



WELCOME TO ST CHAD LADYBARN

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“...the smallest of all the seeds on earth” Mark 4.31

This morning's music

57 Awake my soul and with the sun
(Part I and Doxology)
79 Blest are the pure in heart
702 The church's one foundation
737 Thee we adore, O hidden Saviour, we
574 O praise ye the Lord
Schumann: Traumerei



This morning's readings

Ezekiel 17.22-24 (reader: Opal Walsh);
2 Cor 5.6-10, 14-17 (reader: Judy Fletcher);
Mark 4.26-34 (Gospeller: Colin Powell);
Intercessor: Leslie Fletcher

Today's Eucharistic Prayer: B

Prayer in the silence after communion

Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails:
deepen our faithfulness to you and to your
living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect for Second Sunday after Trinity

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings
without love are nothing worth: send your Holy
Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent
gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all
virtues, without which whoever lives is counted
dead before you. Grant this for your only Son
Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with
you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now
and for ever.

Post-Communion: 2nd Sunday after Trinity

Loving Father, we thank you for feeding us at the
supper of your Son: sustain us with your Spirit,
that we may serve you here on earth until our joy is
complete in heaven, and we share in the eternal
banquet with Jesus Christ our Lord.

Tea & coffee are served in the Hall

after the morning service – all welcome

Last week & today Thanks to all who helped at Open Gardens. The Wildlife Garden is blooming at present – the garden is open so take a look for yourself at honeysuckle, poppies, pink and white campion, yellow flag iris and blue iris, clover, star of Bethlehem, lavender, foxgloves, ox-eye daisies and meadow buttercup.

This week and further ahead

- 16 June ~ Tuesday 7.30pm Holy Communion; 8.00pm Book Group; to discuss Rhidian Brook's *The Aftermath*
- 18 June ~ Wednesday 11.00am – 12.00noon (with tea & coffee from 10.30am) Bible study in the Hall
- 19 June ~ Thursday 10.00am Holy Communion. 8.00pm Bible study
- 20 June ~ Saturday 1.00pm – 4.00pm: Ladybarn Park Community Day. Attractions include a plant stall with proceeds to church funds.
7.30pm *Music for a Summer's Evening* at Christ Church West Didsbury with Manchester Chorale. More details at <http://christchurchdidsbury.org.uk>
- 21 June ~ Sunday 10.00 am at St John the Evangelist, Old Trafford: Peter Scott presides at the Eucharist for the first time, followed by lunch. Visitors from St Chad's very welcome.
- 27 June ~ Saturday 10.00am – 3.00pm at William Temple Church, Wythenshawe: Deanery training workshop *Culture of Invitation* with Michael Harvey, co-founder of Back to Church Sunday. Learn more about how we can become not just a welcoming but an inviting church. Let Elizabeth know if you would like to attend.
- 28 June ~ Sunday 7.00pm at St Nicks: Burnage Community Choir Concert *A Night at the Movies*. Tickets £5 from Barbara, Freda or Judy.
- 14 July ~ Tuesday Ladies Group canal trip on *The Judith Mary* at Whaley Bridge. Tickets £26 include supper and coach from Diane or Jenny. All welcome

Next Sunday, Third Sunday after Trinity (Proper 7)

Job 38.1-11 (reader: Barbara Purvis); Psalm 107.1-3,23-32; 2 Corinthians 6.1-13 (reader: Jean Nixon);
Mark 4.35-41 (Gospeller: Helen Reid); Intercessor: Jenny Black

A note on this morning's intercessions

In his sermon last Sunday, Canon Radcliffe said how valuable to his personal prayers he found visual reminders of who or what he was praying for. I decided to follow this up by providing the images overleaf to go along with this morning's intercessions. I hope they will enhance the usual spoken biddings which I have prepared and comments would be most welcome. Leslie Fletcher