

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

Welcome to St. Hilary's, please do join us for our service 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

### COLLECT FOR THE SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Risen Christ,  
for whom no door is locked,  
no entrance barred:  
open the doors of our hearts,  
that we may seek the good of others  
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,  
to the praise of God the Father.  
Amen.

### TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

**10.30am**

Revelation 1:4-8 (NT  
p242)  
John 20:19-31 (NT  
p112)

**SUNDAY 24<sup>TH</sup> APRIL – SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER** – Holy Communion  
with Children's Sunday Club.

<b>Monday</b> (25 <sup>th</sup> April)	12.00pm	Midday Prayers
	12.30pm	Lunch Club
	7.30pm	Pastoral Team Meeting (in church)
<b>Tuesday</b> (26 <sup>th</sup> April)	9.15am	Morning Prayer (Online)
	2.00pm	The Bible Course (1)
	7.30pm	Village Churches Together meeting (online)
<b>Wednesday</b> (27 <sup>th</sup> April)	9.45am	Bowling Club – At Marine Park
	1.15pm	"Busy Bees" parent & toddler group
<b>Thursday</b> (28 <sup>th</sup> April)	10.00am	Holy Communion
<b>Friday</b> (29 <sup>th</sup> April)	9.15am	Morning Prayer (Online)
	6.00pm	Wedding Rehearsal
<b>Saturday</b> (30 <sup>th</sup> April)	2.00pm	Wedding of Alex Stevenson & Ruth Puttick

## Prayers

**Prayer Cycle - Please pray for the following people and places within our parish – Busy VCT Reps, The Belvidere Ctr, Vyner Rd, The Laund, Clare Way, Claremount Crt, Wirral Mount. For the bereaved family of John Tomkins.**

**For those living in Care Homes:** Catherine Godfrey, Helen Godfrey and Betty Cross

**For the healing, hope and strength of:** Dot Vyskocil, Keith Sheridan, Dorothy Richmond, Dorothy Prestwich, Margaret Thompson, Steph Sarath, John McCulloch, Olga Bridger and Jimmy Houghton (*please contact Lisa if you would like a name added here*)

### For the World-

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

### For the Parish-

- 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

### **SUNDAY 1<sup>st</sup> MAY – THIRD SUNDAY OF EASTER**

- 10.30am Service of the Word with Baptism of Athena Flint.

**ANNUAL MEETING** – Will take place on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> May 7.30pm. Nominations are now open for PCC members and for Church Wardens (contact Marie Quirk or Ann Fraser for forms). Please contact Ann Hughes if you would like to be added to the church electoral roll or if your details have changed. **Also, please submit any reports to Marie by Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> May at the latest.**

**ELECTORAL ROLL:** If you wish to be put on the electoral roll, the relevant form must be completed and given to A Hughes by Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> April.

**THE BIBLE COURSE** - Please join us for this overview of the whole Bible story in eight sessions. About 20 people have already found the videos and discussions really stimulating and helpful. See leaflets in church to register your interest, or speak to Alan & Valerie.

**ERIC PARRY'S ASHES** – Eric's ashes will be interred on Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> May at 11:30am, as arranged. Mackies have the plaques for engraving.

### **CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY (CAP) - GOOD**

**NEWS!** A grant has been awarded to start up a Wallasey CAP Debt Centre. Job adverts are now inviting applicants for a part time manager of this (see notice boards). Funding of the post from 2023 onwards will be through local churches and individuals. Please pray and consider your support and involvement. Who is interested in being our rep for this?**CAP**

**WALLASEY UPDATE** - Two people have been appointed to paid roles in the new local Christians Against Poverty project. Please pray for them and for news of how people will be able to take part in a voluntary capacity as this venture gets under way.

### **GIVING TO ST HILARY'S** - If

you want to support our church financially, you are welcome to give through our just giving page on the website, or by using this internet address:

<https://givealittle.co/campaigns/378fd1a1-384d-4a9a-b71a-ad4deb0b70f6> There is also a 'Just Giving' bar code on the church website. Or scan the code to go to the Giving page:



Our prayer lists will be updated at the end of each month. Please contact Lisa Sheridan at, [lisa.sheridan25@outlook.com](mailto: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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