



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

Welcome to St. Hilary's

IMPORTANT NOTICE

As the challenge of the coronavirus grips the world, and as the Government asks every individual and every organisation to rethink its life, the Church of England and all its parishes, chaplaincies and ministries will be serving in a new way. Unfortunately, due the current lockdown, the St Hilary's will be closed until further notice.

This does not mean that the Church of England has shut up shop. St Hilary's Church will new ways, please see the Services page on our website for further information on alternative Sunday Worship.

TODAY'S BIBLE

READINGS

Sunday 26th July

Acts 15:1-21

COLLECT FOR THE SEVENTH SUNDAY OF TRINITY

Generous God,
you give us gifts and make them grow:
though our faith is small as mustard seed,
make it grow to your glory
and the flourishing of your kingdom;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

DIARY DATES

Trinity 8 (2ND August) - We are hoping that the service will be Live-streamed from St Hilary's at 10.30am and available later on Sunday to view on Youtube and Facebook.

Confirmation and details of this will be sent during the coming week.

11.45am to 12.45pm - Informal "refreshments" time on Zoom after the service (an email containing a weblink will be circulated on Saturday to all for whom we have an address).

All the following will be on Zoom. Send us a message to find out how to join one of these online or by landline.

Midweek Prayers are on Monday (12 midday), Tuesday 9.15am & Friday 9.15am.

Please send us a message if you'd like to be sent a link to join one of these.

Monday (27th July)

12.00pm

Midday Prayer

Tuesday (28th July)

9.15am

Morning Prayer

Friday (31st July)

9.15am

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Prayers

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

Diocese of Chester, Home Groups, Aysgarth Rd, Rosclare Dr, The Oval, Arundel Ave, Wharefdale Rd.

Prayers for the Bereaved Family of: Bernard Elsdon (*former curate of St Hilary's*)

For those living in Care Homes: Catherine Godfrey.

For the healing, hope and strength of: Haydn Washington, Jennifer Norris, Jimmy Houghton, Helen Godfrey, Dorothy & Sheila Prestwich & Dot Vyskocil, John Rutter and Kevin Croft.

For the World-

- Pray for those fleeing war torn countries.
- Pray for those affected by terrorism.
- For all those suffering and in danger in war zones everywhere.

For the Parish-

- Pray for those self-isolating
- Pray for those who have Covid-19 or have loved ones who have Covid 19
- Pray for those suffering from anxiety during these times.

Notices

TRINITY 7 – Service available on Youtube (pre-recorded) from Sunday morning onwards. Search for St Hilary's Wallasey on Youtube and subscribe to the page. Details to be sent via email. If we don't have your email address, contact us to have the link sent to you.

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SERVICES AT ST HILARY'S - The PCC has decided to wait until September before we re-open the church building for private prayer and for public worship. This is for 3 main reasons: 1. to be sure we have everything in place; 2. to allow time to experiment with "broadcasting" the live services from church (called "live-streaming"); 3. to ascertain from you your intentions about attending church, given the restrictions that will surround our meetings for some time to

come (eg distancing, hand-washing, face coverings, no singing). As always we keep you as fully informed as possible.

GIVING TO ST HILARY'S - We hope that everyone has recently received and read the leaflet about giving, delivered to you as part of the Pastoral Team mailing. You are encouraged to return the pledge card as soon as you are able to and we will make sure the finance team are put in touch with you with the relevant information and forms. Please give generously and cheerfully!

PASTORAL CARE - During this time we are aiming to ensure everyone in our church family has a contact person they can keep in touch with for personal encouragement, prayer and, where needed, practical help. **All contact numbers are below. Alan 0151 638 4771 or 07890 734952; Richard 07784 422758 (Off Weds); Jimmy 07731 898288; David 07890 164074; Ruth 07397 177072; Caroline 07731 824962; Ken Quirk 0151 691 2479; Sue Jones 07711 171759.**

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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