

Welcome to St Mary Magdalene, Clitheroe.

Notices for Sunday 17th November 2nd Sunday before Advent

Bishop's Memory Verse: *Being Witnesses* - Acts 17.30

While God has overlooked the times of human ignorance, now he commands all people everywhere to repent.



Hymns are in the silver book:

- 202 – Stand up and bless the Lord
- 251 – I, the Lord of sea and sky
- 550 – As the deer pants for the water
- 189 – Be still, for the presence of the Lord
- Anthem** - *Jesu, joy of man's desiring, Bach*
- 512 – To God be the glory

Healing Prayer Network

The next meeting of the group is on Thursday November 21st at 4 pm in the choir vestry. If you are interested in joining the group, please speak to Ann Goodbody.

Ladies Group Christmas Fair

Sunday 1st December in St. Mary's Centre immediately following the morning service
Admission £1.50 including refreshments
(Children free of charge). More details next week

Nigel Rix has retired as Chair of Clitheroe Christians in Partnership. The new Chair is Alan Meyer of Clitheroe Community Church. Alan can be contacted on meyeralan987@gmail.com

Nigel will retire as Chair of the Ribble Valley Gateway Trust on 31 January 2020. He will be succeeded by Colin White of St. James' Church. Colin can be contacted on colin.white400@gmail.com

Nigel would like to thank everyone who has participated in ecumenical worship and outreach over the last ten years.

Please bring your Children's Society house collection boxes into church during November and pass on to Ken Robinson? Thank you.

There's lots happening on Sunday December 1st

Including Family Service, a Christmas Fair, a Military Band Concert and our Advent Carol Service.

- 8 am Holy Communion
- 9.30 am Parade and Family Service
- 10.30 am Ladies' Group Christmas Fair in St. Mary's Centre
- 3 pm – 5 pm "A Salute to Christmas" Concert with the Band of the Yorkshire Regiment in aid of the British Legion Poppy Appeal. Cost £8
- 6.30 pm Clitheroe Christians in Partnership Advent Carol Service with St. Mary Magdalene's Choir

... and looking ahead to Tuesday, December 3rd, our organist David Thornton will give the lunch time organ recital from 1 pm – 1.40 pm

THE WEEK AHEAD

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

Monday 18th November

- 9.15 am Jack & Jill Toddler Group
- 6.45 pm Bell Ringing Practice
- 7 pm PCC Meeting - Choir Vestry

Tuesday 19th November

- 7.30 pm Choir Practice

Thursday 21st November

- 1.30 pm Children's Church - Choir Vestry
- 4 pm Healing Prayer Network - Choir Vestry
- 7.30 pm Dementia Friendly Churches at St Leonard's Langho - open meeting

Friday 22nd November

- 10.30 am Holy Communion

Sunday 24th November - Christ the King

- 8 am Holy Communion
- 9.30 am Sung Eucharist
- 6.30 pm Evening Prayer
- 7 pm Confirmation Class - SMC

Please pray for:

Those who are sick:
Cath Swarbrick

Those who have died:
Katrina Fell, Eleanor Green and Duncan Thompson

CHRISTMAS POSTING BASKET

This will be in Church from Sunday Dec 1st until Dec. 16th. Cards should be for regular members of the congregation only and must have the surname of the recipient on the envelope. Remember to look to see if there are cards for yourself!

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 session lasts for 90 minutes. 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.

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"

