

Readings for this Sunday
11 October 2020
The Eighteenth Sunday After Trinity

Phil 4. 1-9
Matt 22. 1-14



Parish Register

Funerals

5 October - Dorothy Bailey at Blacon Crematorium
14 October – Audrey Sinclair at Landican Crematorium
15 October – Rex May – at Landican Crematoruim

Wedding

27 October – Gregory Osborne and Helen Turnbull-Ross

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The Collect

Almighty and everlasting God,
increase in us your gift of faith
that, forsaking what lies behind
and reaching out to that which is before,
we may run the way of your commandments
and win the crown of everlasting joy;
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.

A Note from Rev'd Paul

As we reopen the church according to Church of England instructions, it is very important to abide by the regulations for social distancing that have been marked out in church.

Please DO NOT sit on the chairs marked with an 'X' – the other chairs have been socially distanced in accordance with instructions. This is for everyone's safety in the current pandemic.

Please note that face coverings must be worn in church at all times.

Sunday Services

Each week a service of Holy Communion is available to view online at <https://www.sthildeburgh.org> or on Facebook at <https://www.facebook.com/sthildeburgh>

Morning Prayer in Church

Each Tuesday and Thursday at 10am. Please bring your own bible.

The church remains open for private devotional prayer Monday to Thursday 9am to 12 noon.

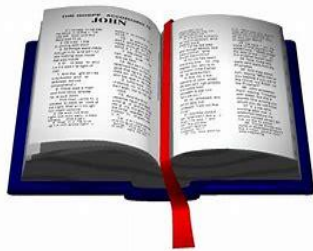
A Notice About Giving from The Treasurer



A big thank you to all of you who have helped to support church funds at a time when there have been no collections at church services. Your contributions help us to maintain our support for the local community. Please use any of these methods of payment:

- 1. Direct Payment to our Bank**
This is the easiest method for everybody if you have computer access or are able to travel to your branch.
Our Account Name:
Hoylake Parochial Church Council
Sort Code : **40-25-08**
Account Number : **20445800**
- 2. If you would like to set up a new gift aided donation contact George Dafnis on 632-5927.** He will supply the necessary form and information.
- 3. If you do not have computer access please enclose your donation in an envelope and post it through the vicarage front door.**
"Cheques should be made payable to Hoylake PCC"
If you already subscribe to the envelope system, please use your normal weekly envelope.
The postal address is The Vicarage, 1 Stanley Road, Hoylake, CH47 1HL if you are self isolating.
- 4. If you have any further queries please contact Lytton Goodwin on 632 6923.**

Our Readings for Sunday 11 October 2020



Philippians chapter 4. Verses 1 to 9

Therefore, my brothers and sisters, whom I love and long for, my joy and crown, stand firm in the Lord in this way, my beloved.

I urge Euodia and I urge Syntyche to be of the same mind in the Lord. Yes, and I ask you also, my loyal companion, help these women, for they have struggled beside me in the work of the Gospel together with Clement and the rest of my co-workers, whose names are in the book of life.

Rejoice in the Lord always; again I will say, Rejoice. Let your gentleness be known to everyone. The Lord is near. Do not worry about anything but in everything by prayer and supplication with thanksgiving let your requests be made known to God. And the peace of God which surpasses all understanding will guard your hearts and your minds in Christ Jesus.

Finally, beloved, whatever is true, whatever is honourable, whatever is just, whatever is pure, whatever is pleasing, whatever is commendable, if there is any excellence and if there is anything worthy of praise, think about these things. Keep on doing the things that you have learned and received and heard and seen in me, and the God of peace will be with you.

Matthew Chapter 22 verses 1 to 14

The Parable of the Wedding Banquet

Once more Jesus spoke to them in parables saying 'The Kingdom of heaven may be compared to a king who gave a wedding banquet for his son. He sent his slaves to call those who had been invited to the wedding banquet, but they would not come. Again, he sent other slaves, saying 'Tell those who have been invited: Look, I have prepared my dinner, my oxen and my fat calves have been slaughtered and everything is ready; come to the wedding banquet.' But they made light of it and went away, one to his farm, another to his business, while the rest seized his slaves, maltreated them and killed them.

The king was enraged. He sent his troops, destroyed those murderers, and burned their city. Then he said to his slaves, 'The wedding is ready, but those invited were not worthy. Go therefore into the main streets and invite everyone you find to the wedding banquet.' Those slaves went out into the streets and gathered all whom they found, both good and bad; so the wedding hall was filled with guests. But when the king came in to see the guests, he noticed a man there who was not wearing a wedding robe, and he said to him, 'Friend, how did you get in here without a wedding robe?' And he was speechless. Then the king said to the attendants. 'Bind him hand and foot, and throw him into the outer darkness, where there will be weeping and gnashing of teeth.' For many are called, but few are chosen.'



ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING

The 2020 APCM will be held on Sunday 18 October. However, this may be subject to change as things may alter. Further details will be in next week's issue of the Weekly Beacon.

ST HILDEBURGH'S ELECTORAL ROLL



The Electoral Roll is the parish register of those who qualify to vote at the annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) where the elections take place for the Parochial Church Council (the PCC), and the parish's representatives on the Deanery Synod.

If you are baptised, over 16 years of age and would like to be added to St Hildeburgh's Electoral Roll please email the Church Office www.sthildeburgh.parish.office@gmail.com for a form.

COVID19 - NHS TRACK AND TRACE QR CODE

If you are in church for any reason and have the NHS Track and Trace app on your smartphone, please scan the QR code on one of the posters displayed in church.

Help to reduce the spread of infection and save lives.

Chester Diocesan News



The October issue of CDN is now available to download from the Diocesan website www.chester.anglican.org

Voyagers At Home



This Sunday in Voyagers we read the story of Ruth and Naomi, a favourite of Lorna and Vanessa.

They said they really liked the way that Ruth didn't give up, she cared for Naomi and looked after her even when things were difficult. Her persistence reminded us not to get tired of doing good and looking out for those around us.

We have some lovely colourful pictures to remind us of the story.



Love and prayers,
Christine

Gift Aid

Are you a taxpayer? Did you know that we can claim an additional 20% of your donation back from the Inland Revenue under the Gift Aid Scheme? If you would like to Gift Aid your donation, please **include your name and address** in any correspondence.

Alternatively, if you are making a direct payment to our bank account please send your name and address to the Church Office for the attention of the Treasurer. www.sthildeburgh.parish.office@gmail.com

Wirral Foodbank

Thank you for your donations of food which have now been delivered to the Foodbank. The work of the Foodbank continues and your donations are needed more than ever.

Shopping List

Urgently needed items:

Tinned meat
Tinned vegetables
Tinned fruit
Custard
Tinned fish

Other items include:

Biscuits
UHT milk

**Please leave your donations in the porch at
The Vicarage 1 Stanley Road, Hoylake, CH47 1HL.**

Thank You!

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