

# Welcome to St Mary Magdalene Clitheroe Parish Church

## Notices for Sunday 1st June

### Seventh Sunday of Easter

#### **HYMNS - Red Book**

**Hymn 147** Crown Him with many crowns

**Hymn 87** Hail the day that sees him rise omit v 4&5

**Hymn 144** Come let us join our cheerful songs

**Hymn 263** Lord enthroned in heavenly splendour

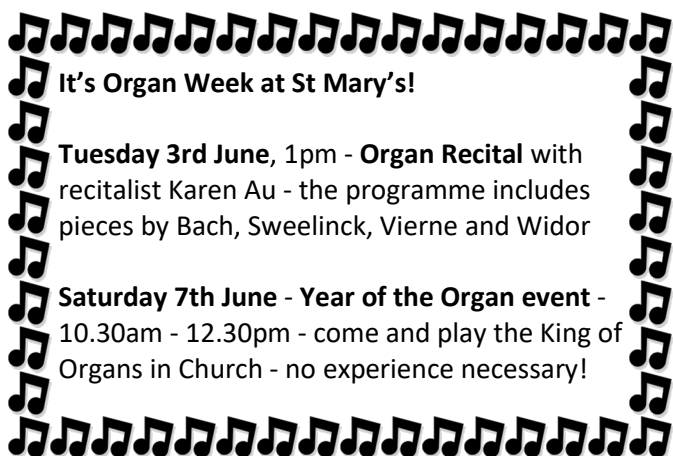
#### **Looking ahead.....**

*Saturday 31st May* - 9.30am - 12 noon - **Christian Aid Coffee Morning at Trinity Hub** - stalls, refreshments, and crafts. Volunteers needed - please contact the office.

*Saturday 28th June* - 3pm - **Rev Chris Hegg's Ordination to the Priesthood at Blackburn Cathedral** - all welcome but please will you SIGN UP on the sheet at the back of church if you intend to go. Some of us are going by train - details on the sheet.

*Saturday 13th July* - **Summer Serenade** with the **Clitheroe Parish Church amateur Operatic and Dramatic Society** - tickets £10 including refreshments.

*Saturday 9th August* - Clitheroe Food Festival and **Candlelit Concert in Church** - more details to come in due course!

 It's Organ Week at St Mary's!

**Tuesday 3rd June, 1pm - Organ Recital** with recitalist Karen Au - the programme includes pieces by Bach, Sweelinck, Vierne and Widor

**Saturday 7th June - Year of the Organ event** - 10.30am - 12.30pm - come and play the King of Organs in Church - no experience necessary!

**Praying Together During the Vacancy** - join us in the Alleys Chapel after this morning's service as we pray together for ten minutes. Bring your coffee with you! Do read the prayers from earlier weeks which you will find on the board in the chapel.

**Church Flowers** If you would like to sponsor the main church flowers in memory of a loved one or anniversary on a special date, or to celebrate a family event, please contact the Church office.



#### **Prayer during the time we have no Vicar**

Dear Lord, we pray for our Church and the process of finding a new Vicar. We ask you to send your Holy Spirit to guide and inspire our PCC as they make decisions about the way ahead, and for urgency in the selection process itself.

Lord Jesus, we thank you for the help and support of the Rev. Chris and ask your blessing on him as he prepares for his ordination. We pray for Your Spirit's guidance as we consider the Leading your Church into Growth plan for developing our Church in the right way at the right pace, building steadily on the core of what we already have.

Heavenly Father, bring us together to make this a true joint enterprise of all who worship here. We pray that the foundations of our Faith at St Mary's, both ancient and more recent, may lead us to walk with our new Vicar into light and hope for the future.

We ask all this in our Lord Jesus Christ's name.

Amen

#### **THE WEEK AHEAD**

##### **Sunday 1st June - Ascension Sunday**

8.00am Holy Communion - Rev Chris Hegg

9.30am Morning Prayer - Rev Chris Hegg

11.30am Baptism - Oscar Spencer - Rev Chris Hegg

##### **Monday 2nd June**

9.30 am St Mary's Toddler Group

7.00 pm PCC in the Choir Vestry

7.30 pm Bell Ringing Practice

##### **Tuesday 3rd June**

1.00 pm Organ Recital - Recitalist Karen Au

##### **Saturday 7th June**

10.30 am Year of The Organ event

##### **Sunday 8th June - Whit Sunday**

8.00am Holy Communion - Rev John Ball

9.30am Morning Prayer - Rev John Ball

The June/July issue of the **Parish Magazine** is now available to collect from the back of Church.

#### **PLEASE PRAY FOR Those who are sick:** Jean

Green, Rosemary Lowry and Dr Richard Neville

**Those who have died:** Lady Clitheroe and Roger Walker



#### **CHURCH OFFICE & SUNDAY NOTICE SHEET**

**Email:** admin@stmaryclitheroe.com **Tel:** 01200 422828

**Office hrs:** 9.30 am to 3.30 pm Mondays & Thursdays

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