funding for a mission project visit www.london.anglican.org/Regulations/#full_docs or contact Robert Hargrave, Assistant Secretary to the Mission Fund, on t: 020 7932 1227 or e: robert.hargrave@london.anglican.org.

Affordable Accommodation Urgently Needed

Affordable accommodation with easy access to London is sought to house a priest and family working centrally. If you are able to help, please contact the Revd Dr Charles Hedley, e: rector@st-james-piccadilly.org or t: 020 7734 4511.

Overhead Projector Needed

St Saviour's, Wendell Park, is in need of an OHP in good working order. If you are able to help then please contact the Revd Nabil Shehadi by e: nabil.shehadi@london.anglican.org or t: 020 8749 4391.

Free Church Furnishings Available

As a result of the closure of the chapel at the Children's Society's retreat centre in Wadderton, West Midlands, a number of items are available: 32 chairs with light blue padded seats, a nave altar with all-season laudian frontal, a credence table, a set of shelves, piano and stool. All the items are in matching oak and are 'as new'. The Society would prefer to keep the furnishings together and offers them for free with the exception of transportation costs.

If you are interested then please contact the Revd Nigel Asbridge, Chaplain Missioner, The Children's Society, Edward Rudolf House, Margery Street, London WC1X 0JL, t: 020 7841 4567 or e: nigel.asbridge@childsoc.org.uk.

Vacancy for a General Manager

An experienced and motivated manager is wanted to lead the development of a newly-restored church and associated property. This is a new senior post providing a great opportunity to play a key role in enabling the parish to achieve good levels of public access, venue usage and ensuring a sound financial basis for the building and its ministry.

Christ Church Community Vision (CCCV) is looking to appoint a creative thinker and team player, with strong leadership skills and an understanding of the Christian faith.

The closing date for applications is 26 January 2005 and the first interviews will be held on 3 February 2005.

For more details contact Kim Gooding, CCCV, 2 Fournier St, London, E1 6LY. t: 020 7247 7202 or e: arider@clara.net.

Vacancy for an Administrator

Hampstead Parish Church, NW3 – Administrator, to work three days a week (Tues, Wed, Thurs; 20 hours) as a job share with the Sacristan, who supervises the running of services. This post is responsible for running the parish's administrative affairs, assisting communications within the church and with outside organisations, and liaising with the Sacristan as necessary. Applicants should be in sympathy with the ethos, and willing to support the work, of the church; totally reliable, able to work independently and deal with a range of people by telephone or in person, in a friendly, fair but sometimes firm way; have good administrative and computer skills, and be flexible and willing to take on minor practical duties. A full job description is available.

Requests for the job description and application form to Judy East, HPC, Church Row, NW3 6TX, t: 020 7794 5808, or e: vestry@hampsteadparishchurch.org.uk.

Talks and Discussions on Israel, Palestine and Hebron

Jeanne Coker has just returned from a three month stay in Palestine and Israel as part of a team of Ecumenical Accompaniers organised by the World Council of Churches. (For more information see the website www.eappi.org). She is available to give talks and promote discussions on the current situation in Israel and Palestine and, in particular, what she has witnessed in Hebron.

To take advantage of this offer, e: jeannecoker@yahoo.co.uk, t: 07789 738 886 or 020 8903 9807.

Palm Crosses from Nongoma, Kwa Zulu

Bookmark-size palm crosses, made in Nongoma, Zululand are available for a suggested donation of £11 per 100, in multiples of 50.

Donations in 2004 enabled £20,000 to be earmarked for use in Nongoma and the Diocese of Zululand. A large part of this is as wages to 76 Palm Cross makers. Three years' support for the Diocesan Sunday School project is also pledged. This will provide a salary & transport for a children's worker who spearheads teacher training/teaching material for Sunday School children; this will enable teachers to promote Aids awareness in a Christian context.

Over 400,000 Palm Crosses were distributed in 2004, throughout the British Isles. If you would like to learn more about this work, visit www.zulemtrust.org. Palm crosses can be ordered through Zulem Trust, Emmanuel Church, Weston Favell Centre, Northampton NN3 8JR, t: 01604 406930, e: emmteam@talk21.com.

PEOPLE

Into the Diocese

Two Cities

The Revd Matthew Harrison, Assistant Chaplain, St George's, Paris, Diocese of Europe is now Assistant Priest at St James, Sussex Gardens (02/01).

The Revd Nigel Schibild, CMS Lebanon, is to be Assistant Priest at St James the Less, Pimlico (03/20), from 9 January 2005.

Edmonton

The Revd Linda Dean is to serve her title at St Mary the Virgin, Primrose Hill (16/09).

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The Revd William Hepper, Associate Priest at St Mark's and All Saints, Alexandria, Diocese of Egypt with North Africa and the Horn of Africa, is to be the House for Duty Minister at Holy Trinity, Perivale (23/01A), from 13 February 2005.

The Revd Gareth Beresford Jones, Curate at St John, Sidcup, Diocese of Rochester, is to be Chaplain of Ealing NHS Trust (23/99), from 5 January 2005.

Within the Diocese**Edmonton**

The Revd Richard Knowling, Incumbent of St John, Palmers Green (18/11), is to be Incumbent of St Alphege, Edmonton (18/02), and Priest in Charge of St Matthew, Ponders End (18/29), from 5 March 2005.

Out of the Diocese**Stepney**

The Revd Malcolm Rogers, Incumbent of St Mary Magdalene and St David, Holloway (06/19), is to be Incumbent of St Mary and St Peter's, Bury St Edmunds, Diocese of St Edmundsbury and Ipswich.

Kensington

The Revd Shaun Atkins, Priest in Charge of St Dionis, Parsons Green (08/05), is to be Director of Christian Education, St Andrew's Oxford, Diocese of Oxford.

Retired

The Revd Richard Bewes, Incumbent of All Souls, Langham Place (04/03), has retired.