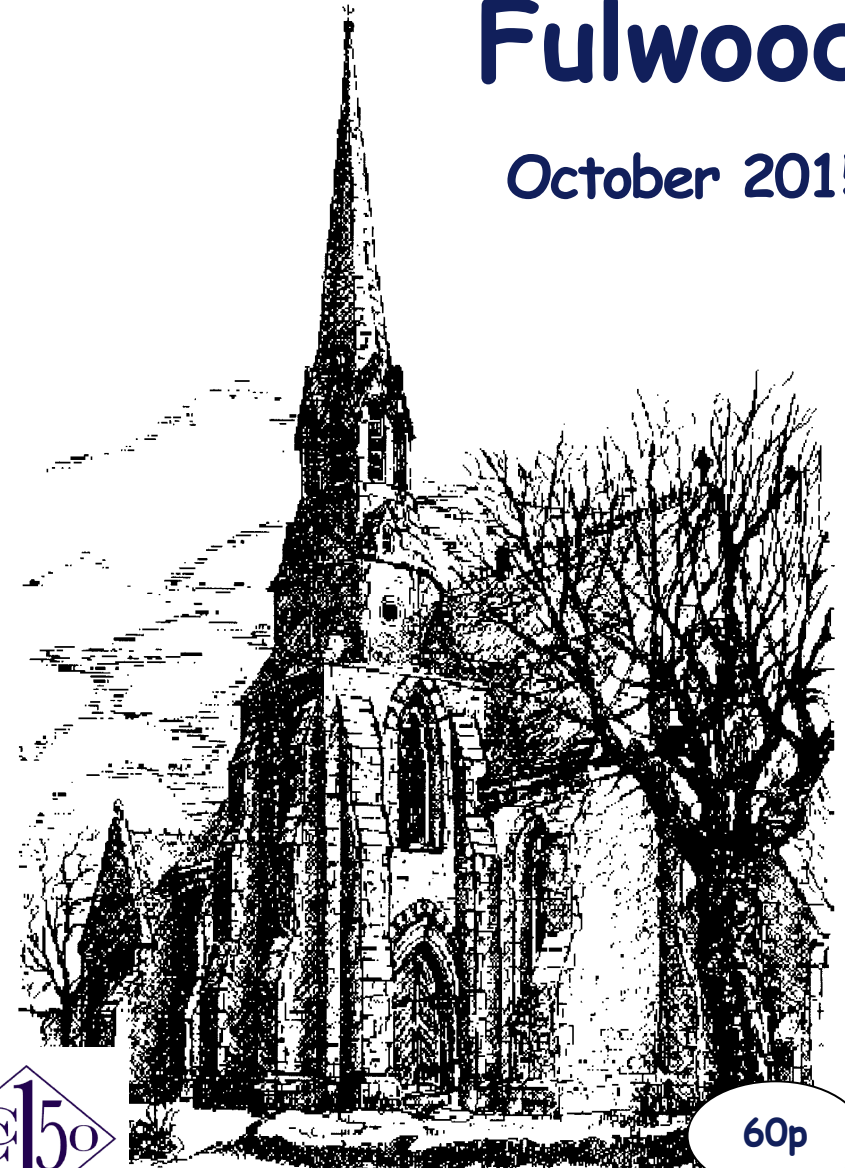




**Phil ordained at  
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(Brian, Bishop Julian & Phil)

# Christ Church Fulwood

October 2015



60p

*Junior Church & Pathfinder event.*

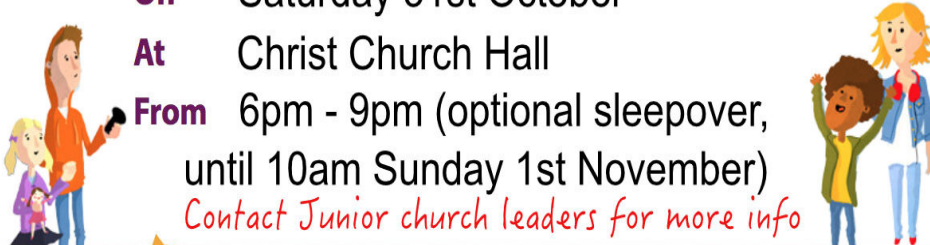
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## Christ Church

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<b>Rainbow Guider</b>	Claire Haworth	Cleveleys	Tel: 07970 297216
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<b>Parent &amp; Toddler Group</b>	Rev Brian McConkey	Vicarage Close	Tel: 719210

**Church Hall** The Church Hall is available for hire, particularly for weekly/monthly events. **Contact:** Margaret Brown, Colebatch Tel: 07926 374863  
or Tel: 717008  
or Sue Cameron, Victoria Rd Tel: 717304  
or Parish Office at the Church Hall Tel: 875823

## Services at Christ Church

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

**Weekday Services:** Prayers in the Vestry/Church (during term time):  
Monday - 12:00noon; Tuesday - 9:00pm; Wednesday - 7:00am; Friday - 9:00am  
Thursday: 10.30am Holy Communion and 7.00pm Evening Prayers

## 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. Hilda Waring (our Pastoral Assistant) is 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<sup>nd</sup> Monday in Jan, March, May, July, Sept & Nov.

**Choir Practice** 9.45am each Sunday in Church (except 2<sup>nd</sup> 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** 2.00pm Thursdays in the Vestry  
**HOPE Group** 7.15 for 7.30pm 1<sup>st</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> Wednesdays each month, in the Vestry  
**Crossway** 7.30pm 3<sup>rd</sup> Thursday each month (not July & August) in Hall

## Magazine

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## Church Events in October 2015

Weekday Prayers in Church - see inside back cover & Pg 7			
Thur	1 Oct	10.30am	Holy Communion Service in Church (each Thurs)
Sat	3 Oct	12noon	Marriage Blessing in Church
Sun	4 Oct	10.30am	Young people in Church before JChurch/Pathfinders
		2.30pm	<b>Messy Church</b> - see Pg4 - sign up in Church or phone Emma
Mon	5 Oct	7.45pm	Youth Club at St Cuthbert's (each Monday)
		7.30pm	Discipleship - discussion mtg in Vestry
Wed	7 Oct	7.30pm	HOPE Group meets in the Vestry - see Pg 6
Thur	8 Oct	11.30am	CTFB at Christ Church - Prayers followed by mtg
		7.45pm	Deanery Standing Committee in Vestry
Sun	11 Oct	10.30am	<b>Harvest</b> Sunday - Family Service & Church Parade
		10.30am	HC Service at St Alban's Church, Barracks
Mon	12 Oct	7.30pm	Prayers for Mission at St Cuthbert's (see Pg7)
Thur	15 Oct		Brian's 1 <sup>st</sup> mtg of the College of Canons (at Cathedral)
		7.30pm	Crossway meets in the Hall - see Pg 6
Fri	16 Oct	10.00am	Cake and Company in Hall to 12 noon- all welcome (Pg6)
Sun	18 Oct	10.30am	Young people in Church before JChurch/Pathfinders
Mon	19 Oct	lunch	Preston Church leaders - mtg with Brian at Church
		7.00pm	Parish Development Group meets in the Vestry
Wed	21 Oct	7.30pm	HOPE Group meets in the Vestry - see Pg 6
Thur	22 Oct	7.45pm	Open mtg to continue discussion on Healing Services
Sun	25 Oct	<del>10.30am</del>	NO Junior Church/Pathfinders (school holiday)
Mon - Fri			NO Services of Prayer this week (half-term)
Mon	26 Oct	<del>7.45pm</del>	NO Youth Club at St Cuthbert's (school half-term)
Sat	31 Oct	6.00pm	<b>Celebration of Light</b> , etc (see poster Pg5 & back cover)

### Forward Notice for November (and December)

Sun	1 Nov	6.30pm	Special <b>ALL SOULS Service</b> of Remembrance
Fri	20 <sup>th</sup> Nov - Sun 22 <sup>nd</sup> Nov		<b>PATRONAL Festival Weekend</b>
Thur	10 Dec	7.00pm	Crossway Christmas Get-Together

And finally . . 2 thoughts . .  
(authors unknown)

Happiness is not a  
destination,  
it's a way of life.

If you don't like  
something, change it.  
If you can't change it,  
change the way  
you think about it.

## Harvest Eagles

On Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> October we will be celebrating our annual Harvest Service. This seems to hold more significance this year as we consider the plight of refugees and those less fortunate than ourselves around the world. As a focus leading up to this service, we will be reflecting on and supporting the Bishop's Harvest Appeal which was launched by Bishop Julian to support people in Columbia and Malawi. We could also consider the story of "The Good Samaritan" as we ponder on what we should do to help others, no matter where they are in the world.

This year's appeal is for a Christian Aid partner 'Corambiente' in Colombia, where malnutrition affects 60% of the children. The appeal also supports Tearfund partner 'Eagles' in Malawi where unpredictable weather is reducing food production. *Eagles* is developing conservation agriculture which will help farmers to increase yields.

Leaflets and posters will be appearing within church soon with more details about this appeal and how we can contribute financially.

It may seem that given the present crisis of refugees in Europe that this is a small matter, yet action now may prevent others becoming destitute and becoming refugees in the future.

At our Harvest Service, we will collect food to be distributed to those within our community who are in need. Please could we request that donations are in tins or packets; no fresh fruit or vegetables please as it takes a few days for distribution and we don't want anything to go off!!

"Those who trust in the LORD will find new strength.

They will soar high on wings like eagles.

They will run and not grow weary.

They will walk and not faint."

(Isaiah 40:31)

With every blessing,  
**Phil**





# Sunday Worship in October

## 4<sup>th</sup> October 18th Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	
10.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	
	Welcome:	John & Elizabeth Bailey
	Intercessions:	Phil Maudsley
	Bread & Wine:	Margaret Brown & Doris Sellers
	Communion Assistant:	Chris Hedley
Readings:	Job 1.1 2: 1-10	Ian Greenwood
	Mark 10: 2-16	Gwynneth Greenwood
Hymns:	2, 017, 0368, 147	
6.30 p.m.	Evening Prayer (BCP) Welcome: Paul Jordan	
Readings:	Joshua 3: 7-end	Paul Jordan
	Matthew 10: 22	Brian McConkey
Hymns:	331, 12	Psalms: 125 & 126



## 11<sup>th</sup> October HARVEST Sunday

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	
10.30am	<b>HARVEST Family Service with Church Parade</b> (see Page 4)	
	Welcome:	Joan & Ken Curphey
Readings:	to come	Julia Laing/Joyce Masterton
Hymns:	to come	
6.30 p.m.	Evening Prayer (BCP) Welcome: Paul Jordan	
Readings:	Joshua 5:13- 6:20	Brent Sutton
	Matthew 11: 20-end	Karen Sutton
Hymns:	247(t. Kingsfold), 15	Psalms: 127

## Flowers in October

Thur 1 Oct	Joyce Masterton & Shirley Duggan
Thur 8 Oct	Full Team - Harvest
Thur 15 Oct	The flower group
Thur 22 Oct	The flower group
Thur 29 Oct	Full Team - All Souls

## Parish Prayers

I have been most encouraged by our new Parish Prayer Cycle with different people at the different slots and people fitting prayer around their busy lives. Please give one a try. Note that there are no prayers in Half Term Week. [Brian]

### **TIMES FOR PRAYER**

<b>Monday</b>	<b>12.00 noon</b>
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>9.00pm</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>7.00am</b>
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>7.00pm</b>
<b>FRIDAY</b>	<b>9.00am</b>

## A Call to Prayer - from Bishop Julian

Prayer is vital for Vision 2026, so in October 2015 there will be six events across Lancashire which will both outline the Vision and call the Diocese to prayer.



Combining teaching, different styles of prayer, worship and audio-visual, the evenings will be engaging and thought provoking for clergy and laity alike:

### Prayer evenings:

- Monday 5 October, St Paul, Scotforth
- Tuesday 6 October, St Leonard, Padiham
- Thursday 8 October, St Paul, Marton
- Monday 12 October, St Cuthbert, Fulwood, Preston**
- Tuesday 13 October, St Andrew, Leyland
- Thursday 15 October, Christ Church, Blackburn

All the prayer evenings begin at 7.30 and will end at 9pm [Mandy Stanton]

## Thank you - Appeal for the Refugees - Thank you

Thank you to all who responded to the sudden appeal for the Refugees at Calais. We heard quite late that one of the Preston Churches was collecting clothes, etc. for the refugees and transporting it all to Calais on 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. Our thanks to Mandy for publicising this in church and by email, but especially thanks to so many who donated items, Mandy was overwhelmed!! Mandy & Phil transferred it all to the Heritage Church on Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> Sept. **THANK YOU**





# What's happening in our PARISH

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## Crossway



We're delighted this month to welcome Malcolm Tranter as our speaker and presenter of 'Gardens of the North West'. Malcolm will take us on a visit to various gardens including **The Bodnant Gardens** in the Conway Valley, **Dunham Massey** in

Cheshire and as far north as **Holehird** in the Lake District. All the photos will be accompanied by suitable soothing music to set the scene. So please come along on Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm in The Church Hall - everyone is very welcome.

An advance notice for you - on Thursday 10<sup>th</sup> December we'll be having our annual Christmas get-together. Please put the date in your diary and more details will be in next month's magazine. ALL welcome!

## HOPE Group

**Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> Oct:** Fruits of the Spirit - the fruit of the Spirit is love, joy, peace, forbearance, kindness, goodness, faithfulness, gentleness and self-control. Against such things there is no law (Galatians 5:22-23).

What Fruits of the Spirit do we already see manifesting in our lives?

**Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct:** The Parable of the wheat and the weeds - what does it mean? Are there some "weeds" in our own lives that need attention? In what ways can we be the good seed of the kingdom in our world today?

Everyone is welcome to join in the discussion. Meet in the vestry at 7.15pm for a 7.30 start finishing at 9pm. We look forward to seeing you. For further information see the website or email Elizabeth on eabailey@blueyonder.co.uk

HOPE

## Cake & Company

Our next **Cake & Company** coffee morning drop in for adults is on **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> October**, 10am-12noon in the Church Hall. All are very welcome! [Chris Hedley]



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## 18<sup>th</sup> October 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	
10.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	
	Welcome:	Frank & June McCandlish
	Intercessions:	Chris Hartnett
	Bread & Wine:	Phil James & Mary James
	Communion Assistant:	Lisa Rogerson
Readings:	Hebrews 5: 1-10	Rachel Pitches
	Mark 10: 35-45	Graham Hickey
Hymns:	156, 01, 082, 336	
6.30 p.m.	Evening Prayer (BCP)	Welcome: Paul Jordan
Readings:	Joshua 14: 6-14	Paul Jordan
	Matthew 12: 1-21	Michael Higgins
Hymns:	123, 16	Psalm: 142

Remember:  
Clocks go back  
one hour

## 25<sup>th</sup> October Last Sunday after Trinity

8.00 a.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	
10.30 a.m.	Holy Communion	
	Welcome:	Brenda Woolley & Margaret Brown
	Intercessions:	Sue Walsh
	Bread & Wine:	Jane Campbell & Patsy Lister
	Communion Assistant:	Joan Curphey
Readings:	Job 42: 1-6, 10-end	Adrienne Clarkson
	Mark 10: 46-end	Phyl Rhodes
Hymns:	149, 04, 473, 0149	
6.30 p.m.	Holy Communion (BCP)	Welcome: Paul Jordan
Readings:	Ephesians 6: 10-20	Karen Sutton
	John 4: 46b-end.	Brent Sutton
Hymns:	55, 333	

## Refreshment Rota

Sun 4 Oct	Alice Kiembo & Sue Walsh
Sun 11 Oct	Sue Dewhurst & Joan Curphey
Sun 18 Oct	Tracy Worswick & Irene Hurst
Sun 25 Oct	Jane Dunsmore & Elsie Lenton



# REGISTERS

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## Christian Baptism 'We welcome you'

30<sup>th</sup> August Lauren Grace **WRIGHT**

Parents: Neil and Caroline, Shirebank Crescent

Harriet **ALDERSON**

Parents: Richard and Gemma, Lower Bank Rd.

13<sup>th</sup> September Cici Grace **HULL**

Parents: Neil and Amanda, Lytham Rd

Phoebe Alice **MOAT**

Parents: Ryan and Sarah, Church Rd Leyland

## Christian Wedding 'Joined in Christ'



29<sup>th</sup> August Ryan **MOAT** and Sarah **LLOYD**

Ryan and Sarah married on 29<sup>th</sup> August and it was a joy to have them back in Church on the 13<sup>th</sup> September for the Baptism of their daughter Phoebe.

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## Messy Church

**Messy Church** is on **Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> October**

in the Church Hall, 2.30pm - 4.30pm.

Names to Emma please

on Pr. 722948 or [christchurchreader@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:christchurchreader@hotmail.co.uk)

or just sign up at the back of Church.



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## FAIRTRADE - A Better Deal for Producers



Hello, this is Margaret Harrison your Fairtrade Representative. I am hoping that in the next month we will be able to re-affirm our Fairtrade Pledge to use Fairtrade Tea, Coffee and Sugar at all our Church events. I know that some of you choose to donate Tea or Coffee to



our Church Refreshments and this is very much appreciated but unfortunately it is not always Fairtrade. It would be really helpful if you could source Fairtrade products to maintain our commitment to this very worthwhile cause. There is a shelf of Fairtrade Tea and Coffee at the back of Church which you could purchase and donate to the Church resources and this would be very helpful. Thank you to you all for your continued support of Fairtrade at Christ Church. Remember every little helps.

Yours with love, Margaret Harrison

Junior Church & Pathfinder event.

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