

Saint Hilda's Church
Parish Newsletter
25th in Ordinary Time
21st September 2025

Parish Mass 11am
Said Mass with hymns
Celebrant and Preacher
Father Philip

Hymns

Introit: 285 For the beauty of the earth
Omit * verse

Offertory: 420 O Jesus I have promised

Communion: 304 Once only once, & once for all

Angelus

Recessional: 408 Love Divine

Sides people: Marcelle & Vera

Reader First Lesson: Liz

Psalm 78 Shirley

Reader Second Lesson: Shirley

Intercessor: Fr Croft

*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.*

**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 Thank you to all
who baked and supported this annual event last
Thursday. We raised **£164** on the day. We have
more cakes on offer on Sunday and a small raffle,
to help this figure to rise even more.

This week at St Hilda's

Tuesday: Coffee Morning 9am

Low Mass with Laying on of hands 10am

Wednesday: Low Mass 10am

Feast of Our Lady of Walsingham

Saturday: Seven Churches Walk
(see poster or ask Carole for
details)

Sunday: 26th Sunday in OT
11am Parish Mass
PCC Meeting 12.15pm

Future dates for your diary

October

4th Society of Mary - October devotion at
Holy Trinity, Blackley for details see Carole

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

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



In Memoriam

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

21st September

Annie Roseberry 1968

25th September

James Thompson 2009

27th September

Jackie Mahon 1996

Stanley John Butterworth 1989

Sunday 28th September
26th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Parish Mass 11am
PCC Meeting 12.15pm

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 at the Woodthorpe Hotel, Prestwich.
Menus need to be returned ASAP
If you would like to come please let us know by next Sunday.



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.

Thought for the week

Earth provides enough to satisfy every man's needs, but not every man's greed!

SCHOOL NEWS

Year 3 have been learning about life in the Stone Age this week. They have been exploring different artefacts and learning about Skara Brae. The children loved learning about the prehistoric village and even shared how they would love to visit there one day.

Miss L Brookes - Year 3 Teacher

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 and 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**



REMEMBRANCE DAY

APPEAL – Please could you save your used plastic drinks bottles for us. We would like to make a Remembrance Poppy display to display in

church. Please rinse them out and bring to church and we will do the rest.

The children of family church will work their magic transforming them into poppies!

Sunday 5th October

27th Sunday in Ordinary Time

Family Church

Parish Mass 11am

Celebrant & Preacher: Father Simon

Sides people: Abi & Joyce

First Reading: Matthew

Psalm 113: Matthew

Second Reading: Sheila

Intercessions: Carole