St Hilary's Church Wallasey

SUNDAY 13TH NOVEMBER 2016

THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

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.

Services Next Week ***Sunday 13TH November*** **THE SECOND SUNDAY BEFORE ADVENT** **REMEMBRENCE SUNDAY** 9.30am Holy Communion 10.50am Act of Remembrance 11.15am All Age Worship Parade Service 4.00pm "Ugandan Tea" – see over	**Bible Readings – 13TH November** ***9.30am & 11.15am*** Micah 4 : 1 – 5 (OT p 879) Matthew 5 : 43 – 48 (NT p 5)
SERVICES NEXT WEEK ***Sunday 20th November*** **Christ the King** **The Sunday before Advent** 9.30am Holy Communion 11.15am All Age Worship 4.00pm Service of Healing and Wholeness	**Bible Readings – 20TH November** ***9.30am & 11.15am*** Colossians 1:11-20 (NT p197) Luke 23:33–43 (NT p85)

Monday (14TH November)	12.00pm	Midday Prayer (*Side Chapel*)
	6.30pm	Vestry Hour
	7.30pm	Parochial Church Council
Tuesday (15th November)	9.00am	Morning Prayer (*Side Chapel*)
	2.00pm	Clergy and Readers (*37 Oldfield Road*)
	7.30pm	Christmas Choir Rehearsal
Wednesday (16th November)	9.15am	Midweek Communion
	9.30am	Bowling Club – All Welcome (*At St Hilary's)*
	1.15pm	"Busy Bees" Toddler Group (*Side Chapel*)
	5.00pm	Music Practice
	7.30pm	Bell Ringing Practice *(Learners Welcome)*
Friday (18th November)	9.00am	Morning Prayer
	7.00pm	Fusion Youth Club
Saturday (19th November)	10.00am – 4.00pm	Day of Prayer for Vision (*See over)*

Prayers

For the World

God of power and might, wisdom and justice, through you authority is rightly administered, laws are enacted, and judgment is decreed. Assist with your spirit of counsel and fortitude the new President and other government leaders of the United States. May they always seek the ways of righteousness, justice and mercy. Grant that they may be enabled by your powerful protection to lead their country with honesty and integrity. We ask this through Christ our Lord. Amen.

For the Parish

Loving Father, you call us so that through us your will might be done on earth. You ask us, weak and imperfect as we are to transform the world by love. Send to each one of us, the gifts of wisdom, knowledge and discernment, that we may be equipped to sustain your work in this parish. Amen.

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

For the bereaved family of Graham Houghton and Brenda Hughes.

For those living in Care Homes:
Marion Hedley, Marjorie Homan, Barbara Davies, Pam Phelan, Keith Farrelly and Edith Gamwell.

For the healing, hope and strength of:
Dorothy Prestwich, Catherine and Helen Godfrey, Patricia Igoe and Ken Hodgson.

Our prayer lists will be updated at the end of each month. Please contact Lisa Sheridan at *lisa.sheridan25@outlook.com* to add anyone to our prayer lists or for any other notices. *The cut off time for any additions to the newsletter is lunchtime on the Thursday before publication.*

Notices

UGANDAN TEA – 4pm on Sunday 13th November. Alan will tell us about his sabbatical trip to Uganda with stories, slides and refreshments. Open invitation.

DAY OF PRAYER FOR VISION - Sat 19th Nov 10am-4pm. It's vital that we all join in prayer together on this day. See the leaflet and sign-up sheet in church

EXPERIENCE CHRISTMAS – If you can help with welcome and refreshments for this, please put your name on the rota in church.

CHRISTMAS FAIR - It is now getting close to our Christmas Fair which is to take place on the 3rd December from 10.30a.m. - 1.30p.m. Please start bringing your items for the fair to church next week. Next week is chocolate, bottle and raffle week. If each member of the congregation could bring in one item of each, that would fill our tombola and raffle stalls. Many thanks Barbara

BUSY BEES ON FLAME RADIO - An interview with our Busy Bees group will be aired on Flame (1521 MW/AM) on 14th Nov 1.30-2.30pm & repeated 15th 8-9pm. Do listen in.

BIBLE READINGS – You will notice that on the front of this newsletter, we have the references for today's Bible Readings and now also those for the following Sunday. Please make the most of this by looking at the readings in advance to help you prepare for listening to God's word each week.

SIDEPERSONS AND REFRESHMENT TEAMS: Please could you sign up on the sheet on the sidetable for the Christmas and New Year's Day services. Thank you.

VCT CHRISTMAS DAY PARTY: If anyone knows of anyone who may be on their own for Christmas Day and would welcome an invitation to the party at Claremount Methodist Church, please let Ann Hughes know. Thank you.

WIRRAL STREET PASTORS – Thank you for all the donations already received. Please see Caroline Ward if you want to support towards this great mission cause.

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