



Cathedral Community Notices

When I Survey... Christ's Cross and Ours – Discussion group running on Thursday evenings in Lent at 245 Maidstone Road, Rochester, ME1 3DB at 8pm. Contact Justine and Thomas for more information and to reserve a seat! All welcome.

The Prayer Group will meet on Tuesday 2nd March in the Chapter Library, at 10.30 – 11.30. All are welcome to this time of quiet and reflection.

Songs from the Shows – John Smith with more from his amazing archive in Garth House at 6.45pm on Friday 12th March. John has also painted a picture especially for the “Equal Opportunities Raffle” (1 ticket per person @ £1). Retiring collection for Sunday Club. Mild curry supper, with an alternative. Tickets £3 from Brian Faux.

The Friends of the Cathedral – provide valuable support to the Dean and Chapter for the upkeep of this wonderful building. More supporters are always needed. Information ☎832142 or friendsofrochester cathedral@btinternet.com.

The Friends of the Cathedral – 5 day trip to Chester (Fri 21st-Tues 25th May). Includes visit to Coughton Court, St Asaph's Cathedral, Gawsworth Hall, Canons Ashby and lunch on the River Dee. Contact Christine Tucker ☎01634 832142.

Scaffolding – ‘You will have noticed the presence of scaffolding in the south west corner of the cathedral to allow for the removal of the old heating flu. Once this has been done, the wall will be lime-washed ready to take the new Royal Engineers memorial. Scaffolding is also being installed, externally, on the north east corner of the Cathedral to allow for much needed repairs to the treasury roof and the masonry around the windows. I expect the scaffolding in the south aisle to be in situ for 3 – 4 weeks. The external scaffolding will be there for much longer and I hope repairs will be finished in the summer.’ *Colin Tolhurst*.

COLLECTION ~ We encourage UK taxpayers to use a GIFT AID ENVELOPE. Please complete, sign and put it in the collection bag or in the wooden boxes by the main doors.

Second Sunday of Lent 28th February 2010



08.00	Holy Communion (BCP)
09.45	Choral Mattins (Boys' & Men's Voices)
Responses :	Shephard
Venite :	5
Psalm :	119 : 161—168
First Reading :	Genesis 17: 1—7, 15—16
Benedictus :	37
Second Reading :	Romans 11: 13—24
Benedicite :	Ashfield
Anthem :	The Call : Brent Smith
Hymn :	357 (t. Cypress Court)
10.30	The Cathedral Eucharist
15.15	Choral Evensong & Lent Reflection (Girls' & Men's Voices)
Introit :	Lead me, Lord : Wesley
Responses :	Shephard
Office Hymn :	64
Psalm :	135
First Reading :	Jeremiah 22: 1—9, 13—17
Canticles :	Statham in E minor
Second Reading :	Luke 14: 27—33
Anthem :	O for a closer walk with God : Stanford
Reflection :	Canon Philip Hesketh, Canon Pastor
Hymn :	404
Voluntary:	Chorale no 1 : Franck
18.00	Boy Choristers' Sponsored Concert

