#### The Radcliffe Team Ministry

Parish of St Mary

and

Parish of St Thomas and St John with St Philip's Community Centre

#### **NOTICES THIS WEEK**

Sunday 21 September 2025 Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist

#### Sunday

Eucharist at St Mary's: President and Preacher - Revd Margaret Trivasse; 9:30am followed by light refreshments 11:00am Eucharist at St Thomas and St John's: President and Preacher - Revd Margaret Trivasse; followed by light refreshments PLEASE see Carol Smith with clean jam jars or small jars (mustard, mint size) PLEASE see sign-up sheet in church for tickets for 11 October Harvest Lunch, or see Marilyn TOMMY and his fellow travellers are back home having travelled 840 miles. Pauline will be on hand and happy to collect your sponsorship money. St TJ's's church is open as Heritage Weekend continues, ending at ... 1:00pm 4:00pm **Songs of Praise** to conclude St Thomas and St John's Heritage Weekend THANKS to Jim Needham playing at both services at St Thomas and St John's today

#### The week ahead

Wednesday (24 <sup>th</sup> )	10:00am 1:45pm	Service of the Word at St TJ's; followed by light refreshments Funeral in church of Carole Blunt
Thursday (25 <sup>th</sup> )	7:30pm	Bury and Radcliffe Bible Society Action Group has its Annual Celebration today at Bury URC – see poster. Bishop Matthew will be the keynote speaker on "How the Bible helps us grow". All welcome. Admission free.
Friday (26 <sup>th</sup> )	10:15am 12 noon	(- 11:30) Following coffee, <b>Team Friday Friends Study Group</b> , at St Thomas and St John's. All welcome as we continue a study in the Letters to Timothy <b>Team Intercessions</b> at St TJ's, followed by bring-your-own-lunch eaten together if you wish to stay
Saturday (27 <sup>th</sup> )	10:30am	(- 12:30pm) <b>Saturday Café</b> at St TJ's, including Vestry Hour and the draw for September Bons Ball
Sunday (28 <sup>th</sup> )		FIFTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY
	9:30am	<b>Eucharist</b> at St Mary's: President and Preacher - Revd Adele McKie; followed by light refreshments
	11:00am	<b>Eucharist</b> at St Thomas and St John's: President and Preacher - Revd Adele McKie; followed by light refreshments

#### Please pray for ...

Prayers for healing:

- St Mary's: Catherine, Steven, Andrew Baines, Helen Bardsley, Roger Brierley, Berenice Carey, Barbara Cordener, Colin Embrey, Margaret Embrey, Christine Firth, William Firth, Jackie Garvey, Peter Gorman, Chris Hollis, Pauline Holt, Terry Houlgrave, Malcolm Kirkpatrick, Harry Melling, Pat Rigby, Peter Savage, George Vail, Janice Wright
- St TJ and elsewhere: Archdeacon Rachel, Catherine, Pam, Fay Atherton, Joan Atherton, Paula Barrand, Alice Berry, Geraldine Braden, Tony Cardwell, Mary Clarkson, Reg Dee, Jacob Dewar, Zohre Galati, Vicky Halstead, Marjorie Higham, Miriam Higham, Anthony Hill, Lyn Hill, Barry Sheehan, Jane Slade,
- Those recently bereaved: family and friends of Carole Blunt

Those recalled in our Books of Remembrance:

**St Mary's**: Pat Bennet (22<sup>nd</sup>); James Wakes (23<sup>rd</sup>); Eunice Ellen Kay (26<sup>th</sup>) **St Thomas and St John's**: David Bell, Doris Stanworth, Richard Broxap, Wilfred Plews (21<sup>st</sup>); Fanny Hardman, James Franklin Radcliffe, John Nicholas Wood (22<sup>nd</sup>); Mona Gregory, Hilda Doris Holland (23<sup>rd</sup>); Emily Holland (24<sup>th</sup>)

#### Looking ahead

Harvest: Our Harvest Thanksgiving services will be on Sunday 12 October in each church. At St TJ, there will be a Harvest Lunch on Saturday 11 October at 12:30pm. See poster later in the e-Notices and in church.

Christmas Market fund raising event will be held on Saturday 6 December at St TJ.

#### Fund Raising Event - Building Repairs



Including - Homemade Craft Stalls - Cards - Jams - Marmalade - Beautiful Hand Knitted items - Čake Stall - Christmas Gifts - Toys - Raffle - Tombola. We have had a positive response with lots of offers. But we can always do with more. You have another 3 months to get busy. It is said that we all have a talent, what's yours?

**Season of Creation**: This is the period in the annual church calendar, from 1 September to 4 October, dedicated to God as Creator and Sustainer of all life. Many churches choose to use this time of year to hold special services and events to give thanks for God's gift of creation, and to renew their commitment to caring for our one planet home.



The theme for the Season of Creation 2025 is peace with creation, based on Isaiah 32:14-18. The prophet Isaiah pictured the desolated Creation without peace because of the lack of justice and the broken relationship between people and God. This description of devastated cities and wastelands reveals how human destructive behaviours have a negative impact on the Earth. Our hope: Creation will find peace when justice is restored. There is still hope and the expectation for a peaceful Earth. To hope does not mean to stand still and quiet, but to act, pray, change, and reconcile with Creation and the Creator in unity, repentance and solidarity.

The annual **Fairtrade Fortnight** (22 September – 5 October) fits well with the Season. As the Diocesan Environmental Working Group reminds us: "Over these fourteen days, we'll be celebrating the difference we can all make when we choose Fairtrade and campaign - as part of a UK-wide movement - for a fairer system behind the things we consume every day. Nick Hardman says, "Sadly, fairness isn't a given. But the power to get there is in our hands. Together, our actions can have a positive impact on real people's lives. Fairer pay. Fairer treatment. Fairer futures. That's Fairtrade. It's not just a label – it's a movement. So, whatever you do, and however you do it: Do it Fair.'

Please supply future information to lesandkathleen@btinternet.com or to 0161 724 5696.

Current information may be found at https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/16096/ and https://www.radcliffeparishchurch.com/

For pastoral contact for baptisms, weddings or funerals, or with personal needs, please contact in the first instance Irene Thirkell, Curate, on 07435 657865 or, Adele McKie, Associate Priest at revadele@btopenworld.com or on 07946 383024.



#### **Fund Raising Event**



# Harvest Lunch Potato Pie - Peas and Pudding

On Saturday 11th October - Lunch will be served at 12.30 in Church
Tickets £8.00

Please add your name on the list at the back of Church or see Marilyn for ticket

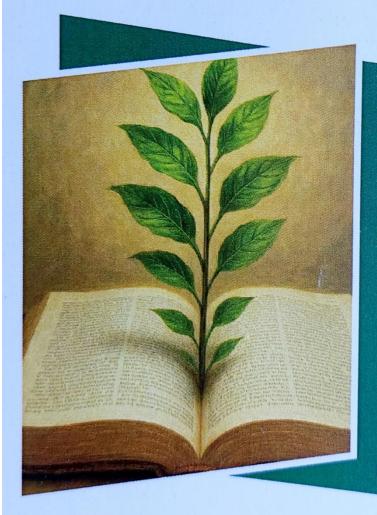


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## **Annual Celebration**



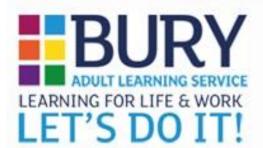
#### HOW THE BIBLE HELPS US GROW

with The Rt Revd Matthew Porter, Bishop of Bolton

Including
Open the Book
Light Refreshments

Admission free Donations to Bible Society

Thursday 25 September 2025 at 7.30 pm Bury United Reformed Church, Parson's Lane, Bury BL9 OLY





# Digital Skills • Courses

Enrol now! - Learn how to use digital skills to connect with friends and local communities, being safe online, shopping and handling information.

#### **Our Courses**

#### **Beginners Digital Skills**

Takes place every Wednesday from 10<sup>th</sup> September for 6 weeks, 10.30am - 12.30pm.

#### **Intermediate Digital Skills**

Takes place every Wednesday from 5<sup>th</sup> November for 6 weeks, 10.30am - 12.30pm.

#### Venue

St Philips Community Centre Higher Dean St, Radcliffe, Manchester M26 3TE

To enrol, or for more information, call 0161 253 5772.













Please see a leaflet in church updated each week, and also a prayer list covering the month, the latter below

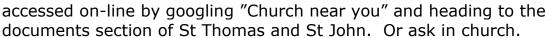
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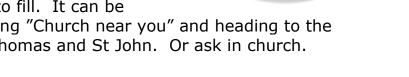
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We give thanks for those who will be part of the Task Group meeting this evening; praying that be someone from each Church who feels called to be a part of this group.	

#### Volunteers' corner

If you wish to volunteer for further involvement in Church at St Thomas and St John's, please see these contacts in church (or by other means)

- Anyone wanting to have further involvement in Sunday services, for example as lesson readers, leaders of Intercessions, welcomers, or servers at refreshment time, is invited to speak to Kathleen or Les. If anyone would like to be trained as a server, assisting at the altar, please see Carol or Ken.
- Maintenance or decoration tasks related to the church building: please
- **Eco Church:** See Carol or Maryse to get involved in this initiative. St Thomas and St John's has now joined St Mary's as a holder of the EcoChurch Bronze Award.
- Gardening or tidying of the outdoor areas: A Gardening Group will meet on the first Thursday of each month until October to work outside at St TJ (10am -11-30am)
- Facebook page: anyone who could help raise the profile of the Church on social media, eg Facebook, please speak to Jean.
- Parish Profile: covering both our Churches has been prepared and submitted to assist with the recruitment of our next Vicar. It shows what goes on in the life of our parishes, and also identifies some gaps we would like to fill. It can be





Would-be volunteers at St Mary's are invited to speak to Vicky or Deb.

#### **Season of Creation**



The symbol for the Season of Creation 2025 (1 September – 4 October) is a tree in a world of two halves. On one side, the tree is barren and the landscape exploited. On the other side, the tree is lush and green, in a flourishing landscape. Above is a dove, carrying an olive branch in its beak. Through this year's Season of Creation, we will reflect on the connection between caring for creation and fostering peace.

Think graveyard cleanup team, Gardening Team, ethical recycling (details below), taking note of some of the ideas from Eco Church (information in church). The Team Intercession Group will pick up on this theme, including on Friday 26 September.

Being stewards of God's creation and doing our bit as Christians for the planet, if you have any of the following lying around your home then please bring them to be recycled



Did you know, many of your unwanted items could be recycled?

Do you have any of these items stuck in a drawer or cupboard?

Please bring along your glasses, hearing aids, foreign currency, stamps, keys, ink & toner cartridges (branded only) & bra's & place them into the boxes provided in church.

All items will be collected at the monthly Mission Community Task Group meetings where they will be sorted and sent to where they are needed most.

#### Thank you









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