

Saint Hilda's Church
Parish Newsletter
24th in Ordinary Time
Exaltation of the Holy Cross
14th September 2025

Parish Mass 11am
Said Mass with hymns
Celebrant and Preacher
Fr Simon

Hymns

Introit: 332 All Hail the power of Jesu's
name omit V2
Offertory: 338 At the name of Jesus omit *
Communion: 352 Crown him with many
Crowns

Angelus

Recessional: 76 Take up thy cross

Sides people: Christiana & Abi
Reader First Lesson: Nigel
Psalm 78 Nigel
Reader Second Lesson: Melanie
Intercessor: Ken

Thought for the week

Isn't it nice to think that tomorrow is a new day
with no mistakes in it yet

**Please remember with love and prayers all on
our prayer list here at St Hilda's**



John Pymm, Marion, Lynda, Susan Hughes,
Mary Bardsley, Keith Bentley,
Archdeacon Rachel,
Robert Williams, Jane, Beryl & Peter Holland,
Helen, Linda Clarke, Susan Lees, Sian Fletcher,
Renée Lukes, Derek Hughes, James Lucas
Francesca Boothman, Fr Paul Denby,
Mavis & David Belton, Roy Walker,
Hilary Graham, Kevin McGuire, Jean Adamson,
Fr Croft, Jenny Mulholland,
Maryrose & Walter Thompson,
Paul & Michael & Av Jones.
also, any others who are known to us, whose
names are not mentioned here and need our
prayers.

Macmillan Coffee Morning 18th September
Cakes and raffle prizes will be needed on the day
Please do support this annual charity event

This week at St Hilda's

Tuesday: Coffee Morning 9am
Low Mass with Laying on of hands 10am
Thursday: Community Lunchtime Drop-In
and Macmillan Coffee Morning
Sunday: 25th Sunday in OT
11am Parish Mass

Future dates for your diary

September

28th PCC Meeting 12.15pm

October

5th Harvest Festival 11.00am – Donations
towards the Heaton Park Food pantry please.
7th Family Church 10am
11th Children's Party booking in the Croft
14th Heaton Park WI 7pm
16th Lunchtime Drop In from 11.30am
17th Harvest Supper 7pm
24th Parish School closes for half term
25th Children's Party booking in the Croft
27th Seven Churches Walk (see poster for
details)

November

1st Breakfast at the Croft TBC
2nd Family Church
11th Heaton Park WI 7pm
16th Saint Hilda's Day 11am followed by a
Bring and Share Lunch
20th Lunchtime Drop In



We remember before God all those who have died
specially those who have passed in the night with
no-one to comfort them.

We remember with love and prayers those whose
“minds” fall during this week

14 th September	
Eric Hellings	2023
16 th September	
Florence Sherrat	1968
Frances Gilbert	2021
17 th September	
Lawrence Abbott	1980
20 th September	
Olive Swyer-Sexey	1976

Sunday 21st September
25th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass 11am

Celebrant & Preacher: Father Philip

Sides people: Marcelle & Vera
First Reading: Liz
Psalm 113: Shirley
Second Reading: Shirley
Intercessions: Fr Croft

Sunday 28th September
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass 11am

Celebrant & Preacher: Father Simon

Sides people: Rachel & Melanie
First Reading: Sheila
Psalm 146: Sheila
Second Reading: Hazel
Intercessions: Carole

If you wish to contribute 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

Please note we shall be ordering the envelopes shortly, if you wish to change from the envelope scheme to standing order, please see our treasurer Andrea ASAP

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

Follow St Hilda's Church on the following platforms

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 at sthildaprestwich@gmail.com or speak to her directly.

Parish Christmas Meal will take place on Sunday 14th December at the Woodthorpe Hotel, Prestwich. Menus are available from Carole or Andrea.

The cost for a Two course meal £21, Three Courses £25, Children £6. To secure your place please return menu with a non returnable deposit of £5 or £3 for children.



*Coffee will be served after Mass in the Croft
If you are new to St Hilda's or just visiting,
please feel free to join us.*

Coffee Morning takes place on a weekly basis. We are open from 9am for takeaway coffee or can you can eat in.

Table top sale every Tuesday at Coffee Morning and Sunday after Mass in the Croft. New items added each week.

SCHOOL NEWS

If you came down to the Reception class on Tuesday, you would have been in for a big surprise... because that was the day the children and their teddies had their picnic! The children enjoyed baking teddy bear cookies and making sandwiches and they had fun chatting and listening to music as they ate. All the children, teddies and staff had a lovely day.

Mrs H Clemmett

PARISH PRAYER

Loving Father,

We pray for our Parish Church of St Hilda, during this 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 time.

We pray for the Parish School, for the children, parents and staff.

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 and parish.

Amen.

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 the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor

Abbey Clephane-Wilson: 0161 828 1465



**Safeguarding is
Everyone's
Responsibility**