

This week ...

Sun 13th	12.30pm	LunchAid at the home of Jackie Whitehead, 7 Croft Ave, Burscough
Mon 14th	1-3pm	Wool n' Chat in the Church Hall
	7pm	Prayer meeting in Church
	8pm	BSL Choir in the Church Hall
Tues 15th	10.30am	Shoppers Service 40 mins of reflective worship
Weds 16th	9.30am	Little Lambs in the Church Hall
Thurs 17th	7.30am	Prayer meeting. Contact the Rimmers 893056
	5—6pm	Elevation Dance Class in Church
Fri 18th	7.30pm	Uganda 2020 Quiz Night @ The Wharf
Sun 20th	9am	Holy Communion
	11am	Contemporary worship with Thanksgiving
	7pm	Evening Worship with Holy Communion
	6.30pm	Evening Prayer at Crabtree

Lunch Aid is today from 12.30pm at the home of Jackie Whitehead, 7 Croft Ave, Burscough. All welcome to go along and enjoy lunch of bread, cheese and fruit whilst helping those in need.

Time for us — next meeting details

Are you or have you cared for someone with Dementia? Come and join others who understand, for lunch on the last Weds of the month, 12-2pm, at the Lathom Slipway. Ring Diane Edwards on 896831 for more details. The next meeting will be the last Weds in January 30th.

Martha's 2019 Programme is now available in the west end of Church.



Looking ahead, opportunities to invite.....

25th Jan	7.15pm	Martha's Film Night	The Wharf
26th Jan	8.30am	Men's Breakfast	Church
9th Feb	Tbc	Men's Activity Day	Tbc

Volunteers Needed: We are hoping to run another Fun Morning in the February half term on the morning of Weds 20th February. In order to do this we need some volunteers. If you are free to help or would like more information about volunteering for this event please contact Christine Mansfield (Spencer) 07809436984 or christine.spencer@stjohns-burscough.org

One for the diary.

As we enter the new year why not try something new ?
Our next Quiet Day will be 23rd February at
The Studio, Spa Lane. Lathom L40 6JG. Our Theme will be Listen. 10.30-3pm. Lunch will be provided. A warm invitation to come along and spend time with God and if you can't manage a whole day then come along for part of the day. More details to follow.



Thank you for your generosity in donating food on a regular basis to Skelmersdale and District Foodbank. Your gifts of food help stop local people going hungry. 1,653 3 day emergency food supplies were given to people in crisis last year. Items such as tinned vegetables, tinned fruit, tinned tomatoes, rice pudding, UHT milk, jam, pasta, cereals can be placed in the plastic box by the bookstall in the West End of Church. Thank you.



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Bereavement

Our love and prayers go to all who have recently lost loved ones, especially the family and friends of Joyce Carruthers, Brenda Gardner and Sheila Matthews whose ashes are being interred after the 11am service.

'Blessed are those who mourn, for they will be comforted.' Matt 5 v 4



'St John's Parish News'

If you have any diary dates or notices that you wish to be included, please email
noticesheet@stjohns-burscough.org
by Wednesday 12 noon

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



St. John's Parish News

'Knowing, Growing in and Sharing Jesus' Love
in Burscough and Beyond.'

Sunday 13th January

Epiphany

Welcome to our services today

@ St John the Baptist

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

@ St Andrew's, Crabtree

6.30pm Holy Communion

Theme — Baptism of Christ
Bible reading : John 1 35-51
(p988 in the pew bibles)



Uganda 2020 Quiz Night @ The Wharf (The Arts Centre)

Friday 18th January 7:30pm start, tickets £5
All monies raised will go to funding our trip to Uganda in 2020, please contact any of the team to get your tickets.



Martha's Film night — Friday 25th January

Ladies you are invited to a film night at The Arts Centre, The Wharf Burscough for an enjoyable evening. A great event to invite a friend or family member too. Arrive 7.15pm for a prompt 7.30pm start.

