



WELCOME TO ST CHAD LADYBARN in Christian Aid Week

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"...like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood.." 1 Peter 2:5

This morning's music

541 O for a thousand tongues to sing
321 How sweet the name of Jesus sounds
772 Thy hand, O God, has guided
819 When I needed a neighbour
96 Christ is made the sure foundation

Coleman: Voluntary on St Albinus



This morning's readings

Acts 7.55-60 (Reader: Diane Wynn);
Psalm 31; **1 Peter 2.2-10** (Reader: Laverne Ward); **John 14.1-14** (Gospeller: Opal Walsh).
Intercessor: Leslie Fletcher

Today's Eucharistic Prayer: F

Prayer in the silence after communion

Risen Christ, your wounds declare your love for the world and the wonder of your risen life: give us compassion and courage to risk ourselves for those we serve, to the glory of God the Father.

Collect: Fifth Sunday of Easter

Almighty God, who through your only-begotten Son Jesus Christ have overcome death and opened to us the gate of everlasting life: grant that, as by your grace going before us you put into our minds good desires, so by your continual help we may bring them to good effect; through Jesus Christ our risen Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Gospel acclamation Reader: Alleluia, Alleluia. I am the first and the last, says the Lord, and the living one; I was dead, and behold I am alive for evermore. **Response: Alleluia**

Post-Communion: 5th Sunday of Easter

Eternal God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life: grant us to walk in his way, to rejoice in his truth, and to share his risen life; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever.

Tea and coffee are served in the Hall after the morning service – all welcome

Eastertide greeting

President: The Lord be with you
All: And also with you
President: Alleluia. Christ is risen
All He is risen indeed. Alleluia

Eastertide dismissal

President: Go in the peace of Christ,
Alleluia, Alleluia;
All: Thanks be to God, Alleluia, Alleluia

Next Sunday, the Sixth Sunday of Easter

Acts 17.22-3 (Reader: Leslie Fletcher); Psalm 66.7-18; **1 Peter 3.13-22** (Reader: Kathleen Mulligan);
John 14.15-21 (Gospeller: Helen Reid). Intercessor: Helen Reid

Thanks To all who helped raise £130 at Tuesday's Coffee Evening and Bring & Buy sale

Next week and further ahead

- 16 May ~ Tuesday 7.30pm Holy Communion followed at 8.00pm by Book Group
- 17 May ~ Wednesday 11.00am – 2.00pm at St Paul's Church Hall: 'The Hive' Community Kitchen, a partnership between L'Arche Manchester, St Paul's Church and the Withington & Fallowfield Foodbank, Hot food, cold food, or just a drink.
- 18 May ~ Thursday 10.00am Holy Communion
- 21 May ~ Sunday 3.00pm Organ recital with Kenson Li. Music by Buxtehude, Bach, Mendelssohn and Duruffe. Free admission and refreshments
- 22 May ~ Monday 7.30pm at St Nick's: short service to complete legalities of cross-licensing with Bishop Mark and Area Dean
- 24 May ~ Wednesday 7.30pm at Manchester Cathedral: Archdeacon's Visitation (Only one this year)
- 25 May ~ Thursday 7.30pm at St Chad's: Deanery Ascension Day Eucharist with preacher the Venerable Karen Lund, newly installed Archdeacon of Manchester. Refreshments afterwards
- 11 June ~ Sunday 12.30pm in the Hall: launch of "Sunday Table", a new Fresh Expressions gathering at St Chad's. Much more about this in the new few weeks
- 16 June ~ Friday 7.30pm (start time tbc) Burnage Community Choir Concert
- 24 June ~ Saturday Lunchtime: Summer Fair with stalls, refreshments, children's activities, ...

