



## Welcome to St Mary Magdalene, Clitheroe

Our vision: "To be a growing community that seeks to know and follow Jesus sharing the Good News"

### Notices for Sunday 17th February - 3rd Sunday before Lent

"And Jesus told them a parable to the effect that they ought always to pray and not lose heart" (Luke 18:1)

#### Hymns are in the red book:

- 336 – All my hope on God is founded
- 238 – Blest are the pure in heart
- 391 – Lord Jesus Christ, you are come to us
- 261 – Once, only once, and once for all
- Anthem - Virgin-born, we adore thee - Bourgeois*
- 209 – Through all the changing scenes of life

TODAY - Sunday 17th February at 4 pm

#### Licensing of Ruth Hassall

Diocesan Director of Discipleship  
at Evensong in Blackburn Cathedral

Please let Andy Froud know if you would like to attend.

#### Organ Recital

Tuesday 19th February by James Lancelot  
(Retired organist at Durham Cathedral)

A programme of organ music takes place at 1 pm for approximately 40 minutes.

This is a free event, although voluntary donations are very much appreciated. Everyone welcome.

#### St Mary's Flower Arrangers AGM

The Annual Meeting of St Marys Flower Arrangers will be held on Wednesday 27th February 2019 at 2 pm, Choir Vestry. New Members are desperately needed to join our team and help and guidance will be given to anyone needing a bit of support. Volunteers may contact Kath Rawlinson on 01200 42393 or the Parish Office 01200 422828.

#### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March at 6.30pm – 8.30pm

Christ Church, Chatburn are holding a **Shrove Tuesday Pancake Party** and of course it's for all the family. Please let Andy know if interested in going.

#### Ash Wednesday, March 6th

**Chain of Prayer** 10 am – 3.30 pm

Can you be a 15 minute link in the chain? Suggestions for private prayer will be available.

Sign up on the list in church or contact Ann Goodbody 427545 or Patricia Duxbury 429261

**Holy Communion** 7.30 p.m.

#### Lent Courses

*Our lent course this year is based on the themes of generosity, gift and grace.*

We are holding 5 sessions at 3 venues:

11 am Tuesdays at Christ Church, Chatburn

10.15 am Wednesdays at 1, Gills Croft - 429261

7.30 pm Thursdays at St Pauls, Low Moor

**Do come and join us.**

#### THE WEEK AHEAD .....

##### **Sunday 17th February - 3rd Sunday before Lent**

- 8 am Holy Communion
- 9.30 am Sung Eucharist & Children's Grps
- 4 pm Licensing of Ruth Hassall - at Evensong  
Blackburn Cathedral

##### **Monday 18th February**

- 7 pm Bell Ringing Practice
- 7.30 pm Meeting - members of all 4 Benefice PCCs at Chatburn

##### **Tuesday 19th February**

- 1 pm Organ Recital
- 2.15 pm Ladies Group

##### **Wednesday 20th February**

- 7.30 pm Choir Practice

##### **Thursday 21st February**

- 9.30 am Magazine Folding - Choir Vestry
- 1.30 pm Children's Church

##### **Friday 22nd February**

- 10.30am Holy Communion

##### **Sunday 24th February - 2nd Sunday before Lent**

- 8 am Holy Communion
- 9.30 am Sung Eucharist & Children's Grps
- 12.30 pm Baptism of Bobby Gordon Long
- 6.30 pm Evening Prayer

#### Please pray for .....

##### **Those who are sick:**

Derrick Holmes, Cynthia Laing & Walter Meadows

##### **Those who have died:**

David Coward, Derek Houlker, Nigel Parker-Clayton and Lynne Zamorski

#### Electoral Roll

This year by Canon Law, there is to be the preparation of a complete new electoral roll for our church. Application forms are now available at the back of church and when completed should be returned to either the Vicar, Church Wardens or the Electoral Roll Officer by 17th March 2019.

**Our uniformed organisations need your help. If anyone is able to volunteer and is interested in helping out at these weekly meetings, please contact Patricia Duxbury on 01200 429261 or by email [patriciaduxbury@yahoo.co.uk](mailto:patriciaduxbury@yahoo.co.uk). Thank you.**

#### NEWS

How did our Vicar win a pie?  
See "Parish" notice board to find out!

#### Sunday Notice Sheets - Contributions

*If you would like information to appear on a Sunday Notice Sheet please send all details by Thursday:*  
Email - [admin@stmaryclitheroe.com](mailto:admin@stmaryclitheroe.com) Phone - 01200 422828