



# The Word

THE NEWSLETTER OF THE  
Guild of Servants of the Sanctuary  
CHAPTER OF THE INCARNATE WORD  
WITH ST ALBAN AND ST EDWARD



SPRING 2010

## Thanksgiving Mass, Monday 15 February

This was held at St James, Malden and marked the successful conclusion of the Incarnate Word's 100<sup>th</sup> Anniversary year. While only being a low key event and taking place on a dark, wet winter evening, it was very well attended – 14 members plus 3 interested in joining and no less than 6 apologies. The Chaplain led a very dignified and moving Mass of thanksgiving in the Lady Chapel. Coffee, tea, wine and food were available afterwards at the back of the church where all joined in an unhurried friendly and lively chat before dispersing.

## Warden's Editorial, Spring 2010 Server

Before responding to the Warden's unexpected public letter criticising the Chapter for our organisation of the GSS Autumn Festival at S Nicolas Guildford, I thought it would only be right and proper to obtain opinions from our Priest Associates and for the members to discuss the matter at our forthcoming AGM on Thursday 18 March.

## Agenda for 101<sup>st</sup> Annual General Meeting

- 1 Apologies
- 2 Minutes of 100<sup>th</sup> Annual General Meeting (2008-09)
- 3 Matters arising
- 4 Secretary's Report
- 5 Treasurer's Report
- 6 Election of Officers:  
Secretary; Treasurer; Chairman;  
& Committee Members
- 7 Appointments:  
Chaplain, Organist, Independent  
Examiner
- 8 Warden's letter in the Server, Spring 2010  
and related matters
- 9 Forthcoming events
- 10 Any Other Business
- 11 Closing prayer

### \*Event amendment\*

Please note that the May meeting is now one week later.

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## For Guild events see The Server

### **Forthcoming Chapter events** *(those in grey to be confirmed)*

✦  
**Thursday 18 March 2010, 7.30pm**  
S Saviours, Raynes Park (SW20 9DL)  
Benediction & Annual General Meeting

✦  
**Friday 23 April 2010, 7.30pm**  
S George, Hanworth (TW13 7QE)  
S George's Day Celebration

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*revised\** **Sunday 9 May 2010, 3pm** *\*revised*  
All Saints, Woodham (GU21 5SH)  
Benediction

✦  
**Thursday 17 June 2010, 7.30pm**  
S John the Divine, Richmond (TW9 2PE)  
Guild Office

✦  
**Wednesday 14 July 2010, 7.30pm**  
Ascension, Battersea (SW11 5TU)  
Mass

✦  
**Thursday 16 September 2010, 7.30pm**  
St Mary, Walton (KT12 2QS)  
Guild Office

✦  
**Saturday 16 October 2010**  
Day Pilgrimage to Aylesford Priory (ME20 7BX)  
Minibus from S James, Malden 9am  
*(Please book seat with Secretary by end July)*

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**Tuesday 9 November 2010, 7.30pm**  
All Saints, S Wimbledon (SW19 1BU)  
Chapter Requiem Mass



**Please pray for:** the repose of: Fr Anthony Wheeler; Ron Austen; Harry Painter; Elizabeth Field (Secretary of the Reading Chapter); L.V John Shaw; Alan Boyce.

**Please also pray for:** Sister Mary Gardner, who has been unable to attend recently owing to poor health.