



SUNDAY SERVICE

Sunday 3rd May – 5th Sunday of Easter

10:30 Parish Eucharist

If you are new to church, please note that we have a children's area at the back of church. We have toilets in the back room of church. Please do stay for refreshments following the service in the back room of church.

Sunday School: If you have a child of any age from birth upwards, please join us if you wish, in the Pomfret Room at the start of the readings, where we will be sharing age-appropriate stories and play relating to our shared faith.

Processional	96	Christ is made the sure foundation
Psalm		(Response Overleaf)
Offertory	777	To God be the glory
Final	623	Praise my soul, the King of heaven
Communion	Choir	An upper room
	321	How sweet the name of Jesus sounds

PRAYERS

Collect

Almighty God,

who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen.

We pray for the sick:

*Barbara Slater David Armer Jackie Hart Chris Taylor
Jane Jones Teresa Kay*

Post Communion

Eternal God,

whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Amen.

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WHAT'S ON THIS WEEK

Mon	4th	10:00	Hobbycraft Group
		14:00	Bereavement Support Group
Tue	5th	14:00	Adult Drumming Group
		18:30	Bell ringing
		18:30	Mothers Union
Wed	6th	09:15	St Michael's Primary School Service
		09:30	St Michael's Little Gems
		15:30	Family Kitchen
		18:00	Men's Shed
Thu	7th	13:00	Creative Heritage Explorers
		15:30	Children's Choir Practice
		18:00	Holy Communion followed by Compline
		19:00	Choir Practice
Fri	8th	15:30	The World Music Group
Sat	9th	19:00	Lostock Hall Memorial Brass Band Concert
Sun	10th	09:00	Holy Communion according to the Book of Common Prayer
		10:30	All Age Eucharist – 6 th Sunday of Easter

Notices

Mothers Union - On Tuesday 5th May we will welcome the **Reverend Claire (Bobby)** as our speaker. Please note that the meeting will start at **6.30pm**. Bobby requests that we each bring an item for the food bank. All are welcome. *Jane Cairns*

Home Group "Looking at the Bible together"

The next Bible book we are planning to look at is Paul's letter to the Ephesians
The outline plan is... on **Sunday May 10th** Ephesians 1 v1 - 15 and on **Sunday 17th May** Ephesians 1 v15-23

Sunday May 24th No group – Sorry - several group members will be involved in the twinning activities.

All Sundays in June - continuing through Ephesians chapter 2-6. The sessions will start at **7.30pm**. If you would like further details, please see **Anne Wintle** after the Sunday morning service.

Ascension Day Parish Eucharist on Thursday 14th May at 7pm. All are welcome.

Please see poster at the back of church for the **Blackburn Diocese Centenary Big Day Out on Saturday 16th May in Blackpool.**

Saturday Kitchen on Saturday 30th May 9.30am till 11.00am. Join us for food and friendship, no charge, but donations welcome to help fund our Wednesday family kitchen. *Yvonne Malings*

Names or notices for this sheet:

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