



**ST AGNES
LONGSIGHT
worship
committee**

Worship Committee Notes: Tuesday 6th September 2005

Present: Fr Stephen, Rudolphus Ricketts, Lewis Njoku, Jennifer Newton, Leah Lutley and Joyce Green.

Membership: Following the recent resignations of Richard Trouncer and Catherine Stewart from the committee, it was agreed that Catherine Mellis and a representative of Junior Church possibly Gwen Sherratt, Joan Anthony, Ann Reeves or Helen Pearce be approached to fill the vacancies.

Dates of Future Meetings:

It was agreed to plan dates for the next 12 months, these are as follows:-

Tuesday 4th October 2005
Tuesday 1st November 2005
Tuesday 6th December 2005
Tuesday 7th February 2006
Tuesday 7th March 2006
Tuesday 4th April 2006
Tuesday 2nd May 2006
Tuesday 6th June 2006
Tuesday 4th July 2006

All meetings will commence at 8pm and there will be no meetings in January or August.

Liturgical Year:

Services and events for the liturgical year were discussed and traditions important to worship at St Agnes were incorporated. Fr Stephen agreed to compile the detailed list. Points highlighted in discussion are as follows:

- To arrange a quiet afternoon in Advent and to invite Jeremy a Lay Preacher from Trefnant North Wales to lead this event;
- From 2006, to celebrate the Saints Days for St Agnes and St Cyprian on the Sunday following and to celebrate the alternate date for St John in order to move this away from Christmas;
- To discuss with Junior Church Leaders the possibility of more involvement of the children in the service on Mothering Sunday.
- To use worship songs and hymns from different provinces of the Anglican Communion especially those areas represented in our congregation.

Other Business:

Readings:

A request for a copy of the readings to put back on the Lectern was agreed. The meeting for Readers and Intercessors was rescheduled for Sunday 9th October at 6pm in church.

Birthday Book:

It was agreed to discuss with the PCC whether the practice of adding Birthday Greetings to members of the congregation on the weekly information sheet be resumed.

Letter of Thanks:

Fr Stephen agreed to write to Richard Trouncer and Catherine Stewart thanking them for their involvement and valued contributions to the Worship Committee.

Date and Time of Next Meeting:

Tuesday 4th October at 8pm.

The meeting ended with prayer.