

# PRAYER



If you would like private prayer after any of our services, please speak to one of the clergy team who will be pleased to pray with you.

## MONDAY PRAYERS

Please join us at 7pm on Monday evenings in Church when we pray for the needs of others, our community, our church and the world.

## BOOK OF HEALING

If you would like us to pray for anyone you know who is ill at this time or in any kind of need, please feel free to write their names in the Book of Healing and we will pray for them.

## BEREAVEMENT

Our love and prayers go to all those who have recently lost loved ones.

## PRAYER LETTERS

Prayer letters (*available on the bookstall*) are produced monthly to help you in your daily quiet time to pray for the life and witness of our Church. Thank you for your prayers.

*Matthew 21: 22 - "If you believe, you will receive whatever you ask for in prayer"*

## This Week

### Monday 19th June

1-3pm **WOOL N CHAT** - Church Hall  
7pm **PRAYER MEETING** - Please join us as we pray for our world, our community and our Church - Church

### Tuesday 20th June

10.30am **TUESDAY SHOPPERS SERVICE** - 40 minutes of reflective worship, Tea & coffee available before and after the service. All welcome.

### Wednesday 21st June

9.30am **LITTLE LAMBS** - Church Hall

### Thursday 22nd June

7.30am Meeting for **PRAYER**. Please contact Sandra & John McCall (893452) for the location this week.

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## Diary dates & news

Centering Prayer follow-up is on Sat 24th June from 10.30pm - 12.30pm at the Studio, Spa Lane, Lathom. Further info from Sue Hodgkins 01704893806.



We will be having a cake sale on the 25th June after the 9 & 11am services to raise funds for Belarus 2017 project. If anyone would like to bake cakes or help on the day please contact Abbie Anderson 07908 706919

### Bleasdale Family Walk

Don't forget the family walk/picnic, fun afternoon on Sunday 9th July to Bleasdale after our joint 10am service. Please see the poster at the back of church for more information and for the address. This would be good day to bring friends and family along too.



I Invite you to the **North West Local Houses of Prayer Network** gathering on **Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2017** at St. Andrew's Clubmoor (L13 0AL) from **7.00pm for a 7.30pm start (end by 9.30pm)**

The main aim of the gathering will be to remind ourselves of the LHoP principles / values and vision; to encourage each other looking ahead and to share stories of what God is doing. There will be time to worship and to pray together too. No doubt that we will be encouraged as we share together and that we will come away refreshed and inspired as we receive from God and each other. Please organise your own transport to get there - please let know Liz Hale 01704 893372, so we can inform St. Andrews of approximate numbers for the evening.

Big Church Day Out ó We all had a such a fantastic time at BCDO and are looking to go again next year. Please **DO NOT** book yourself on individually to take advantage of sale price that is advertised on the BCDO website as it will work out cheaper for everyone to book on a Group Booking later on in the year.

*Thank you for your generosity in donating food on a regular basis to Oaks Foodbank in Skelmersdale. Your gifts of food help stop local people going hungry. They are currently short of the following: carrots, mixed veg, meat (spam, corned beef, ham) chicken meals, spaghetti Bolognese, ravioli & small pkts of sugar. Anything else will be gladly received. Items can be placed in the plastic box by the bookstall in the West End. If collection is needed please contact David Orritt, tel 892566. Thank you.*

## STAFF

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Church is open for  
refreshments or quiet prayer  
Mon-Fri 10 - 11.30am



A **BIG THANK YOU** to all those who generously give financially to the work and witness of our church. If you would like details on how you can give, please contact **Peter Dorling, Hon.Treasurer: 891612.**

Gift Aid Declarations and Standing Order Mandates are available in the West End and on our website.

Did you know you can now support our Church's mission and ministry by giving via your mobile? Just text **SJBC88 £5 to 70070.** Or you can replace the £5 with £1, £2, £3, £4 or £10. See the poster in the West End for further details. Many thanks. Peter.

**CHURCH FLOWERS** - If you would like flowers arranging in celebration of a special occasion or in memory of a loved one, please sign the rota on the noticeboard in the West End or speak to Jean **01704 892566.** Thank you.

"**THE BRIDGE**" magazine 50p, term cards, text cards, plus a selection of Christian cards are available in the West End.

**Sunday 25th June 2017**  
**2nd Sunday after Trinity**



**9am Holy Communion**  
**11am Contemporary Worship**  
**7pm Evening Worship**

**6.30pm Evening Prayer at Crabtree**



# St. John's News

**Sunday 18th June 2017**  
**Colossians 2: 6-23**

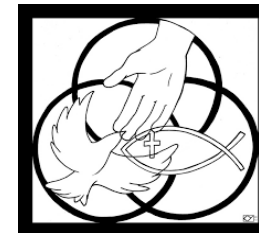
**1st Sunday after Trinity**

## Welcome to our Services

**9am Holy Communion**

**11am Contemporary  
Worship**

**7pm Evening Worship**



**Services at our Mission Church of St. Andrew's, Crabtree:**  
**6.30pm Holy Communion**

*We are trialling a staffed crèche in church, for children aged 3 years and under. Please feel free to bring your child over at any time. If this is your child's first time in crèche, please ask one of the leaders for a registration form. We also have activity bags (colouring sheets, crayons, story books) available for children who may feel restless during the service.*

Congratulations and Blessings to Joan and Trevor Bridge who have celebrated their Diamond Wedding recently, from all at St John's



Did you leave a golf umbrella at the Stanley Institute on Friday after the Barn Dance, if so Jenny Haffenden has it 893449

*Oaks House are looking for a volunteer for their food bank in Skelmersdale on Tuesdays 10-12 and/or Fridays 12-2. They are looking for someone available regularly every other week. The volunteer will need to be a people person and a prayerful person and be happy to meet with the food bank prior to joining the team for an informal interview. For more information please contact Brenda Lowe on 07989052832*