

## **PLEASE PRAY**

*Don't forget to pray for those mentioned in our Prayer Diary  
For those who are sick, in hospital or recovering:*

Ann Brown, Edna Maylor, Albert Rowland, Doreen Hazelhurst,  
Hilary Bruce, Nancy Barrow, Thelma Whitfield, Joyce Thomas,  
Matt Turner, Min Walmsley Carol Hayes (Derek's sister),  
Jean Jackson (Derek's friend)

*For: Lewis Leatherbarrow and family and friends who are here today for his baptism.*

*For those who have been bereaved:*

Family & Friends of Sheila Mayes and Jean Vickeray,  
Leroy Bourbonneux, Gertrude Robertson, Annie White &  
Patricia Gribbon.

### **Prayer Chain: (Urgent prayer requests)**

If you have something you would like our prayer chain to pray about, please pass prayer requests to either Graham, Peter or the Parish Office.

### **COLLECT**

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord: give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. *Amen*

### **OFFICE HOURS**

9.30 am to 12.00 noon

Monday to Friday Tel: 604 0049

Rector: Rev Graham Cousins: Tel: 641 0303

Curate: Rev Peter Bourke: Tel: 605 1241

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# **WHAT'S ON**

## **SUNDAY 18TH APRIL 2010**

We give a warm welcome to all visitors with us here today. If you are here for the first time, please do fill in one of our welcome cards. Please join us for a cup of tea/coffee after our services.

### **SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY**

**9.00 am Holy Communion**

Why baptism - Galatians 3:26-4:7

**10.45 am Family Worship with Baptism**

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**6.30 pm Evening Praise**

Guard the Gospel - 2 Tim 1:1-18)

(Tea/Coffee will be served from 6.00 pm)

After each of our services members of our Prayer Ministry Team will be available to pray with you. If you would like prayer for any reason please make your way to the front of church as the service ends.

# **CHRIST CHURCH, MORETON**

The harvest is plentiful but the workers are few. Ask the Lord of the harvest, therefore, to send out workers into his harvest field. *Matthew 9:37-38*

## WHAT'S HAPPENING THIS WEEK?



### OPEN CHURCH

Christ Church will be open for prayer each week day from 12.00 - 1.00 pm. Do make the most of this opportunity to have a quiet place to pray during the day, and make sure that others in our community know that Christ Church is open for them.

### Morning Prayer 8.50 am Monday - Friday

Please see April newsletter for regular weekly activities and other important events.

#### Diary for the Week

Monday	-	8.00 pm Preachers/Leaders Team
Tuesday	-	7.45 pm Confirmation Course
Wednesday	-	7.30 pm Annual General Meeting

### Merseyside Christian Youth Camps - Be part of it HELP!

The redevelopment is going well but we will need so much help to get camp tidied up and carry out other essential maintenance.

#### CAN YOU HELP?

3rd-8th May Bank Holiday Work Week  
22nd May Advance Party  
22nd-29th June Pre Junior Week

Even for just a couple of days, please join us. Please contact Denis Cooper if you can help  
01925 822051 - Thank you

### SERVICES NEXT WEEK

**9.00 am Morning Prayer/10.45 am Family Communion**

Why singing? Colossians 3:15-17

**6.30 pm Evening Praise**

Work for the gospel - 2 Timothy 2:1-13  
(Tea/Coffee will be served from 6.00 pm)

### Walk of a 1000 Men 18th

**September - 10th October**

Mission teams working with local churches to share the Gospel of Jesus Christ (If interested please speak to Ken Fox)

### Last Chance

This is your last chance to check that your details on the Electoral Roll are correct.



### Grace Sheppard

will be signing copies of her new book Living with Dying

**Saturday 24th April 11.30am - 1.00pm**

**at The Christian Bookshop,**

**14 Grange Road West, Birkenhead.**

Light refreshments will be served

#### At 11.45 Grace will give a short talk

In her book Grace talks about the experience of caring for and living with her dying husband Bishop David Sheppard.

A book full of life and love and grace. Grace Sheppard Grace was recently interviewed on BBC Radio Merseyside's Daybreak. For more information contact the shop on 0151 647 8743

### Annual General Meeting 2010

An important date for your diary this week is **Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> April** – our AGM. The AGM is the time when we elect people to serve as Church Wardens and PCC members. These are important roles in the church, and we do need to make sure that we nominate people who know and love the Lord Jesus, who will be committed to prayer, and who have the practical skills to move our mission forwards. There are nomination forms for each of these in church – please do be praying about who should be appointed.

And please – if you are part of Christ Church – be at the A.G.M.