



# WELCOME TO ST CHAD LADYBARN

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We welcome Revd Alan Simpson from St Nick's to preside and preach

### This morning's music

767 Thou, whose almighty word  
 79 Blest are the pure in heart  
 556 O Jesus, I have promised  
 201 Forth in thy name, O Lord I go  
 91 Brother, sister let me serve you

### This morning's readings

**Isaiah 58.1-12** (Reader: Robert Nicholls); Ps 112;  
**1 Corinthians 2.1-16** (Reader: Diane Wynn);  
**Matthew 5.13-20** (Gospeller: Helen Reid),  
 Intercessor: Leslie Fletcher

### This morning's Eucharistic Prayer: B

### Prayer in the silence after communion

Lord of the hosts of heaven, our salvation and our strength, without you we are lost: guard us from all that harms or hurts and raise us when we fall; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

### Collect for Fourth Sunday before Lent

O God, you know us to be set in the midst of so many and great dangers, that by reason of the frailty of our nature we cannot always stand upright: grant to us such strength and protection as may support us in all dangers and carry us through all temptations; 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.

### Post Communion: 4th Sunday before Lent

Go before us, Lord, in all we do with your most gracious favour, and guide us with your continual help, that in all our works begun, continued and ended in you, we may glorify your holy name, and finally by your mercy receive everlasting life; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

**Tea & coffee are served in the Hall after the morning service. All welcome**

**Mission Action Planning** Have you contributed your thoughts on St Chad's values, strengths, weaknesses, priorities, ... ? There is still time to do this, in the Hall today or visit <https://tinyurl.com/MAP-questionnaire>.

### 6.30pm today

#### Evensong

#### Readings

### Hymns & Psalm

773 Thy kingdom come!

481 Lord thy word abideth

Amos 2.4-end: Ephesians 4.17-end

Psalm 4

715 The king of love my shepherd is

### This week and further ahead

- 7 February ~ Tuesday 7.30pm Holy communion followed at 8.00pm by PCC meeting
- 9 February ~ Thursday 10.00am Holy Communion
- 10 February ~ Friday Spend an hour collecting for Christian Aid in the Tesco Store in Burnage. See Leslie Fletcher or sign up at <https://tinyurl.com/Tesco-ChristianAid-collections>
- 10 February ~ Friday 7.30-10.30pm at St Cuthbert's Parish Hall, Palatine Road: L'Arche Boogie Night – an accessible, family friendly disco for people with and without learning disabilities. Free entry, if you can bring snacks to share and money for the bar.
- 12 February ~ Sunday Traidcraft sale in the Hall after the Parish Communion
- 18 February ~ Saturday 10.00am at St Nick's: *Tips and practice* session for readers and intercessors
- 3 March ~ Friday 2.00pm at Withington Methodist Church: Women's World Day of Prayer service
- 27 February – 12 March Fair Trade Fortnight – joint event with St Nick's being planned. More next week

### Two big dates for your diary

- 5 March ~ Sunday 10.00am Parish Eucharist followed by Parish Lunch to celebrate St Chad's Day. The congregation from St Nick's will be joining us to take part in the cross-licensing of Alan, Mark and Rachel to our two churches
- 23 April ~ Sunday Annual Parish Meetings in the Hall after the Parish Communion

### Next Sunday, Third Sunday before Lent, Proper 2

**Deuteronomy 30.15-20** or **Ecclesiasticus 15.15-20** (Reader: Jenny Black); Psalm 119.1-8; **1 Corinthians 3.1-9** (Reader: Kathleen Mulligan); **Matthew 5.21-37** (Gospeller: Colin Powell), Intercessor: Opal Walsh