

PLEASE PRAY

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

Cathy Bennett, Joan Stopforth, Pauline Williams,
Ted & Agnes Richards, Lucy Donnelly, Nancy Barrow and Lisa Ungi
(Derek Hayes friend)

For: Family and friends of Louisa Maxwell recently bereaved.

For: Rev'd Alan Ward, instituted yesterday as the new Rector of
St Hilary's Wallasey

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 God, whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are, yet without sin: give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness, so may we know your power to save; 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.

OFFICE HOURS

9.30 am to 12.00 noon

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Christ Church

WHAT'S ON

SUNDAY 13TH MARCH 2011

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 morning service.

TODAY'S SERVICES:

9.00 am Morning Prayer

Arrested - John 18:1-11

10.45 am Family Communion

Arrested - John 18:1-11

6.30 pm Prayer for Wirral

Woodchurch High School

**PLEASE NOTE NO EVENING SERVICE AT
CHRIST CHURCH**

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.

Jesus said, 'if you hold to my teaching, you are really my disciples.

Then you will know the truth, and the truth will set you free.'

John 8:31-32

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.

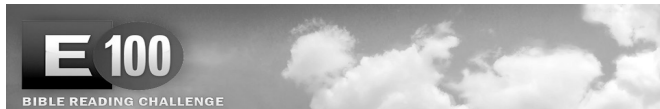
Morning Prayer 8.50 am Monday, Wednesday & Friday

(Please see newsletter for regular weekly activities and other important events)

Home Groups meet this week

Diary

Tuesday	-	7.30-8.00 am Prayer time in the Parish Centre
	-	12.00 noon Lent Lunch (Sacred Heart)
	-	2.30 pm Sunningdale
	-	3.30 pm Shine
Wednesday	-	12.30 pm Communion service in church
Saturday	-	8.30 am Men's Breakfast



This is week 7 of our E100 Bible Reading challenge. Last week we saw the tragic story of the time of the Judges, when time after time God's people turned away from him and into trouble. Yet time after time the Lord responded to their cries and rescued them.

Now we will see God giving his people a king to lead them. But at first the story is just the same – Saul starts out so well, with a desire to serve God. But over time he too falls away. But then comes David – once again the least likely person for God to choose. And in defeating Goliath, we see a picture of what 1000 years later Jesus was to do – taking on the giant of sin which had enslaved us and bringing us freedom.

Don't forget that you can share the things God has been teaching you on our E100 board.

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

9.00 am Holy Communion

Denied - John 18:12-27

10.45 am Family Worship

Denied - John 18:12-27

6.30 pm Evening Praise

Spirit - John 16:5-16

(Tea/coffee served from 6.00 pm)



Missionary Support Sunday

Next Sunday 20th March will be one of our Missionary support Sundays. There will be envelopes available to support the Leprosy Mission.

Refreshments at 6.30 pm services

For the last year or more we have served coffee and cake before our 6.30 pm service. It will be helpful to know from our regular 6.30 pm congregation if this is something you appreciate having, or whether you'd be happy to go back to not having any refreshments.

If you do think this is a good idea to have coffee and cake before the service, would you willing to go on a rota to do this - it would be good if different people could look after it one Sunday each month.

Please let Peter or Graham know what you think.

LENT LUNCHES

Once again this year we will be meeting with Christians from other Moreton churches during Lent. We meet on Tuesdays at Sacred Heart Social Club, starting with a short service at 12.00 noon, followed by a light lunch.

Men's Breakfast

Men please sign up today on the list at the back of the Church for the Men's breakfast on Saturday morning. Thank you.