



Crafters with their hats for babies in Africa (Pg1)



Christ Church Fulwood

July & August 2014



Church Walk up
Pendle



60p

Christ Church

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Church Hall The Church Hall is available for hire, particularly for weekly/monthly events. Contact: Margaret Brown, Colebatch 07926 374863
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Services at Christ Church

Sunday Worship	8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
	10.30am	Holy Communion (1 st , 3 rd & 4 th Sundays in the month)
		Family Service (2 nd Sunday)
		Morning Prayer (BCP) (5 th Sunday)
	6.30pm	Evening Prayer (BCP)
		Holy Communion (BCP) (4 th Sunday in the month)

Weekday Services	9.00am	Morning Prayer each Tues, Wed & Thur during term time
	10.30am	Holy Communion every Thursday
	7.00pm	Evening Prayers each Thursday during term-time

Baptism, Confirmation, Marriages & Funerals

All by arrangement with Brian, the Vicar (Tel: 719210)

Visiting The Vicar is always ready to visit the sick at home or in hospital, or anyone else who needs his help. Please inform him if there is anyone you know who would appreciate a visit - a written note is especially helpful. Shirley Duggan & Hilda Waring (Our Pastoral Assistants) are also available to visit the housebound (contact details - inside front cover).

What's on at Christ Church - activities are mainly in the Church Hall.

Parochial Church Council	Normally meets in the Vestry at 7.00pm on the 2 nd Monday in Jan, March, May, July, Sept & Nov.	
Choir Practice	9.45am	each Sunday in Church (except 2 nd Sundays)
Junior Church	10.30am	Sundays in Church (term time) then in the Hall
Pathfinders	10.30am	Sundays in Church (term time) then in the Hall
Rainbows	5.30pm	Tuesdays in term time in the Hall
Brownies	6.00pm	Tuesdays in term time in the Hall
Guides	7.00pm	Tuesdays in term time in the Hall
Youth Club	7.45pm	Mondays in term time at St Cuthbert's
Parent & Toddlers	10.00am	Mondays in term time (to 11.30am) in the Hall
Crafters & Needleworkers	2.00pm	Thursdays in Church
Crossway	7.30pm	3 rd Thursday each month (not July & August) in Hall
H.O.P.E. Group	7.15pm	for 7.30pm, 1 st & 3 rd Wednesdays each month, in Vestry

Magazine

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Church Events in July 2014 . . .

Tues	1 July	9.00am	Morning Prayer Service Church (each Tu, Wed, Th)
		7.00pm	Parish Development Group in the Vestry
Wed	2 July	7.30pm	HOPE group meets in the Vestry, all welcome (Pg5)
Thur	3 July	10.30am	Holy Communion Service in Church (each Thurs)
		7.00pm	Evening Prayers in Vestry (to 7.30pm)
Sun	6 July	10.30am	Young people in Church before JChurch/Pathfinders
Tues	8 July	7.30pm	Banner Makers meet in Church (see below)
Fri	11 July	1.10pm	Crossway Trip to 'Stones & Roses' Garden (Pg5)
Sun	13 July	10.30am	Junior & Infant Church Family Service inc. Parade
		12 noon	Ch Sports & Sausage Sizzler Kennington Sch Field (Pg5)
Mon	14 July	7.00pm	P.C.C. in Vestry followed by
		8.00pm	Refreshments
Wed	16 July	7.30pm	HOPE group meets in the Vestry, all welcome (Pg5)
Sat	19 July	11.00am	Service @ Cathedral for Retirement of Bishop of Burnley
Tues	22 July	9.00am	NO Morning Prayer Services Church (school holidays)
Sun	20 July		NO Junior Church or Pathfinders (school holiday)
Tues	22 July	7.30pm	Induction of Rev Shaun Baldwin @ St John, Broughton
Sun	27 July		NO Junior Church or Pathfinders (school holiday)

**. . . and in August 2014**

Sun	3 Aug		NO Junior Church or Pathfinders THIS MONTH
Tues	5 Aug	9.00am	NO Morning Prayer Services Church THIS MONTH
Thur	7 Aug	10.30am	Holy Communion Service in Church (each Thurs)
		7.00pm	Evening Prayers in Vestry (to 7.30pm)

Forward Notice for September

Fri 26 Sept am Coffee Morning for Macmillan Nurses in Hall (below)

Macmillan Coffee Morning in September On Friday 26th Sept there will be a coffee morning for Macmillan Nurses in the Hall, more details in the Sept. Magazine. Please look up your favourite cake recipes, all donations welcome for this worthy charity. [Angela Crook]

Banner to celebrate our Church's 150 year anniversary: if you would like to help us make our banner, by hand sewing, please meet in Church on Tues 8th July at 7.30pm when we'll be having a practice session; it would be helpful if you would please sign up at the back of Church.

HAPPY !!!

Pharrell Williams has a very popular up-beat song in the Charts called Happy! One line says - **"Clap along if you feel like happiness is the Truth."**

Jesus desires happiness for us but how can we achieve it?

I think we all know that happiness is not always achieved by the things that we have but by the people that we are. Jesus outlined true happiness in what we know as the Beatitudes. The Good News version of the Bible (Matthew Ch.5) describes them as "The happys" ! See what you think !



- 3 "Happy are those who know they are spiritually poor; the Kingdom of heaven belongs to them!
- 4 "Happy are those who mourn; God will comfort them!
- 5 "Happy are those who are humble; they will receive what God has promised!
- 6 "Happy are those whose greatest desire is to do what God requires; God will satisfy them fully!
- 7 "Happy are those who are merciful to others; God will be merciful to them!
- 8 "Happy are the pure in heart; they will see God!
- 9 "Happy are those who work for peace; God will call them his children!
- 10 "Happy are those who are persecuted because they do what God requires; the Kingdom of heaven belongs to them!
- 11 "Happy are you when people insult you and persecute you and tell all kinds of evil lies against you because you are my followers.
- 12 "Be happy and glad, for a great reward is kept for you in heaven."



Love and prayers and a Happy Summer
Brian



Hats for babies in Africa - Kate Fletcher was working as a doctor in Africa and realised that, at the Centre, hats were needed for small babies. Through Mary an approach was made to the Crafters and some of their 'craft' is shown in the photo (back cover). This is on-going, thanks to all !!

Sunday Worship in July



6th July

8.00 a.m.

10.30 a.m.

3rd Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (BCP)

Welcome: Phil James & Michelle Jordan

Intercessions: Adam and Cathy Thomas

Bread & Wine: Phyl Rhodes & Rachel Pitches

Communion Assistant: Lisa Rogerson

Readings: Rom. 7. 15-25a David Dunsmore

Matt. 11. 16-19, 25-30 Adrienne Clarkson

Hymns: 262, 091, 0226, 239

6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer Welcome: Julia Laing

Readings: 2 Sam. 2. 1-11; 3. 1 Julia Laing

Luke 18.31-19.10 Margaret McGuire

Hymns: 201, 7 Psalm: 57

13th July

8.00 a.m.

10.30 a.m.

4th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (BCP)

Family Service with Church Parade led by Junior Church

Welcome: Adrienne Clarkson & Joyce Masterton

Reading: to come Rachel Pitches

Hymns: to come

6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer Welcome: Julia Laing

Readings: 2 Sam. 7. 18-end Brent Sutton

Luke 20. 1-8 Karen Sutton

Hymns: 199, 9 Psalm: 60

Junior Church



Flowers in Church

Thur 3 July Barbara Barber & Judith Rawson
 Thur 10 July Shirley Duggan & Hillary Catchpole
 Thur 17 July Alison Tait & Jean Clementson
 Thur 24 July Hillary Catchpole & Evelyn Sharrock
 Thur 31 July Joyce Masterton & Alison Tait

24th August

8.00 a.m.

10.30 a.m.

10th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (BCP)

Welcome: George Tait & Sue McConkey

Intercessions: Brian / Emma

Bread & Wine: John & Janette Fletcher

Communion Assistant: Ken Curphey

Readings: Isa. 51. 1-6

Michael Lenton

Matt. 16. 13-20

Elsie Lenton

Hymns: 170, 024, 0234, 422

12.30pm Baptism

6.30 p.m.

Evening Prayer

Welcome: Paul Jordan

Readings: 2 Kings 6. 8-23

Paul Jordan

Acts 17. 15-end

Brian McConkey

Hymns: 259, 16

Psalm: 95

BAPTISM



31st August

8.00 a.m.

10.30 a.m.

11th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (BCP)

Welcome: John Marler & Jean Preston

Readings: Rom. 12. 9-end

Joan Curphey

Matt. 16. 21-end

Ken Curphey

Hymns: 336, 131, 113, 356

6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer

Welcome: Paul Jordan

Readings: 2 Kings 6. 24-25; 7. 3-end Brent Sutton

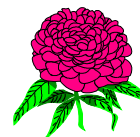
Acts 18. 1-16

Karen Sutton

Hymns: 128, 18

Psalm: 105. 1-15

Flowers in Church



Thur 7 Aug Hillary Catchpole & Jean Clementson
 Thur 14 Aug Barbara Barber & Judith Rawson
 Thur 21 Aug Alison Tait & Joyce Masterton
 Thur 28 Aug Shirley Duggan & Jean Clementson

Refreshment Rota

Sun 3 August Rachel Pitches & Phyl Rhodes
 Sun 10 August Doris Sellers & Adrienne Clarkson
 Sun 17 August Elizabeth Bailey & Viki Cuthbertson
 Sun 24 August Alice Kitembo & Sue Walsh
 Sun 31 August Tracy Worswick & Irene Hurst



Sunday Worship in August



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3rd August

7th Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30 a.m. Holy Communion - Welcome: Paul Koziarski & Sue Walsh

Intercessions: Mary Fletcher
Bread & Wine: Jean Preston & Bill Seddon
Communion Assistant: Shirley Duggan



Readings: Isa. 55. 1-5 Gwynneth Greenwood
Matt. 14. 13-21 Ian Greenwood

Hymns: 192, 025, 034, 0210

6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer Welcome: Paul Jordan

Readings: 1 Kings 10. 1-13 Michael Higgins
Acts 13. 1-13 Paul Jordan

Hymns: 448, 12 Psalm: 80. 1-8, 9-end

10th August

8th Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30 a.m. All Age Holy Communion H.C. Assistant: Chris Hedley

Welcome: John & Elizabeth Bailey

Hymns & Readings: to come Margaret Harrison & Irene Hurst

6.30 p.m. Evening Prayer Welcome: Paul Jordan

Readings: 1 Kings 11.41-12.20 Karen Sutton
Acts 14. 8-20 Brent Sutton

Hymns: 164, 13 Psalm: 86



17th August

9th Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m. Holy Communion (BCP)
10.30 a.m. Holy Communion (Rev'd John Darch) Welcome: Bob & Viki C.

Intercessions: Brian / Emma

Bread & Wine: Jean Clementson & Irene Hurst

Communion Assistant: Hilda Waring

Readings: Rom. 11. 1-2a, 29-32 Alex Dunsmore
Matt. 15. 21-28 Jane Dunsmore

Hymns: 0418, 0373, 70, 431

6.30 p.m. **Holy Communion (BCP)** Welcome: Paul Jordan

Readings: 1 Cor. 10. 1-13 Paul Jordan
Luke 16. 1-9 Margaret McGuire

Hymns: 49, 15

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20th July

8.00 a.m.

10.30 a.m.

5th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (BCP)

Holy Communion Welcome: Jim & Linda Clare

Intercessions: Joan & Ken Curphey

Bread & Wine: Bob & Vicki Cuthbertson

Communion Assistant: Joan Curphey

Readings: Rom. 8. 12-25 David Rhodes

Matt. 13. 24-30, 36-43 Sue McConkey

Hymns: 028, 01, 247, 305

12.30pm Baptism

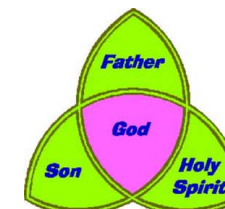
6.30 p.m. **Holy Communion (BCP)** Welcome: Margaret Ghori

Readings: 1 Pet. 3. 8-15a Margaret Ghori

Luke 5. 1-11 Brian McConkey

Hymns: 343, 10

BAPTISM



27th July

8.00 a.m.

10.30 a.m.

6th Sunday after Trinity

Holy Communion (BCP)

Holy Communion Welcome: Margaret Brown & Graham Hickey

Intercessions: Hilda Waring

Bread & Wine: Joyce Masterton & Marie Wylie

Communion Assistant: Alison Tait

Readings: 1 Kings 3. 5-12 Steve Hedley

Matt. 13. 31-33, 44-52 Chris Hedley

Hymns: 012, 0289, 0195, 230

6.30 p.m. **Evening Prayer**

Welcome: Margaret Ghori

Readings: 1 Kings 6. 11-14, 23-end Brent Sutton

Acts 12. 1-17 Karen Sutton

Hymns: 473, 11 Psalm: 76

Refreshment Rota

Sun 6 July Mary Fletcher & Marie Wylie

Sun 13 July Chris Banik, Margaret Brown, Mary Fletcher
Doris Sellers & Bev Worgan

Sun 20 July Sue Cameron & Katie McCormack

Sun 27 July Margaret Harrison & Sue Wright



Christian Baptism 'We welcome you'

- 18th May Ada Olivia **WHYTE**
Parents: Oliver and Nichola, Leyland
(formerly of Fulwood)
- 25th May Jude Alexander **McCOOKE**
Parents: Glen and Hayley, Blackburn
- 25th May Saul Gregson **FONTENELL**
Parents: Greson and Claire, Shire Bank Cres.



Christian Funeral 'In Christ all will be brought to life'

John **DICKSON** Clayton Cottage, Sharoe Green Ln died 6th May
There was a great turn-out at Goosnargh Church for the funeral service of John Dickson. John was an electrical engineer but was best known for his role in the family business known as "Yates' Wine Lodge". He had a great reputation and a very high standing within the wine trade. He is survived by his wife Judith and children Ann, Christopher and Michael.

15th May Olive **DIXON** Harrison Road died 8th May
Olive was a Preston girl through and through. She worked at Siemens as a "Filament Winder". Her late husband was called Bert. Although she had no children of her own she was always surround by children especially her nephews Brent & Paul and their children.

Martha **BAMBER** formerly of Fulwood died 15th May
(more recently at Stocks Hall Nursing Home, Burscough)
Martha was affectionately known as Mattie and was a seamstress; she also made family wedding dresses and clothes. Tributes were paid by nieces Pat and Sue. Martha's funeral service was held at the Crematorium.

John Kenneth **BEECH** Sherwood Court died 15th May
John's daughter Mandy is a colleague of Brian's in his Vocation work. Mandy moved her father to Fulwood, following his diagnosis, where he died peacefully. Coming from Birmingham he worked as a Quality Control Officer for the famous Cadbury firm at Bourneville. He was a very well respected Churchman in his own church in Selly Oak. John's funeral service was held at the Crematorium.



Crossway



Our May meeting was fascinating when Angela Danby told us about her life as a journalist with the Southport Herald - hopefully we'll hear part 2 next year sometime.

On Friday 11th July we are having our coach trip to 'Stones and Roses' Garden, at White Coppice including a 'Cream Tea' and Organ Recital. The cost is £16 each, there are still a few remaining places so if you'd like to join us please sign up at the back of Church before the end of June; just a reminder to those who are going - we'll meet on Watling St. Rd., near the Mosque, by 1.10pm.



THANK YOU

- a very big thank you for all the cards and good wishes sent to Jiten during his recovery from the heart attack. They were very much appreciated by both of us. [Christine & Jiten]

Hall4All

Although there was an open day in the Hall in April to show progress on improvements to the Church hall, work still continues to update and upgrade our facilities. We have again been fortunate to receive grant funding from the Lancashire Environment Fund to refurbish the kitchen and the hall boiler system, to a limit of £15,000. Similarly we thank County Councillor Frank De Molfetta for facilitating a County Council grant of £300 to purchase a new fridge in the kitchen. Work will be taking place over the next few months and we hope to cause minimum inconvenience to users of the hall during this period. [Keith Cameron]



Sports & Sausage Sizzler - 12noon Sunday 13th July

Currently in our Junior Church we have a lot in the Infant Department so instead of our Evening Sportsnight which can get a bit late we are having a **Sausage Sizzler** on **Kennington School Field** following the Parade Service on **July 13th**. We can access the Field from 12.00 and hope to finish at 3.00. There will fun and games and a few old Sports night favourites! **ALL ARE WELCOME**. A special Invite will be sent via Junior Church in the coming weeks. [Junior Church Team]



HOPE Group

Thurs 2nd July - theme 'Mary and Martha'

Thurs 16th July - theme 'Hope'

We will then have a break during August and start a new term on 3rd Sept. **If anyone wants to see more detail of the content** of the next meeting please see the church web-site: <http://www.christchurchfulwood.org>

HOPE