#### **FOR OUR PRAYERS SICK:** Yvonne Longsden, Bill Gow,

Marlene Fitton, Debbie Cawley, Barry Tootill, Natalie Smethurst, Geraldine Euchus, Joy Butterworth, Iris Last, Connie Morris, Kathryn Morris, Susan Lumby, Hazel Robinson, Joyce Taylor, Ann Emmott; All in nursing homes, care homes or hospices; We also pray for anyone who is awaiting test results.

**RIP:** 23rd - Mark Finney, John Shaw, Clive Duxbury; 25th - Mary Cummins, Grace Baker; 26th - Edith Hulse, Robert Holt, Mike Mahney; 27th - Hugh & Eda Shaw, James Hilton; 28th - Byron Lees, Anne Crossland, Elsie Lowe, Askerton Cyrus

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## **Admission to Holy Communion** This year's First Communion preparation classes will be held on: Saturday, 11th October 9.15am - 3.45pm and Sunday, 12th October 2.15pm - 4.15pm with a service of Admission to Holy Communion on the evening of Sunday, 12th October at 6:00pm. Spaces are limited, so please complete the form on our website or use this link as soon as possible: https://forms.churchdesk.com/f/ 8gxB j3q9q If you have any questions do not hesitate to get in touch with Gillian - 0161 624 4560. We look forward to seeing you on **11th Oct.** Primary & Secondary School

Supplementary Forms

A gentle reminder to all parents and guardians about the system we use to help us complete **Primary and Secondary School Supplementary Forms**: For consistency and fairness, we ask you to sign in to record attendance, we use this data to complete the supplementary forms for all church schools. each church school sets its own admission's policy, and we encourage you to read the relevant policies to become

fully informed of the criteria that each school uses in the admission process. Whilst signing in may feel a little formal, we have found that this is the best way for us to treat everyone in the same way and be transparent in our administration of such an important process. If you have any questions, please see **Revd Liz** or **Margaret**.

# Welcome to St Matthew and St Luke, Chadderton

"Living out our call to share the Gospel in Faith, Hope and Love" 22nd June 2025 Corpus Christi HYMNS 12, 13, 714, 610, 622, 87, 408

## WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Sunday, 22nd 9:00am Tuesday, 24th 9:30am 12:30pm 2:00pm Thursday, 26th 9:45am 6:00pm 7:15pm Corpus Christi Choral Eucharist

Parent & Toddler Luncheon Club Drop In

Dressmaking All Age Worship Choir Practice



### Mothers' Union 5th July at 12:30pm Tea at St Anne's, Royton to celebrate 115 years of Mothers Tickets are £8:00 each from Val. Tuesday, 8th July at 7:30pm Branch Meeting in church. Highlights from Clare and Phil Clark's recent expedition to south America. Thursday, 10th July at 2:00pm Eucharist at St George, Mossley, followed by tea. For catering purposes please advise Val if you wish to attend. Tuesday, 22nd July at 7:30pm Archdeaconry Festival at St James', Milnrow.

Friday, 25th July at 11:00am Commissioning of Christine Sharp (previously our diocesan president) as Provincial President at York Minster. Please discuss with Val if you wish to attend. August Break - no meeting.

## **Prayer** Tree

Our prayer tree has raised £637:00 with the potential of a further £105:00 in gift aid towards our flower appeal. Thank you so much to everyone who donated.



# **First Reading Genesis 14. 18-20 A Reading from the Book of Genesis.** And King Melchizedek of Salem brought

And King Melchizedek of Salem brought out bread and wine; he was priest of God Most High. He blessed him and said, 'Blessed be Abram by God Most High, maker of heaven and earth; and blessed be God Most High,

who has delivered your enemies into your hand!'

And Abram gave him one-tenth of everything.

# Second Reading 1 Corinthians 11. 23-26 A Reading from Paul's First Letter to the Corinthians.

For I received from the Lord what I also handed on to you, that the Lord Jesus on the night when he was betrayed took a loaf of bread, and when he had given thanks, he broke it and said, 'This is my body that is for you. Do this in remembrance of me.' In the same way he took the cup also, after supper, saying, 'This cup is the new covenant in my blood. Do this, as often as you drink it, in remembrance of me.' For as often as you eat this bread and drink the cup, you proclaim the Lord's death until he comes.

# Gospel John 6. 51-58

# Hear the Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to John.

I am the living bread that came down from heaven. Whoever eats of this bread will live for ever: and the bread that I will give for the life of the world is my flesh.' The Jews then disputed among themselves, saying, 'How can this man give us his flesh to eat?' So Jesus said to them, 'Very truly, I tell you, unless you eat the flesh of the Son of Man and drink his blood, you have no life in you. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood have eternal life, and I will raise them up on the last day; for my flesh is true food and my blood is true drink. Those who eat my flesh and drink my blood abide in me, and I in them. Just as the living Father sent me, and I live because of the Father, so whoever eats me will live because of me. This is the bread that came down from heaven, not like that which your ancestors ate, and they died. But the one who eats this bread will live for ever.'

If you have an item that you wish to be added to the pew sheet, please email the relevant information by 6:00pm on Thursday to: helencrabtree.church@gmail.com

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