

Gospel Readings: (Luke 4:14-21)

All :Glory to you, O Lord

14Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. 15He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone.

16When he came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, 17and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

18‘The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, 19to proclaim the year of the Lord’s favour.’ 20And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. 21Then he began to say to them, ‘Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.’

All: Praise to you, O Christ

Notices cont...

EMU Unfortunately the weather meant that the tea & toast was poorly attended. However we managed to raise £73.50, so thank you to all who contributed and helped.

MARRIAGE UNLOCKED Care for the Family Tour: This is on Wed 6th Feb at 7.30pm at the Doubletree Hotel Chester, CH23PD. Tea from 6.45pm. Whether your marriage is in good shape or in tough times, married months or years, and wanting to develop your friendship, this event will help you invest in your marriage. The Speakers are Katherine (Director of Care for the Family) and Richard Hill. The cost is £5 per ticket.

To book call 029 2081 0800 or see the web site www.careforthefamily.org.uk/marriage-unlocked

Robin Hood by West Wirral Gang Show Tickets still available for evening performances

Collect

God of heaven,
you send the gospel to the ends of the earth
and your messengers to every nation:
send your Holy Spirit to transform us
by the good news of everlasting life
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Post Communion Prayer

Generous Lord,
in word and eucharist we have proclaimed the
mystery of your love:
help us so to live out our days
that we may be signs of your wonders in the world;
through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Amen

Readings for Today

Neh 8:1-3,5-6,8-10
1 Cor 12:12-31a
Luke 4:14-21

Readings for 3rd February

St Chad's TBA
Gen 2:4b-9.15-25
Rev 4
Luke 8:22-25

FOR OUR PRAYERS THIS WEEK

For the World: Please pray for the homeless around the World.

For the parish: Please pray for the old and vulnerable in the cold weather conditions.

For the sick: We continue to pray for those known to us.

From the Anglican Prayer Cycle:

Archbishop Emmanuel Skowamju Egbunu, Lokoja (Lokoja, Nigeria)

From the Diocesan Prayer Cycle:

Poverty & Homeless Action Week.

Pray for the justice and righteousness that lets life flourish.

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 27th January - Epiphany 3

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
9.30am	Family Communion	St Chad's
11.15am	Morning Worship	St Bart's
6.30pm	Evening Worship	St Bart's

Next Weeks Services Mid-week Services

10.15am	Holy Communion	St Chad's
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Sunday 3rd February - Education Sunday 2nd Before Lent

8.00am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
9.30am	Family Service	St Chad's
11.15am	Holy Communion	St Bart's
6.30pm	Holy Communion	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!!!

Red Cross "Everyday First Aid" Course being run at St Chads on Tuesday 5th March 7.30-9.30pm. Please contact Julie DeBoorder or the Parish Office if you would like to do this 2 hour course. Places allocated on a first come first served basis - maximum of 15 people. This course usually costs £12.50 per person, but as we are a church, it has been agreed that the course can run for a minimum donation of £1.00 per person. Please bring your donation to Red Cross on the night.

General Synod Decision on Women Bishops: Bishop Peter invites YOU to an open meeting for Laity at Foxhill (Tarvin Rd, Frodsham, WA6 6XB) on 31st January 2013 7.00 for 7.30pm. The primary purpose is to enable Bishop Peter and others to listen to a range of opinions and reaction from within the diocese, and to discuss ways in which the question of women in the episcopate might now be taken forward.

Men's Breakfast on Saturday 2nd February, 8.45am at Aroma Café, Irby.

Wirral Men's Breakfast Meeting The next meeting is to be held on Sat 2nd Feb, 8.00am at Thornton Hall Hotel. Bishop Keith will be the speaker and the topic is 'Ask the Bishop'. Mark Woodger would like to receive questions a week or so in advance of the meeting, so if anyone wishes to attend and would like to ask Bishop Keith a question at the meeting, please would they kindly email Mark Woodger: mnwoodger@gmail.com by 25th January.

Quiz Night 7.15pm on Saturday 2nd February at St Chad's. Tickets £3 available from Viv Hutchison at St Bart's or from Patsy Brady at St Chad's (648 4379). There will be light refreshments (help required in the half time break) and a raffle (donations gratefully received) and the winning teams will receive a small prize after battling it out over a variety of rounds. Any surplus funds will be donated to church funds.

Magazine subscriptions These are now due for 2013. If you see your deliverer please pay them.

Alternatively either post a cheque for £4.00 payable to Thurstaston PCC, to St Chad's Church Office, Roslin Road, Irby, CH61 3UH or pay on-line at 40.52.40 00018674, putting your surname and mag subs as reference.

Lent Lunches: We are hoping that we will be able to have a Lent Lunch(es) during Lent and would like to hear from anyone that would like to be involved. The lunches will be very simple (soup, French stick and cheese). We'll need volunteers to make pans of soup, others to help serve and wash up etc. If you could help, please contact Lesley Roberts (342 2149) who will co-ordinate this for us. We hope that this will be an ecumenical venture shared with our Methodist friends. The idea is that people make a donation and all profit will be given to charity. Dates will be arranged once we know how many volunteers we have.

PCC Meeting The PCC will meet on Monday 4th February, 7.30pm at St Chad's.

Notices cont overleaf....

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