St Hilary's Church Wallasey

SUNDAY 26th MAY 2024

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

THE COLLECT FOR TRINITY SUNDAY

Holy God,
faithful and unchanging:
enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth,
and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love,
that we may truly worship you,
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

TODAY'S READINGS:

1 Corinthians 12:1 - 6 (NT p 170)
John 15:26 - 27, 16:12 - 15 (NT p107)

SUNDAY 26th MAY – TRINITY SUNDAY - 10.30am Holy Communion.

Monday (27th May)	-----	Bank Holiday
Tuesday (28TH May)	9.00-10.00pm	Church Open for Prayer
	9.15am	Morning Prayer (*Online*)
	7.30pm	Life Source (Prayer Course) (*Rectory)*
Wednesday (29TH May)	9.45am – 12pm	Bowls Group (*Marine Park, New Brighton*)
	7.30pm	Deanery Synod (*at St Thomas', Liscard*)
Thursday (30TH May)	10.00am	Holy Communion (*Side Chapel*) *followed by Bible Exploration group.*
Friday (31ST May)	9.15am	Morning Prayer (*Online*)
	7-8.00pm	Church Open for Prayer

Prayers

Prayer Cycle - Please pray for the following people and places within our parish – Diocese of Chester, Home Groups, Aysgarth Road, Rosclare Drive, The Oval, Arundel Avenue, Wharefedale Road

The bereaved families of: Geoffrey Prince and Joan Lea

For the healing, hope and strength of: Catherine & Helen Godfrey, Betty Cross, Dot Vyskocil, Joyce Hill, John Sayle, Dorothy Prestwich, Caroline Houghton, Dorothy Harris, Denis Holmes, Patricia McGrogan, Dave Holden, Graham Robb, Martin Pin, Fr Phil Moor, Jess Richards, Joan Foster and Nicky Pugh.

If you wish for a name to be retained, please contact Lisa

For the World-	For the Parish-
• Pray for those affected by terrorism. • For those in Ukraine and those fleeing Ukraine. • For all those suffering and in danger in war zones • For the ongoing conflict in Gaza • Pray from those affected by climate change.	• 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 2nd JUNE – SECOND SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY - 10.30am Service of the Word

SUNDAY SERMON SERIES - In the coming weeks we will be exploring the theme of spiritual gifts and how can best use them to serve the body of Christ and our future vision. Pray that the Lord will speak to each of us about what he is calling us to do.

ARCHDEACON'S VISITATION - This service is for the admission of church wardens and sidespersons (welcomers and counting team). Monday 10th June 7.30pm at St James' New Brighton.

OPENING FOR PRIVATE PRAYER – St Hilary's Church will be open three times each week to allow anyone to use the church for their own Private Prayer. It will be open every Monday and Tuesday for an hour from 9.00am to 10.00am and every Friday evening from 7.00pm to 8.00pm

AFTERNOON TEA FOR PARKINSONS – There will be an afternoon tea at Church on Saturday 8th June 2024, from 2-4pm, Entry is £5 and all are welcome.

CHRISTIANS AGAINST POVERTY (CAP) - The PCC are looking for someone to represent us on the Wallasey CAP project management group which meets roughly every other month (during the day). St Hilary's supports this project financially and in prayer. If you have an interest in CAP or would like to know more about this, please speak to the wardens or PCC secretary.

VILLAGE CHURCHES TOGETHER (VCT) - Similar to the above item, the PCC need at least one person to represent us at the VCT group which meets about 5 times per year. The VCT coordinates joint ventures with the other local churches with whom we are in covenant. Speak to Ann Hughes for more detail.

JOAN LEA - Passed away on 21st May. Please pray for Jeff and the family.

LIVERPOOL CATHEDRAL CENTENARY - Liverpool Cathedral commemorates the centenary of its consecration in 2024. Do you knit, sew, crochet, quilt or weave? There are 2 Stitch in Public events and a centenary stitch-a-thon being held in the main space of the cathedral between 10 am and 4 pm on Saturday 15 June. Drop in, bring own project or use materials provided. Hand- made items also for sale. See noticeboard in Church for details.

GIVING – INCOME Vs EXPENDITURE – Please read the following information which outlines the growing difference between our income and expenditure, and consider whether you could change your weekly giving. The shortfalls on our monthly income/expenditure are as follows:

January: +£4332.62 (However this was due to receiving Gift Aid & 6-month interest).

February – -£2573.63

March - +£173.73 (However this is due to no insurance being paid in March- a double payment will be taken in April.)

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* 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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