COLLECT: Almighty God, you have made us for yourself, and our hearts are restless till they find their rest in you: pour your love into our hearts and draw us to yourself, and so bring us at last to your heavenly city where we shall see you face to face; 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

Prayer this week.

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those unable to join us:

Mabel Raffe, Margaret Carlyle, Vera Beecroft, and Ada Johnston

Those sick or recovering from operations:

Wendy Martindale, Pat Rowland, Jean Watts, Neil Cowin (Lynn Hindle's brother), Margaret Yates, Baby Pippa & her parents Anna & Mark.

Those Bereaved:

For the family and friends of Evelyn Wearing, Ellen Coan, Margaret Mcloughlin, Lorna Nolan & Elizabeth Mathieson recently bereaved

PRAYER DIARY

The Prayer Diary is now available. Please take one and pray for one another regularly each day.

How to get in touch



Celebrating 150 years

SUNDAY 22ND SEPTEMBER 2013

Welcome

If you're new visiting today we hope vou feel at home. Please visit the Welcome Desk if you'd like to know more about who we are and what we do as a church. If you

Today's Services

9.00 am Morning Prayer - God our Teacher (*Psalm 19*)

10.00 am Church Family Breakfast

10.45 am New School Year Celebration God our Teacher - (*Psalm 19*)

6.30 pm Evening Praise - The Big Issue
There should be no poor among you
(Deut 15:4)

haven't filled in a Welcome Card yet please do so.

Refreshments

If you can then please stay after the morning service for refreshments of tea or coffee. Refreshments will be served at 6.00 pm prior to the evening service.

Prayer Ministry

Would you like prayer for something? Members of our Prayer Ministry Team are available to pray with you today.

Great is the Lord and most worthy of praise; his greatness no one can fathom. One generation will commend your works to another; they will tell of your mighty acts (Psalm 145:3-4)

WHAT'S ON

OPEN CHURCH

Christ Church opens its doors Monday to Friday from 12-1pm. Do make the most of this opportunity to have a place to be quiet and pray during the day.



'LIGHTHOUSE'



The 'Lighthouse' will be open each morning (except Thursday) from 9.00 until 12 noon. Please drop in.

Diary for the week: 22nd September – 29th September (Home Groups meet this week)

Monday - 8.50 am Morning Prayer

6.30 pm Pastoral Care Management Team

Saturday - 9.30 am Bible Study

SERVICES NEXT SUNDAY:

10.45 am Christ Church Together Communion Service
- God our Judge - (*Psalm 94*)

Please see Newsletter for regular activities



Thank you for that rendering of 'HAPPY BIRTHDAY' - Songs of Praise watch this space. Eileen Hughes

CHRIST CHURCH FINANCES:

Our financial figures for August.....

The cost of running the church and Parish Centre in August was £5,967, the income of the church was £5,294, leaving the church underfunded by approx £168 per week for the month of August.

So far this year the cost of running the Church and Parish Centre is £57,159, the income received so far is £51,136,

This means that if we are to continue our current services and activities our giving needs to increase by £170 per week.

HARVEST FESTIVAL



Donations for the flowers, fruit and vegetables to decorate the church for Harvest Festival will be gratefully received. Baskets will be available for monies in church today 22^{nd} & 29^{th} September. Many thanks from the Flower Arrangers. – Beryl Blackman.

LADIES LUNCH

Saturday 12th October - **12 – 2 pm**, Sandwiches/Cake, Fellowship/Speaker. Please sign the list at the back of the church. Thank you.



FOODBANK



After discussion with Wirral Foodbank we are hoping to open a Foodbank Distribution Centre for Moreton in the Parish Centre. Mandy Smith and Jane Fisher will be heading this up - please speak to them if you would like to know more.