Parish of All Saints Stretford

Sunday 7th February
Sunday next before Lent

Today’s Music is from New Hymns and Worship Songs

**Introit 64 For the healing of the Nations**

**Gradual 166 Shine Jesus shine
Offertory 258 The Spirit lives to set us free
Communion 179 Meekness and Majesty**

Recessional 271 To God be the glory

**Readings for today - p811**

Exodus 34.29-35 June Kettle

Psalm 99 Stuart Gilbertson

2 Corinthians 3.12 - 4.2 Mandy Tomkinson

**Gospel:** Luke 9.28-36[37-43a]

**Intercessions:** Valerie Smith

**Lay Assistants:** Valerie Smith Albert Martyn

**Sides People:** Mandy Tomkinson Christine Davies

**TO REMEMBER IN OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK**

We pray for the sick and distressed and especially for: **Barbara Welch, Helen Cooper, Tracey Cook, Sarah Burke**, **Danny,** **Derek Fanshawe, Ruth Rogers, , Lennox Davidson, Karen, Will, Max Crompton, Phil Wall, Allan Roberts, David West, Sean** **McGlade, Sylvia Brown, Sean, Susan Fall, Chris Allen, Joan Hornby, Ros Liburd, Simon Pitt and Stephen Tomkinson.**

We pray for those who have died recently including **Connor Lewis Leah** and remember his family and friends at this sad time.

We remember those whose names appear in our Book of Remembrance this coming week including: **Jack Galvin, Sidney Maltby, Alice Birchwood, Edith Bardsley, Edith Green, William Ciclitira, Betty Worsley, Dennis Jackson, Frederick Huckvale, Phoebe Manchester, Constance Ferguson and Margaret Buckley.**

May they each rest in peace and rise again in glory. Amen

**Psalm 99**

**[R]** Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God

The Lord is king: let the peoples tremble; he is enthroned upon the cherubim: let the earth shake. The Lord is great in Zion; he is high above all peoples.  Let them confess his name, which is great and awesome; he is the holy one. **[R]**

Mighty king, who lover of justice, you have established equity; you have executed justice and righteousness in Jacob. Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and fall down before his footstool, he is the holy one. **[R]**

Moses and Aaron among his priests and Samuel among those who call upon his name; they called upon the Lord and he answered them.  He spoke to them out of the pillar of cloud;  they kept his testimonies and the decree that he gave them. **[R]**

O Lord our God, you answered them indeed;  you were a God who forgave them, yet punished them for their evil deeds. Proclaim the greatness of the Lord our God and worship him upon his holy hill, for the Lord our God is the holy one. **[R]**

**THIS WEEKS SERVICES**

Mon-Thurs **Morning Prayer (all welcome)** 8am

Tuesday **Ecumenical Prayers St Matthews** 10am

Wednesday **Mid-Week Eucharist** 9.45am

**Readings for next week – (Sun 14th Feb) 1st Sunday of Lent p818**

Deuteronomy 26.1-11 Duncan Gilbertson

Psalm 91.1-2,9-16\* David Starmer

Romans 10.8b-13 Eva Clague

**Gospel:** Luke 4.1-13

**Intercessions:** Bea Morrow

**Lay Assistants:** Billy Tomkinson Margaret Dawson

**Sides People:** Margaret Croft Florence Wass

**CHURCH NOTICES**



**FLOWERS IN CHURCH:**

This week the flowers in church are in loving memory of Betty Worsley.

**JARS OF GRACE:** The collection this year is to support St Bride’s (Old Trafford) with their destitute project, providing for the extremely poor and those lacking a means to provide for themselves. Please return jars on Easter Sunday – labels are now in the porch.

**ASH WEDNESDAY**: **Weds Feb 10th** please join us for our evening service @ **7.30pm**

**LENT LUNCH:** Lunch will be served on Wednesday’s during Lent (FEB 10th, 17th, 24th, MAR 2nd and 9th) from 12 noon. See Bea for more details.

**CTiS 2016 LENT STUDY:** This course looks at economic migration, refugees and the displacement of communities due to climate change, as well as human trafficking.. These are topics that are seldom out of the headlines and that touch all of us. We hope this course will inspire and challenge us as Christians to engage more deeply with the issues and to consider how we might respond. Confirmed dates below, please note St Ann’s change of day to Tuesday.

**All will start at 7.30pm**
**9th Feb                  Pancake party & Intro @ All Saints (Tues)
18th Feb                Sevenway’s Methodist (Sevenways ) (Thurs)
25th Feb                St Matthews’s Chapel Lane (Thurs)
1st Mar                  St Ann’s Chester Rd (Tues) (in sacristy or presbytery as social club not available)
10th Mar                Lutheran Church Park Rd (Thurs)
17th Mar                All Saints Barton Rd (Thurs)**

Booklets will be provided at the Pancake party. More details can be found here > <http://www.weareus.org.uk/resources/migrationintro/>

**CHURCH CONTACTS**

**Priest in Charge:** Revd. Luke Maguire 0161 865 1350

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**PCC Treasurer:** David Morris

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**Weddings, Reading of Banns, Baptisms** and other matters may be arranged by contacting the Churchwarden or Secretary above.

The church hall can be used as a meeting place or as a venue for your party? The hall is available for single events or regular meetings. Enquiries about booking the church-hall can be made by ringing the

**Hall Booking Secretary Mon-Fri 9am-5pm (Muriel - 865 7171).**

Find out all about us on our website

[**www.allsaintsstretford.org.uk**](http://www.allsaintsstretford.org.uk)

**Community groups @ CHURCH**

Are you looking to get involved?



**Rainbows** – laura.j.heaton@hotmail.co.uk

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**** MOB: 07814 645907 **Guides** - Steph MOB: 07989 642138

 **Dance** – Lorraine MOB: 07891 757616

***Sharing the love of Christ, the Light of the World, with the people of Stretford.***