

**Reader's for the Mass to be held at 10am on Friday for the Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary**

First Reading & Psalm: Margaret

Second Reading: Sheila

Intercessions: Father Simon

**Rader's & Side people for next Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> August - 20<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Ordinary Time**

Sides people: Marcelle & Vera

First Reading: Ken

Second Reading: Geoff

Intercessions: Carole

**Back Pack Sunday** will take place here at St Hilda's during the Family church on 31<sup>st</sup> August at 10am. This is open to all children to come and have their new school bags and themselves blessed by Fr Simonon this day. This will be followed by Crafts in the Croft and refreshments. Parish Mass will be as usual at 11am – children and parents are welcome to stay for the Parish Mass.

Many churches in our Diocese collect for MARY'MEALS.

Mary's Meals is a well-established charity working in 16 of the world's poorest countries providing meals in schools for those in need. You can help by donating any spare foreign Currency or old coins/notes UK currency. So please look out for any Sterling, Euros, Dollars or Turkish Lira, any denomination of coins or notes will help support the work of Mary's Meals. Visit: [www.marysmeals.org.uk](http://www.marysmeals.org.uk) to find out more. Any coins that you have you have and would like to donate to this worthy cause please give to Carole. She will then pass them onto the charity. A box will be appearing shortly for you to pop them into.

**If you wish to pay by standing order instead of the envelope scheme.**

**The bank details are as follows:**

**St Hildas PCC**

**Sort code: 01-07-20**

**Account number: 06803806**

**St. Hilda PCC are always very grateful to receive any contributions to the upkeep of the Parish church however small.**

**The Memorial book** has now been updated with your loved ones names. Please can you pass on your donations for Bury Hospice to Carole ASAP.

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Church website: <http://sthildaprestwich.org.uk/>

Facebook:

<https://www.facebook.com/Sthildaprestwich>

Any church near you: Search St Hilda Prestwich

Or you can request to join the church contact list, this is an email which is sent direct to your inbox on a weekly basis. You can either email Carole PCC secretary on [sthildaprestwich@gmail.com](mailto:sthildaprestwich@gmail.com) or speak to her directly

**PARISH PRAYER**

Loving Father,

We pray for our Parish Church of St Hilda, during this ongoing vacancy. We pray for Ken our churchwarden and all the PCC members who help to share the responsibilities during this time.



Help us to meet the needs of our church, to love one another, so we can continue to grow in faith.

We pray for the Society and all who have helped us maintain the Holy Mass during this vacancy.

We pray for the Parish School as they prepare also for new beginnings in September.

In the power of your Holy Spirit, we look to the future and pray that the right person will be found to lead us, to do your will here at St Hilda's.

Help us to prepare the way for a new priest, so we can all work together to love and serve you here in our community.

Amen.

**Safeguarding is  
Everyone's  
Responsibility**

We take the safeguarding of children and vulnerable adults very seriously here at St Hilda's. Therefore, if you have any concerns please speak to the Parish Safeguarding Officer:

Mrs Shirley Diver: 07922 330069

Or to

Abbey Clephane-Wilson: 0161 828 1465

(Abbey is the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor)