Welcome to St Mary Magdalene, Clitheroe.

Notices for Sunday 10th November
3rd Sunday before Advent

Bishop’s Memory Verse: Making Disciples - 1 Corinthians 10.13
No testing has overtaken you that is not common to everyone. God is faithful, and he will not let you be tested beyond your strength, but with the testing he will also provide the way out so that you may be able to endure it.

**THE WEEK AHEAD ........**

**Sunday 10th November - 3rd before Advent**
- 8 am  Holy Communion
- 9.30 am  Service of Remembrance
- 10.45 am  Service at the Cenotaph
- 11 am  2 minutes silence
- 6.30 pm  Evening Prayer
- 7 pm  Confirmation Class - SMC

**Monday 11th November**
- 11.30 am  Standing Committee
- 6.45 pm  Bell Ringing Practice

**Tuesday 12th November**
- 2.15 pm  Ladies Group
- 7.30 pm  Choir Practice

**Thursday 14th November**
- 1.30 pm  Children’s Church - Choir Vestry
- 8 pm  Prayer Group

**Friday 15th November**
- 10.30 am  Holy Communion

**Sunday 17th November - 2nd before Advent**
- 8 am  Holy Communion
- 9.30 am  Sung Eucharist
- 12.30 pm  Baptism of Thomas Briggs and Thomas Bristol
- 6.30 pm  Evening Prayer
- 7 pm  Confirmation Class - SMC

**Hymns are in the red book:**
- 99 – O God our help in ages past
- 292 – Eternal father, strong to save
- 295 – I vow to thee my country
- 336 – All my hope on God is founded
- 293 – God save the Queen (vs. 1&3)

**Anthem** - God so loved the world, Chilcott

**FOODBANK CHRISTMAS FOOD COLLECTION**
Ribble Valley Foodbank would be grateful for volunteers to help collect Christmas food at Clitheroe Tesco between 9am – 5.30pm on Thursday 21, Friday 22, and Saturday 23 November. Each volunteer session lasts for 90 minutes, and we need people to greet the shoppers and sort the donations - some strong volunteers to carry boxes would also be welcome. The food donated ensures that our clients can enjoy Christmas meals over the festive period. Please ring 07849 534431 or email info@ribblevalley.foodbank.org.uk if you could help. Thank you.

**Operation Christmas Child**
It’s never too early to think about filling a shoe box with small gifts for those who do not receive Christmas presents.
This year our shoe boxes will be sent via the Christian organisation International Aid. There are three advantages: the voluntary donation towards transport costs is only £2 (not £5); you can be more age specific; you can do a box for an adult, rather than a child if you wish.
Further details from Derek Hardacre 01200 429341.

**Continue with the Bishop’s Bible Challenge**
BRF Bible Reading Notes
Interested in continuing with a daily Bible reading? The Bible Reading Fellowship (BRF) produces a range of Bible reading notes. Samples are available at the back of church for the next 3 weeks. If you would be interested in a subscription or just trying one please speak to Sally Smith or ring her on 01200 422064.

**Please could people bring their Children’s Society house collection boxes into church during November and pass on to Ken Robinson? Thank you.**

**Please pray for:**
- Those who are sick:
  - Cath Swarbrick, Doris Blackledge
- Those who have died:
  - Marlene Richards, Ruth Thompson and Eleanor Green

**Children’s Church**
Every Thursday at 1.30 pm at St Mary’s Church
For further information contact:
- Alison 01200 424622 / 07759882790
- Joan 01200 424151

**Donations to St Mary’s Parish Church can be made via the website on the homepage:**
www.stmarysclitheroe.co.uk

**Sunday Notice Sheets - Contributions**
If you would like information to appear on a Sunday notice sheet please send all details by Thursday to:
- Email - admin@stmaryclitheroe.com
- Phone - 01200 422828

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