



LOWTON ST MARY'S CHURCH
PART OF THE LOWTON & GOLBORNE TEAM MINISTRY
A WARM WELCOME TO ALL WHO WORSHIP WITH US TODAY



THE SEVENTEENTH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY (HARVEST) - 11th OCTOBER 2026

- 10.30am Holy Communion (Harvest)
- 6.30pm No Service

EVENTS THIS WEEK:

• Monday	12th October	Open Church	10.00am - 11.30am	
• Tuesday	13th October	Mums and Toddlers	9.00am - 11.00am	Community Hall
• Tuesday	13th October	Strength and Balance Class	1.00pm - 2.00pm	Community Hall
• Wednesday	14th October	Tai Chi for Health	10.30am - 11.30am	Community Hall
• Thursday	15th October	Coffee and Chat	8.45am - 11.45am	Community Hall
• Thursday	15th October	Morning Worship	10.00am	
• Friday	16th October	Open Church	10.00am - 11.30am	
• Saturday	18th October	Joint Service	10.00am	St Luke's
• Sunday	18th October	Holy Communion	6.30pm	

PRAYER MATTERS

- Please pray today for:
- All who serve us as a church.
- Please pray during the week for:
- The poor, homeless and starving people of our world. We also pray for the organisations who help them.
- We continue to pray for peace in the various areas of conflict in our world.
- Those living in Green House Close and Hand Lane.
- Those preparing for next week's services.



SERVICES IN OCTOBER

Thursday 15th October
 10.00am: Morning Worship
Sunday 18th October
 10.00am: Joint Service at St Luke's
 6.30pm: Holy Communion (John Taylor)
Thursday 22nd October
 10.00am: Holy Communion (Veronica)
Sunday 25th October
 10.30am: Holy Communion (Father Harry)
 6.30pm: No Service
Thursday 29th October
 10.00am: Holy Communion (Michael Vyse)



Worship Schedule

COLLECT

O God, forasmuch as without you we are not able to please you; mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit may in all things direct and rule our hearts; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

READINGS

1 Timothy 6:6-19 (NT208); John 6:25-35 (NT94)

SUNDAY 18th OCTOBER at 10.00am
ST LUKE'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL with Bishop Ruth
 There will be a 'Bring and Share' lunch afterwards.
 Please note that will not be a service at St Mary's at 10.30am



AUTUMN SERENADE - St Luke's Church
Friday 16th October 7.30pm

Presented by Ladies of LGN Community Choir & The Ukulele Group of the LGN
 Also featuring Shade Black & Guest Ensembles
 Tickets £7 - available from St Luke's Church
 For more information - 01942 720947
 Come and enjoy an evening of light entertainment with a variety of musical styles to suit everyone

CHURCH NOTICES

Please send any items for next week's notices to:
 Chris Kirkman by Wednesday. Thank you.
 07982253222 chris.kirkman26@outlook.com

ST MARYS QUIZ NIGHT
Saturday 7th November

in the Community Hall starting at 7:30pm prompt. Tickets will be on sale in the Community Hall after the service and at Coffee & Chat on Thursday morning. They cost £5 which includes light refreshments but please bring your own drink. Not suitable for under 14's.

LOWTON St LUKE'S MOTHERS' UNION
OPEN EVENING

Wednesday 14th October at 7.30pm
 St Luke's Church
 Join us - Join in
 at a musical presentation by Yvonne and Matt "Banjo and Beyond"
 This is set to be an interesting and entertaining Evening and all are welcome.
 Tickets £3 (including tea and biscuits)



MUMS AND TODDLERS GROUP
ST MARY'S COMMUNITY HALL

Tuesdays (term time only). £3 per child
 Everyone welcome

MOBILE PHONES

Will you please either switch off your mobile phones or switch to flight mode during the services as the signals can interfere with the radio mics. Many thanks.





LIGHT PARTY - SATURDAY 31ST OCTOBER CHRIST CHURCH PENNINGTON

Their hope is to create a big, joyful celebration for children and families, offering a positive Christian alternative to Halloween. Rather than focusing on darkness, they want the evening to be full of the love of Jesus, celebrating the wonderful truth that Jesus is the Light of the World.

They would love children and families from local churches to go along and join the celebration. They would also be delighted to hear from anyone in our church who might like to get involved or help them make the event extra special.

For further information please contact:
Aimie Moore (aimiebamber@hotmail.co.uk)

LOWTON WI FUNDRAISER (in aid of Wigan and Leigh Hospice)



Saturday 24th October:
10.00am - 12.00pm:

Lowton St Mary's Community Hall
Adults £3 (including tea or coffee and toast or teacake). Children free.
Raffle, tombola, cake stall and much more.



EVENING OF CONVERSATION AND PRAYER

An opportunity to get together across 'The Parish of Christ the Good Shepherd' to discuss the future of the larger single parish as well as to spend time together in prayer.

Joining together 7.30pm - 9pm
Monday 19th October at St Luke's, Lowton
Monday 30th November at St Michael's,
Burtonwood

