

Readings for this Sunday 30 October

8am Holy Communion Eph. 1. 11-end Luke 6. 20-31
Lectionary pp 544-545

10am Family Praise Eph. 1. 11-end Luke 6. 20-31
Lectionary pp 544-545

4pm Service for the Departed Special readings

Readings for next Sunday 6 November

8am Holy Communion 2 Thess. 2. 1-5, 13-end Luke 20. 27-38
Lectionary pp 549-550

10am Healing Eucharist 2 Thess. 2. 1-5, 13-end Luke 20. 27-38
Lectionary pp 549-550

6pm Evensong Rom. 8. 31-end Matt. 22. 15-22
Psalm 40

Parish Register

Funerals

11 November – Frances 'Betty' Edwards
St Hildeburgh's at 2.30pm Landican Crematorium at 3.30pm

15 November – Mary Miriam Rowlands
Landican Crematorium at 11am. St Hildeburgh's at 12 noon

Weekly Beacon



News from St Hildeburgh's The Parish Church of Hoylake Sunday 30 October 2022 The Fourth Sunday before Advent

THE COLLECT

Almighty and eternal God,
you have kindled the flame of love
in the hearts of the saints:
grant to us the same faith and power of love,
that, as we rejoice in their triumphs,
we may be sustained by their example and fellowship;
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.

THE COLLECT FOR ALL SAINTS DAY



Almighty God,
you have knit together your elect
in one communion and fellowship
in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:
grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints
in all virtuous and godly living
that we may come to those inexpressible joys
that you have prepared for those who truly love you;
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.

FRIDAYS
10am
to
2PM

**Don't
FORGET!**



Community Cafe

St Hildeburgh's Church Centre
Stanley Road, Hoylake
Soup, Sandwiches,
Toasties, Jacket Spuds,
Hot Drinks

ALL Welcome!
No Charge!

COMMUNITY CAFÉ

It was wonderful to welcome folk to our Community Cafe on Friday morning!



Join us every Friday, 10am to 2pm, in St Hildeburgh's Church Centre.

There are FREE hot drinks, soup, sandwiches, toasties, jacket potatoes ... plus free WiFi.

Enjoy some company in a warm place. Bring your newspaper, work, knitting, or just enjoy a chat.

LAST SUNDAY AT ST HILDEBURGH'S



Our Voyagers discuss their work with Revd Richard.

CARD MACHINES

Did you know that you can now donate to St Hildeburgh's using your card? Our card machines are sited at the back of church – by the door leading to the church centre. Using a card machine to donate is quick and convenient and donations are always appreciated. Thank you.

FLOWER OF THE WEEK: PEACE LILY
126th in a series

Text by Peter Surridge. Photographs by Flower Council of Holland.

There are more than 40 species of *spathiphyllum* in the damp, tropical forests of Indonesia and the Americas but only two have made their mark in Britain. The first is *Spathiphyllum wallisii*, the original 'peace lily.' It is a popular houseplant reaching 30cm (12in), with dark, glossy, lance-shaped leaves all year. Long-lasting white spathes, rounded with a pointed tip, open to reveal a white flower spike or spadix. Normally, the spathes appear in spring and summer but controlled light and temperature conditions enable garden centres to offer them at most times of year. The true species is rarely on sale but excellent varieties which have been bred from it, such as *Clevelandii*, *Sweet Chico* (pictured) and a dwarf variety, *Petite*, are widely available.



**Left: *Spathiphyllum wallisii*
Sweet Chico.**

Second is *Spathiphyllum cochlearispathum*, a similar plant and a parent of many of the improved varieties available. These include *Mozart* (pictured), *Cupido*, *Illusion*, *Sensation* and *Marion Wagner*.



**Right: *Spathiphyllum*
*cochlearispathum Mozart.***

For a spacious room, choose the spectacular variety *Mauna Loa*, which comes from Hawaii and is named after the island's volcano. This grows to 60cm (24in) and produces a fine display of large spathes which turn green with age.

Spathiphyllums are evergreen perennials ideal for the house as long as they are kept out of direct sunlight in a room where the temperature is maintained above 13C (55F). For the best displays, they must be protected from cold draughts and, in spring and summer, irrigated with tepid water, given a weak solution of high-potash feed weekly and misted with lukewarm water in hot weather. In winter the plants should be moved to a brighter position and the compost kept just moist.

When roots fill the pot, they benefit from repotting in spring. That is also the best time to propagate, by dividing the roots. Peace lilies are generally free from pests and diseases. However, they are best kept away from young children because any part of the plant, if eaten, can cause a stomach upset and the sap can irritate skin.

SHARING FOOD AND WARMTH

in Hoylake and Meols

EVERYDAY

Warm Space – every morning, St Luke's Church opens its space as a warm place to be. Hot drinks available. 9am-12noon.

MONDAYS

Honesty Café – lunch is offered at St John's Church. 11.30am-1.30pm.

TUESDAYS

Bacon Butties – enjoy a hot drink and a bacon buttie or two at St Hildeburgh's Church. 10.30am-12noon.

WEDNESDAYS

Coffee Morning – enjoy a hot drink and access the Store 4 All (food and essentials) at St Luke's Church. 10am-12noon.

THURSDAYS

Bacon Butties – enjoy a hot drink and a bacon buttie or two at St John's Church. 10.30am-12noon.

Community Shop – food and essentials are available from The Life Tree community shop at Quirky Café. 10am-4pm.

Community Lunch – lunch is offered on the 4th Thursday of the month, 12noon-2pm at St Luke's. Book your place by calling 632 4986.

FRIDAYS

Community Café – enjoy a warm space and a hot lunch at St Hildeburgh's Church. 10am-2pm.

Food and Friends – enjoy a soup lunch and a time to chat and meet new people at St Luke's Church. 12noon-2pm.

SATURDAYS

Community Shop – food and essentials are available from The Life Tree community shop at Quirky Café. 1pm-4pm.

Bread is available from Quirky Café when it's open. (Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, Friday and Saturday, 9am-4pm)

If you are not able to access the Community Shop when the Quirky Café is open, pop a note with your contact details into the post box outside the Quirky Café and someone will be in touch to ensure you get the food you need.

All are welcome to share food and warmth at any of these places. They're all offered on a 'pay if you can' basis and are run by volunteers.

St Luke's Church – Market Street, Hoylake
St John's Church – Birkenhead Road, Meols
St Hildeburgh's Church – The King's Gap, Hoylake
Quirky Café – 124E Market Street, Hoylake

**Don't Forget
the Bacon!!**

**Every TUESDAY
from
10.30am to 12.00,
we have our
BACON BUTTY MORNING
in our CHURCH CENTRE
at St Hildeburgh's Church
in Hoylake**

**Bacon Butties (or toast)
a cup of Tea or Coffee
& a great chance to chat**

ALL are Welcome!

NO CHARGE (but donations welcome)

... see you on Tuesday?



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