# Saint Hilda's Church Parish Newsletter

30<sup>th</sup> in Ordinary Time 26<sup>th</sup> October 2025

# Parish Mass 11am Said Mass with hymns Celebrant and Preacher Father Simon

Hymns

Introit: 341 Blest are the pure in heart Offertory: 359 Fight the good fight Communion: 376 I heard the voice of Jesus

Angelus

Recessional: 408 Love divine

Sides people: Andrea & Christiana

Reader First Lesson: Helen
Psalm Psalm 34 Helen
Reader Second Lesson: Rachel
Intercessor: Carole

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,
Robert Williams, Jane, Beryl & Peter Holland,
Helen, Linda Clarke, Susan Lees, Sian Fletcher,
Renée Lukes, Derek Hughes, James Lucas
Francesca Boothman,
Mavis & David Belton, Roy Walker,
Hilary Graham, Kevin McGuire,
Fr Croft, Jenny Mulholland,
Maryrose & Walter Thompson,
Paul & Michael & Ay Jones.

also, any others who are known to us, whose names are not mentioned here and need our prayers.

Income Survey 2025 It is this is the last opportunity to fill this survey in. Please do this today and post in the box provided.

#### This week at St Hilda's

Tuesday: Coffee Morning 9am

Low Mass with Laying on of hands 10am

Saturday: Afternoon Tea in the Croft 2pm

Please book if you wish to come.

Sunday: All Saints

Family Church 9.30am Parish Mass 11am –

Sacrament of Holy Baptism 12.30pm

## Future dates for your diary

#### November

3<sup>rd</sup> Requiem Mass for Commemoration of All the Faithful Departed (All Souls) 11am

4<sup>th</sup> Parish school re-opens

9<sup>th</sup> Remembrance Sunday 10.55am

11<sup>th</sup> Heaton Park WI 7pm

16<sup>th</sup> Saint Hilda's Day 11am followed by a

Bring and Share Lunch

20<sup>th</sup> Lunchtime Drop In

27<sup>th</sup> School Christingle service

#### **December**

6<sup>th</sup> Parish Christmas Fair 7<sup>th</sup> PCC meeting 12.15pm 9<sup>th</sup> Heaton Park WI 7pm

11<sup>th</sup> KS1 Nativities

13<sup>th</sup> Breakfast with Father Christmas (N.B for Family church members only

more details shortly)

15<sup>th</sup> Nine Lessons and Carols

24<sup>th</sup> First Mass of Christmas

25<sup>th</sup> Christmas day Mass



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

## RIP Jean Adamson 13th October 2025

26<sup>th</sup> October

Charles Geoffrey Hanbidge 1989 Andrew David Huston 2003 Stephen Cheal 2011

 $30^{\text{th}}$  October

Pat Clarke 2023

31st October

Catherine Dunger 2002 Andrew Wayne Carr 1971

# 2<sup>nd</sup> November ALL SAINTS

Family Church 9.30am Parish Mass 11am

Celebrant & Preacher Father Simon

Sides people: Rachel & Melanie

First Reading: Tina
Psalm 24: Tina
Second Reading: Sheila
Intercessions: Ken

Followed at 12.30pm with Sacrament of Holy Baptism of

Niamh Elizabeth Burke & Abel Thomas Burke By Father Philip Stamp

### **SCHOOL NEWS**

As we reach the end of this half term, we give thanks for a season of learning, growth and community. Our pupils and staff have worked with great enthusiasm, and we are grateful for the continued support and prayers from our church family.

Mrs H Clemmett

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

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 help with 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 <a href="mailto:sthildaprestwich@gmail.com">sthildaprestwich@gmail.com</a> or speak to her directly.

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

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

**Afternoon Tea:** Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2pm Tea with Sandwiches, pastries, Cakes and Scones £10 per person or you can upgrade with a glass of Prosecco for £12. Profit split between church and the Mental Health Charity MIND.

Tickets available now from Carole

REMEMBRANCE DAY APPEAL – Please save your used plastic drinks bottles for us.

Christmas Fair will be held on Saturday 6<sup>th</sup>

December. We need volunteers to help make this fair the best ever! If you can help in any way.

PLEASE sign the list at the back of church.

We are collecting now for the FAIR, we need donations of Chocolates, Bottles and Tombola items.

# Thought for the week

The heart that loves is always young!

# 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 have helped to share the responsibilities during this time. Help us to meet the needs of our church, and the community where we



live, 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 Safeguarding is Everyone's Responsibility

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