

COLLECT:

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; 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

MORNING & EVENING PRAYER

If you would like to be part of morning or Evening prayer using your computer, tablet or phone please, contact the office.

Morning Prayer starts at 8.30 am Monday to Friday

Evening prayer starts at 5.30 pm on Tuesdays and Thursdays.

Prayer this week. PLEASE PRAY FOR:

Those sick or recovering from operations:

Beryl Airey, Margaret Yates and Joanne Little.

The bereaved:

Please pray for the family and friends of Samuel North, Sally Kinnaird, Marion Cousins (Graham's Mum) & Sylvia Clarke

Mission:

Wirral Ark and Charles Thompson Mission—To provide housing and support for the homeless in and around Birkenhead. They also feed the homeless people of the area.

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7th March 2021

Following advice from the Church of England we are unable to hold our regular Sunday services. However we are able to live stream our 10.45 am service for those who are able to log in,

SERVICE TODAY

**10.45 am Morning service—Why Jesus? -
Two meals** Mark 14:1-26

not open for visitors but available by live stream
at

www.christchurchmoreton.org.uk/live

1.30 pm Said Holy Communion
1 Corinthians 1:18-25 & John 2:13-22

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Mothering Sunday 14th March

10.45 am Family service

1.30 pm Said Holy Communion
Ephesians 2:1-10 & John 3:14-21

see our website for details. The 10.45 am is a live stream service only, not for personal attendance. The 1.30 pm service is for visitors but please book your seat with the office in advance.

PRAYER MINISTRY

You can email your prayers to sayoneforme@christchurchmoreton.org.uk or at the 'covid-19 update' section of the website or telephone the office (0151 604 0049) and we can be praying for you via our team on the prayer chain.



VERSE FOR THE WEEK

The most important commandment," answered Jesus, "is this: 'Hear, O Israel: The Lord our God, the Lord is one. Love the Lord your God with all your heart and with all your soul and with all your mind and with all your strength.' The second is this: 'Love your neighbour as yourself. There is no commandment greater than these.'"

Mark 12:29-31

READINGS FOR THIS WEEK

Monday 8th March	Psalm 5	John 7:37-52
Tuesday 9th	Psalm 9	John 7:5-8:11
Wednesday 10th	Psalm 38	John 8:12-30
Thursday 11th	Psalm 56	John 8:31-47
Friday 12th	Psalm 22	John 8:48-end
Saturday 13th	Psalm 31	John 9:1-17

HOME GROUPS

Our home groups meet this week, so here are this week's reading and a couple of questions. Even if you are not in a home-group, why not use those as something to think and pray about – maybe share your thoughts with someone else at Christ Church.

READ Mark 14:1-26

- What different motives can you see in the people at Simon the Leper's?
- What does this tell you about the importance of commitment to worship and care for the poor?
- What difference does taking the bread and wine at communion make to you?

BISHOP KEITH

The diocese will bid farewell to Bishop Keith as he retires with a service at Chester Cathedral at 3.00 pm on Sunday 7th March. Sadly, the current limitations on social distancing mean that the numbers who can be present in the building will be strictly limited, but the service will be streamed. If you would like to give your support to Bishop Keith in prayer and fellowship then you can find the service here:

<https://youtu.be/frfGWfo2ykE>



HAPPY BIRTHDAY

Belated Happy Birthday to Pauline Evans who celebrated her birthday last Thursday.

WALKING AIDS AND WHEELCHAIR

We have the offer of some walking aids and a wheelchair if anyone would have use of these please contact the office.

PCC MEETING

Please pray for our PCC as they meet up on Tuesday night as they look forward into preparing church for the future.

THANK YOU

Thank you to everyone who donated both goodies and cash to send over to Arrowse Hospital. They really appreciated our thoughts and prayers and the lovely treats they received.

