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Weekly Notice Sheet: Jill Harley

Children & Youth Groups: Co-ordinator : Jacqueline Cunningham

Sunday Club: Lynn Threadgold or Anthony Greenhill

Treasure Chest: Anthony Greenhill

Pathfinders: Jenny Davies or Sam Hannah)

CYFA: Jacqueline; Graham Smith; Gill Smart

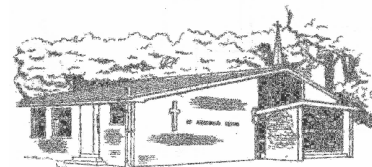
Service Teams: Green - Pat; Red - Barry; Blue - Marian.

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St. Elizabeth's Church Horwich



A PARTNER CHURCH IN THE HORWICH & RIVINGTON TEAM
COMMITTED TO THE SAVING GOOD NEWS OF JESUS CHRIST

8th November 2009
3rd before Advent

REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

10.00

SUNDAY SPECIAL

with an

ACT of REMEMBRANCE

Leader: Wendy Speaker: Anthony

Readings

Ps 97:1-9 (p.603)

I John 4:7-12 (p.1227)

18.30

HOLY COMMUNION

Leader & Speaker: Stephen

Readings

Isaiah 10:33-11:9 (p.696)

John 14:1-29 (p.1082)

Monday 9th

- 14.00 Meditation (St. Cath's)
19.30 Children & Youth Leaders
Training (see below)

Tuesday 10th

- 19.30 Eden Bus
19.30 Prayer meeting (St. Cath's)
19.30 Simply Christianity (3)
20.00 House Group (at Marian L)

Wednesday 11th

- 10.00 Holy Communion
10.45 Armistice Day Service
18.30 Treasure Chest
19.15 Healing Course (7)

Thursday 12th

- 19.00 Meditation (St. Elizabeth's)
20.00 House Group (BT)
20.00 CYFA

Saturday 14th

- 09.00 Men's Breakfast

FAMILY FUN DAY 2010

New year planning already! Put 23rd January in your diaries and keep it free for a mega day of fun for all the family. Ideas & offers of help to Gill please.



SHOEBOX CORNER

EMPTY SHOEBOXES

There are a few spare shoeboxes at the back of Church if anyone needs one or you could cover it for use at the warehouse.

FILLERS ALWAYS NEEDED

If you can't fill a shoebox on your own, you can still help by collecting one or two face cloths, toothpaste, soap or pens & pencils. There's a box in Church for loose items. Thank you.

MORE VOLUNTEERS?

It's all getting quite busy now so if you meant to volunteer and haven't yet, it's not too late. Please contact Dave Hawes on 01204 693727

LOOKING AHEAD!

Shoebbox & Toy Service - 22 Nov
Greenbank Communion - 23 Nov
Eucharistic Assts. Training - 24 Nov
Quiet Day (Heaton) - 28 Nov
H/T Walking Group - 1 Dec
Treasure Chest Trip - 2 Dec
Advent Prayer & Feasting - 5 Dec
Sunday Club Nativity - 13 Dec
Carol Service - 20 Dec

ARMISTICE DAY SERVICE

A Remembrance Day service is being held in the Mall of the Vue cinema at 10.45 am this Wednesday. This is being organised by the Chaplaincy group/CTH&R and welcomes everyone to come along. There is no service in Horwich as there has been in previous years. Please make yourselves known to the Wardens if you would like or can offer a lift.

WEBB IVORY 2009

Edith needs your orders for Webb Ivory **BY NEXT WEEK - 15th NOVEMBER.**

CHILDREN & YOUTH LEADERS

Reminder: The first training session for The Bishops Certificate in Children's Ministry will be held on Monday 9th November, 7.30 pm in church. Any other interested parties are welcome to attend. Please see Jacqueline.

SERVICES & EVENTS

15th November - 2nd before Advent

10.00

HOLY COMMUNION

Leader: Jacqueline Speaker: Tbc

Readings

Hebrews 10:11-14,19-25 (p.1208)

Mark 13:1-8 (p.1019)

18.30

SERVICE of the WORD

Leader & Speaker: Terry

Readings

Daniel 3:13-30 (p.886)

Matthew 13:24-30,36-43 (p.979)

Monday 16th

13.30 Monday Mix

14.00 Meditation (St. Cath's)

Tuesday 17th

19.30 Eden Bus

19.30 Prayer meeting (St. Cath's)

19.30 Simply Christianity (4)

Wednesday 18th

10.00 Holy Communion

18.30 Treasure Chest

19.15 Healing Course (8)

Thursday 19th

19.00 Meditation (St. Elizabeth's)

20.00 House Group (SJ)

20.00 CYFA

MEN'S FELLOWSHIP GROUP

There will be a Men's Breakfast in the Church Hall on Saturday 14 November at 9.00 am. Please sign the sheet at back of church for an idea of numbers; all very welcome for this time of fellowship.

SCOUTS CHRISTMAS POST

9th year running! Prices frozen due to the credit crunch! There will be a box in Church from Nov 29th to Dec 13th. Please ensure cards are correctly addressed including a postcode if possible. Can only deliver in Horwich

*Don't worry about anything; instead pray about everything; tell God your needs and **don't forget to thank Him for His answers.** Phil 4:6 (Living Bible)*

PLEASE PRAY FOR...THE RECENTLY BEREAVED: and all those remembering anniversaries at this time

...THE ELDERLY & HOUSEBOUND: Alice Carter, Annie Dale, Don Williams, Amy Harvey, Ivy Weaver, Jane Miller.

...THE SICK OF ST. ELIZABETH'S: David Croston, Jacqueline Cunningham, Doris Nicholls, Joan Kearsley, Vera Miller, Iris Thompson, Margaret Kay.

...THE SICK OF THE PARISH & BEYOND: May Shea (*Alison Green's mum*) Brenda Craston, Hayley Thompson (*Aubrey & Iris' granddaughter*), Tricia Beckley (*Margaret & Rick's daughter, awaiting results*), Tracie Porter (*Sheila's daughter-in-law*), Barbara & Gordon Saul (*best friends of the Watsons*), Vivien Dickinson (*Doreen Dennett's daughter*), Julia Bennett, Dawn Farrington, Donna McLoughlin (*Margaret's daughter*),.

NEWS & NOTICES

REP NEEDED for CHURCHES TOGETHER

Sheila Jones has been CTH & R rep. for several years now and wishes to take a break so we need another rep. Meetings are 5-6 times per year and this is a very interesting time to join this group and see how God is working through the Churches in Horwich. Thank you to Sheila for the years she has represented St. Elizabeth's and if anyone is interested please contact Shirley, our other rep.

CAROL SINGING at MIDDLEBROOK

On Thursday 19th November at 4 pm, at the entrance to the Vue cinema, members of all the Churches are invited to come and sing Carols for the Christmas Lights Switch On at Middlebrook, To keep you warm, the staff from Starbucks will come around with hot drinks. A group of young children will be there to sing with you and they need your support. Please make yourselves known to the Wardens if you would like or can offer a lift.

EUCCHARISTIC ASSISTANTS

Training for Eucharistic Assistants on Spirituality, Swine flu, Ministry...and the wonder of Grace, hosted by the Ven, David Bailey on Tue Nov 24th at Bolton Parish Church. Find out new guidelines and procedures. Coffee from 7 pm for 7.30 pm start . To book call Helen Fallone 0161 828 1411.

'PREPARE A WAY FOR THE LORD'

Rev Fliss Shaw is leading a 'Quiet Day' on Sat. Nov. 28th 10 am – 4 pm at Christchurch, Heaton. Drinks provided, but bring a packed lunch and £5 to cover costs. An opportunity for peace and quiet before the hustle and bustle of Christmas preparations swamps us, with time to experience different ways of praying and to reflect on what the coming of Christ means for us and for the world. Flyers available at the back of Church.

LIGHTING of the CIVIC CHRISTMAS TREE

Our new Methodist minister, Revd. Graham Smith will lead the celebration on the Crown roundabout on Friday 4th December at 6 pm. All welcome.

CELEBRATE ADVENT with PRAYER & FEASTING

As in previous years there will be an opportunity to respond to the call to prepare ourselves for the celebration of our Saviour's birth. There will be silence to sit and escape from the busyness of the day, time to engage with different approaches to prayer and time to challenge our thoughts and attitudes, followed by an Advent meal together. It will be on Saturday 5th December, from 9.30 am, in Church, with space for refreshments, relaxation, children & young people and later, our meal together, in the Hall. Please sign the sheet at the back of Church to help us with numbers. Donations for food will be invited on the day. See Mark Green or Jill Harley for more details.