St Hilary's Church Wallasey

20TH SEPTEMBER 2015
TRINITY 16

A Community United by Faith in Christ, living out Worship, Welcome & Witness

Welcome to St. Hilary's today, please do join us for refreshments following our services today. If it is your first visit here, we would love to get to know you more – so please make yourself known to one of the welcome team.

Today's Services

Pledge Sunday

Guest Speaker today: *Helen Ellis, Messy Church Regional Coordinator*

9.30am Holy Communion

11.15am All Age Worship with Sunday Club

Services Next Week

9.30am Holy Communion

11.00am Boys' Brigade on Sunday (Side Chapel)

11.15am All Age Worship with Baptism of James Jewson

Bible Readings (9.30 & 11.15a.m)

Deuteronomy 11:1, 18-23

(OTp 174)

Matthew 13:10 –15, 31-32

(NTp 13)

Collect

Lord of creation,
whose glory is around and within us:
open our eyes to your wonders,
that we may serve you with reverence
and know your peace at our lives' end,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.

This Week at St. Hilary's (in church unless otherwise indicated)

Monday	12.00pm	Midday Prayers (*Side Chapel*)
	6.30pm	Vestry Hour
	7.45pm	St Hilary's Men's Society AGM *(Wallaseyans' Club)*
Tuesday	9.00am	Morning Prayer *(Side Chapel)*
	4.15pm	Rainbows
	4.30pm	Baptism Rehearsal
	5.30pm	Brownies
	5.30pm	Boy's Brigade
Wednesday	9.45am	Bowling Club (*at Marine Park)*
	1.15pm	"Busy Bees" Toddler Group
	7.30pm	Bell Ringing Practice *(Learners Welcome)*
Friday	9.00am	Morning Prayer *(Side Chapel)*
	7.00pm	Fusion Youth Club
Saturday	4.00pm	Messy Church

Prayers

For the World

Lord, we thank you for bringing light to the dark times in our lives. We ask that you look over the people we know who are in need of your comforting presence at the moment. Amen.

For the Parish

Lord, we pray for our community and confess our own failings and lack of support, compassion and love. We ask you to give us a spirit of love and forgiveness that sees only the good in each other, which bears no grudges and forgives all grievances, as you have forgiven us that we may live together in unity. Amen.

For all those suffering and in danger in war zones everywhere.

Prayers for:

The bereaved families of Richard Hillman and George Colin Huntington.

For those living in Care Homes:

Marion Hedley, Marjorie Homan, Betty Tew, Dudley Curry, Pat Davies, Mike & Pam Phelan, Edith Gamwell and Dorothy Wilson

For the healing, hope and strength of: Pam Ferguson, Mark Spratt, Jan Nugent, Marianne Gateley, Dorothy Prestwich, Gary, Patricia and Bob McGrogan.

Our prayer lists will be updated at the end of each month. Please contact Lisa Sheridan to add anyone to our prayer lists or for any other notices: lisa.sheridan25@outlook.com

Notices

PLEDGE SUNDAY – During today's services, you will be given opportunity to complete and return your annual pledge cards in the offering. Please do this with care and prayer.

"MARVELLOUS": AN EVENING WITH NEIL BALDWIN – 7.00pm SUNDAY 18th OCT – Come and hear the man whose life inspired the BAFTA winning drama. With clips from the film, live music, refreshments and Bishop Keith Sinclair. Flyers available.

"CHRISTIANITY EXPLORED" STARTS 2nd OCT – This 7-week course will be on Fridays from 10.00-11.30am at Wallasey Village URC, run by leaders from St Hilary's and other churches. There are invitation cards available for those who'd like to take part. We also need cakes and people to serve them, and crèche helpers to allow parents with young children to attend. See Alan or Calum about any of the above.

HARVEST FLOWERS – Beryl Holden would appreciate any monetary contributions towards the Harvest flower arrangements for the 11th October. Thank you.

HARVEST SUNDAY 11th OCTOBER – The offering at our 10.30am Harvest Parade Service will be: flowers for local housebound and sick; fresh produce for Women's Aid; tins & packets for Wirral Ark; cash collection for Tearfund. Help will be needed to distribute goods on Monday 12th (morning).

CHRISTMAS FAIR - This will happen on the 28th November and we are looking for volunteers and ideas for stalls. More details are available on the notice table or from Barbara M and Dorothy H

THE LATE RICK HILLMAN – Rick's funeral is at Landican on Tues 22nd Sept at 10.30am.

BUSY BEES - We are short of helpers this week, if you could spare half an hour or more to help with refreshments or setting up this Wednesday that would be greatly appreciated. Please speak contact Calum via phone.

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