



St Hilary's Church
Wallasey

SUNDAY 6TH MAY 2018

Sixth Sunday of Easter

*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

Sunday 6th May

Sixth Sunday of Easter

9.30am Holy Communion

11.15am All Age Communion
with Sunday Club

TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

Sunday 6th May

Sixth Sunday of Easter

9.30am & 11.15am

1 John 5 : 1 - 8 (NT p 238)
John 15 : 9 – 17 (NT p 106)

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Sunday 13th May

Sunday after Ascension

9.30am Holy Communion

11.15am All Age Worship - Parade service
4.00pm Wallasey Village Churches Together
Covenant Service

BIBLE READINGS NEXT WEEK

Sunday 13th May

Sunday after Ascension

9.30am - 1 John 5 : 9 - 21 (NT p 239)
John 17 : 6 – 19 (NT p 108)
11.15am - 1 John 5 : 9 – 21 (NT p 239)

Monday (7th May)

Tuesday (8th May)

9.15am

Morning Prayers

1.45pm

Fusion Management Group (*at Claremount
Methodist*)

Wednesday (9th May)

9.30am

Bowling Club – All Welcome (*In Church*)

1.15pm

"Busy Bees" Toddler Group

5.00pm

Music Practice

7.30pm

Bell Ringing Practice (*Learners Welcome*)

Thursday (10th May)

2.00pm

Funeral of Beryl Lane

6.00pm

Weight Watchers

7.30pm

Ascension Day Communion Service

Friday (11th May)

9.15am

Morning Prayer (*Side Chapel*)

7.00pm

Fusion Youth Club

Saturday (12th May)

9.30-12pm

Training for Bible Readers and Intercession
Leaders

Prayers

Prayer Cycle - Please pray for the following people and places within our parish this week:

New Church Members & Marlowe Road URC, Breck Rd, Beaufort Dr, Wallacre Rd, Breckside Ave,
Clare Crescent.

Prayers for the bereaved family of: Roy Lawrence and Beryl Lane
For those living in Care Homes: Barbara Davies and Edith Gamwell.
For the healing, hope and strength of: Don Smith, Pam Phelan, Dot Vyskocil, Catherine & Helen Godfrey, Mike & Jenny Puttick, Dorothy Prestwich, Keith Young, Nicholas Coombes, Peter Veste and Ann Garrood,

<p>For the World-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pray for those fleeing war torn countries. • Pray for those affected by terrorism. <p>For the Parish-</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • For those training as a Bible Reader. • For those attending the Fusion Management Group. <p>For all those suffering and in danger in war zones everywhere.</p>	<p><u>The Collect for the Sixth Sunday of Easter</u></p> <p>Risen Christ, by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples: help your Church to obey your command and draw the nations to the fire of your love, to the glory of God the Father. Amen.</p>
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Notices

MESSY CHURCH – Please can people save kitchen roll tubes and the insides of wrapping paper tubes for the Messy Church event at the Cheshire Show. Thanks, Caroline Houghton.

SALTMINE THEATRE COMPANY - Will perform their play "Legacy - the story of Martin Luther" at Harrison Hall on Friday 8th June 7.30pm. Organised by Village Churches Together. Tickets are £5 from Alan.

SUMMER FAIR - Our Summer Fair is being held on the 23rd June from 10.30a.m. - 1.30p.m. It will include Nibbles at Noon. We need toiletries, bric-a-brac, bottles, books and toys and items for the raffle, so please start saving. If you'd like to run a stall please speak to Barbara or Dorothy, tables are £10 each. If you can help please speak to Barbara or Dorothy.

PENTECOST - Sunday 20th 10.30am Joint Service (this will be Paul Duncan's final Sunday with us).

SERVICES IN MAY - Thursday 10th (Ascension Day) 7.30pm Holy Communion; Sunday 13th 4.00pm Annual Covenant Service with Village Churches Together (at St Hilary's); Sunday 20th 10.30am Joint Service for Pentecost (this will be Paul Duncan's final Sunday with us).

LEARNING OPPORTUNITIES - 1. On Saturday 12th May 9.30am to midday there will be a session for all our **Bible Readers and prayer leaders**, to sharpen us up in this important ministry. If anyone is interested in joining these rotas, you are welcome too.

2. **"Exploring Prayer"** - a series of evenings looking at different forms and traditions of prayer, to enrich our personal and corporate prayer life. Thursday evenings 7.30pm, starting 17th May (see separate leaflet).

SCIENCE AND FAITH - A lecture series at Chester Cathedral on Tuesday evenings (7.30-9pm) on relating science and Christian faith, begins 1st May, open to all and free of charge. Alan is going on 8th May; if anyone wants to go with him, please let him know.

CHURCH HIRERS - We need someone to act as liaison with groups who use or hire the church building on a regular basis. Please see Alan if you're interested and want to know more.

FLOWERS - After 50 years of "flower ministry", Beryl Holden has had to retire on health grounds and we currently do not have anyone to lead our flower team. Please pray for one or more people who might be able to take this on. We're very grateful to Beryl for her long and faithful service.

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.*

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