

The Churches of St Bartholomew & St Chad Thurstaston and Irby



Welcome to Church today, we hope that you enjoy the service,
and gain a sense of God's presence with us.

Sunday 24th June 2012 - Trinity 3

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
9.30am	Family Communion	St Chad's
11.15am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
3.00pm	Baptism	St Bart's
6.30pm	Deanery Songs of Praise at St John's Meols	

Next Weeks Services

Mid-week Service

10.15am Holy Communion St Chad's

Sunday 1st July - Trinity 4

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
10.30am	Celebrating our Church Community	St Chad's
6.30pm	Songs of Praise	St Bart's

Junior Church at St Chad's
Children from age 2½ can attend.
There are activity bags available for children under the age of 2½.
In case you feel the need to remove your child from the service, please note that there is also a box of toys and cushions in the foyer

Would you like to receive this notice sheet every week direct to your e-mail in-box? If so, please send an e-mail request to the parish office

Notices and announcements!!!

Thank You to all who attended the 'Afternoon Tea' event. £60 was raised for 'The Open Door Project'.

EMU 8pm on Wednesday 27th June at St Chad's. Our speaker is Joanne Mills, a volunteer with Prison Fellowship, a Christian charity. This should be an interesting talk so please try to come along and support EMU (Evening Mothers' Union). All Welcome. Also we will be arranging our 'Summer Meal' so bring your diaries.

Sunday 1st July Come and 'Celebrate our Church Community'. 10.30am Morning Celebration at St Chad's followed by Bring & Share lunch at 12noon and 6.30pm Songs of Praise at St Bartholomew's.

Servers and Sacristans Needed for St Bartholomew's

Sacristan Duties:Preparation of sacristy/altar with bread, wine and sacred vessels for all communion services held on Sundays and Festival Days. On completion of communion service - clean and return all sacred vessels and their contents to their secure holdings within the vestry. **Server's Duties:**To assist presiding minister at the altar during the Eucharist. Serving the wine to communicants at the altar rail. Basic training will be provided. **Speak to Revd Jane, Geoff Burns, Elaine Kavanagh or Eleanor Dean if you would like to know more about either of these roles. If you would like to be involved, 8.00am congregation please speak to Malcolm Studholme, 9.30am congregation Beverley Appleyard, and Wednesday congregation Roger Jackson.**

The Revival of St Chad's Library Please feel free to browse the library and borrow a book. Just enter your details in the record book.

Crosstalk the June edition of the parish magazine is available at the back of church.

PCC Meeting, 7.30pm on Monday 25th June at St Chad's. Main items on the agenda will be 'Finances , GAP Year 3 (Growth Action Planning) and Thanksgiving Sunday (30th Sept)'. If you have any items of concern or questions about the life of the church, that you would like the PCC to consider, please speak to Revd Jane or any member of the PCC.

The Chester Mystery Plays www.chestermysteryplays.com Revd Jane attended this event in 2008 and she highly recommends it. She will be booking tickets for Monday 1st July 2013. If you would like to go, you will need to give Revd Jane your money by Sunday 1st July 2012.

Ticket Prices: Adults £25.00 Concessions £20.00 (Children, students, unwaged, over 60's, disabled and their carer) **Family £80.00** (2 adults and 2 children). For more information about this event please see June magazine.

M.U. Garden Party Thursday 5th July, 2.15pm at Joyce's garden, 135 Thingwall Road.

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Gospel Readings: (Mark 4:35-41)

All :Glory to you, O Lord

35When evening had come, Jesus said to his disciples, 'Let us go across to the other side.'

36And leaving the crowd behind, they took him with them in the boat, just as he was.

Other boats were with him.

37A great gale arose, and the waves beat into the boat, so that the boat was already being swamped.

38But he was in the stern, asleep on the cushion; and they woke him up and said to him, 'Teacher, do you not care that we are perishing?'

39He woke up and rebuked the wind, and said to the sea, 'Peace! Be still!' Then the wind ceased, and there was a dead calm.

40He said to them, 'Why are you afraid? Have you still no faith?'

41And they were filled with great awe and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that even the wind and the sea obey him?'

All: Praise to you, O Christ

Collect

God our saviour,
look on this wounded world
in pity and in power;
hold us fast to your promises of peace
won for us by your Son,
our Saviour Jesus Christ.

Amen

Post Communion Prayer

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining
and whose power we cannot comprehend:
show us your glory as far as we can grasp it,
and shield us from knowing more than we can bear
until we may look upon you without fear;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Amen

Readings for

Today

Job 38:1-11

2 Cor 6:1-13

Mark 4:35-41

Readings for

1st July

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FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

For the World: Please pray for Greece and the rest of Europe, that a solution may be found to the economic crisis.

For the parish: Please pray for Ella & Charles Bibby and Emily & Connie Pollitt to be baptised at St Bartholomew's today and their parents Michael & Emma and Alan & Dawn. Please pray for all young people taking exams at this time.

For the sick: We continue to pray for Max Kenny, Henry Lyth, and Emma Long and those known to us.

From the Anglican Prayer Cycle: PRAY for The Church of North India (United). The Most Revd Dr Philip Marandih Moderator of CNI & Bishop of Patna.

From the Diocesan Prayer Cycle:

Churchwardens, sidesmen and women, PCC members.

Pray for their witness of welcome to the community and particular responsibilities in parish life.

Bishop Robert on the fourth anniversary of his consecration.