

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. **Amen**



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moreton

SUNDAY 9TH MARCH 2014

Prayer this week. PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those unable to join us:

Mabel Raffe, Margaret Carlyle, Vera Beecroft & Pat Rowland

Those sick or recovering from operations:

Clifford Jones (Jane Fisher's dad), Pauline Evans,
Neil Cowin (Lynn Hindle's brother), Dawn Kilby & Margie Hooper

BEREAVED

For the family and friends of Ivor Edwards, Kathleen White,
Connie Burch, Bernard Steadman &
Anne Huggins (on the recent death of her Dad)

Foodbank

Pray for the Foodbank distribution and those involved

PRAYER DIARY

Please remember to pray for one another regularly each day.

How to get in touch

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Welcome

If you're new or visiting today we hope you 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 haven't filled in a Welcome Card yet please do so. We welcome children to join in Sunday Club during our 10.45 am service.

Refreshments

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

Prayer Ministry

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

Today's Services

9.00 am Morning Prayer - Jesus on.....himself
(Matthew 12:15-21)

10.45 am Family Communion - Jesus on.....himself
(Matthew 12:15-21)

6.30 pm **Praise!**

"Trust in the Lord with all your heart and lean not on your own understanding; in all your ways submit to him and he will make your paths straight". (Proverbs 3:5-6)

WHAT'S ON

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 Monday & Tuesday mornings (from 9.00 am until 12 noon). Please drop in.

OPEN CHURCH



Diary for the week 9th - 16th March 2014 (Home Groups meet this week)

Monday	-	8.50 am Morning Prayer
Tuesday	-	7.30 am Prayer Meeting in the Parish Centre 7.45 pm PCC Meeting (in Parish Centre)
Wednesday	-	12.00 Lent Lunch
Saturday	-	9.00 am Men's Breakfast 12 – 2.00 pm Ladies Lunch

SERVICES NEXT WEEK:

9.00 am Holy Communion - Jesus on....what is really important
(*Matthew 19:16-26*)

10.45 am Parade Service

6.30 p.m Café Church - What would Jesus say to Elise Christie

Please see Newsletter for regular activities

CHURCH CLEANING ROTA

Please note there is a new rota in your pigeon hole as we have added some more people to help with the cleaning. Please note this replaces the last rota you were given. Thanks.

MAKING THE MOST OF LENT

Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind. Matthew 22:37

- Today is the last chance to visit our bookstall – there are still some good books for Lent reading as well as looking forwards to Easter.
- A couple of years ago many of us used 'Lent for Everyone : Mark' by Tom Wright. This year his book of Lent readings on Matthew (Lent for Everyone : Matthew) is available free on-line through 'YouVersion'. You can find it at <https://www.bible.com/en-GB/reading-plans/83-lent-for-everyone>, and can either read it through the YouVersion app on your phone, or have it e-mailed to you daily.
- Christian publisher IVP produce daily devotional Lent readings – get them e-mailed daily from <http://www.t\hinkivp.com/lent>
- We will be meeting for prayer in the Parish Centre at 7.30 am each Tuesday through Lent.
- Moreton Churches Together Lent lunches start this Wednesday in the Parish Centre – 12.00 noon for a short service, followed by a soup lunch.

FOODBANK DONATIONS

We have been approached by several Christ Church members about donating cash to the foodbank, if you would prefer to make a financial donation as an alternative to donating food (as tinned food can be heavy to carry) then there will be a small box placed at the back of church for your donations, this money will be used by our church to provide bread, tin openers and other items that are not provided by the Wirral Foodbank but we feel are much needed. All food donations for the foodbank should be placed in the foodbank box at the parish centre.

Thanks - Jane & Mandy.

ELECTORAL ROLL

Today is your last day for filling in an Electoral Roll form if you haven't done so already.