

Readings for Sunday 10 March 2024

8am Holy Communion 2 Cor. 1. 3-7 Luke 2. 33-35
Lectionary pp64-65

10am All Age Communion
& Blessing 2 Cor. 1. 3-7. Luke 2. 33-35
Lectionary pp64-65

6pm Open Worship To be chosen.

Readings for Sunday 17 March 2024

8am Holy Communion Heb. 5. 5-10 John 12. 20-33
Lectionary 269-270

10am Healing Eucharist Heb. 5. 5-10 John 12. 20-33
Lectionary 269-270

6pm Evensong Rom. 5. 12-end Luke 22. 1-13
Psalm 34 (1-10)

PARISH REGISTER

There are no entries in the Parish Register this week.

Weekly Beacon



News from St Hildeburgh's The Parish Church of Hoylake Sunday 10 March 2024 The Fourth Sunday of Lent – Mothering Sunday

THE COLLECT

God of compassion,
whose Son Jesus Christ, the child of Mary,
shared the life of a home in Nazareth,
and on the cross drew the whole human family to himself:
strengthen us in our daily living
that in joy and in sorrow
we may know the power of your presence
to bind together and to heal;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

LENT REFLECTION AFTERNOONS

During Lent, Revd Paul and the Ministry Team will be hosting a series of Lent Reflection Afternoons.

**Meetings will be held at the Vicarage
at 2pm on the following Mondays:**

11 March. 18 March

All are welcome.

LENT LUNCHES

This year the Lent Lunches will be held at St John's Church, Birkenhead Road, Meols on the following Fridays:

**8 March
15 March
22 March**

A short service of reflection will be held in St John's church at **11.30am** followed by a simple lunch of homemade soup and bread in the Church Centre. Donations are in aid of charity.

ST HILDEBURGH'S GUILD ANNUAL GENERAL MEETING



Flowers arranged by members of St Hildeburgh's Guild – Easter 2023

St Hildeburgh's Guild AGM will take place in the Church Centre small meeting room on **Monday 11 March 2024 at 10.30am.**

Among many other things, members of the Guild look after the flowers, clean the brass and launder the white linen.

If you are interested in joining the Guild please come along to the meeting and find out more.

WEEKDAY SERVICES AT ST HILDEBURGH'S

MORNING PRAYER

Tuesdays and Thursdays at 9.15am in the Lady Chapel.

WEEKDAY EUCHARIST

Every Wednesday at 10am in the Lady Chapel.

PRAYER VIGIL AT ST HILDEBURGH'S

Tuesday evenings from 6pm to 6.30pm.

LENT DEVOTIONAL – 'FINDING MERCY ON THE WAY OF SORROW'

A couple of years ago, several of you found the Advent Devotional based on the book of Ruth, by Robin Ham, very helpful. This year Robin has written a Lent devotional based on the Book of Lamentations (see front cover photo)- "Finding Mercy on the Way of Sorrow", published by "10offthose". It will take you through Lent up to Easter on a daily basis, with readings, reflections and prayers, as well as a free Spotify musical daily playlist. They are only £1 each and at 130 pages, it is good value and hopefully very supportive and helpful.

If you would like to reserve a copy, please let Peter Ham know. Copies will also be available at the back of church. You might like to buy one for someone you know too.

PARISH SAFEGUARDING OFFICER (PSO) **PETER HAM**

Peter Ham writes:

In the event of a safeguarding concern, you can contact him by phone: 07444884879 or by email: safeguarding@sthildeburgh.org

If you hold a Safeguarding information card or leaflet, please alter the phone number of the PSO accordingly. Other contact phone numbers including those of the Diocesan Safeguarding Advisor and the Local Authority Safeguarding numbers for children and adults, remain the same. Please remember that safeguarding requires all of us to be vigilant.

SAFEGUARDING - A POCKET GUIDE

Please find at the back of Church, fresh copies of the Church of England's leaflet, "Safeguarding - a pocket guide." They give a brief but very helpful guide to help if you have any safeguarding concerns as well as dos and don'ts. On the back of the leaflets are the revised safeguarding contact numbers within the church, the Diocese and the Council. Please limit yourself to one leaflet per household and keep it somewhere prominent.

If you have any questions, please don't hesitate to contact me.
Peter Ham (Parish Safeguarding Officer).

Wirral Chamber Concert Series
96th Season 2023-24

Victor Lim (piano)



Schubert: Impromptu in B flat major, Op 142 No 3
Amy Beach: By the Still Waters, Op 114
Debussy: Suite Bergamasque, L.75
Schumann: Kreisleriana, Op 16



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Monday 25 March 2024 at 7.30pm
at St Hildeburgh's Church, Hoylake CH47 1HL
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Tickets - £18; Students - £5; 15 years and younger - Free
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