

St Chad's Ladybarn



5th

Michaelmas Sunday Sunday of Creationtide

1 October 2023



"Are not all angels spirits in the divine service, sent to serve for the sake of those who are to inherit salvation?" Hebrew 1:14

This morning's music

- 582 O Worship the King, all glorious above
- 574 O Praise ye the Lord, praise him in the height
- 67 Beauty for brokenness
- 362 Inspired by love and anger (*Communion*)
- 692 Tell out my soul

This morning's readings and prayers

Revelation 12:7-12 (Reader: Peter Knight),
Ps 124, **Hebrews 1:5-end** (Reader: Robert Nichols), **John 1:47-end** (Gospeller: Helen Reid)
Intercessor: Leslie Fletcher

Prayer in the silence after communion

Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord.

Collect for Michaelmas

Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth; 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.

Gospel acclamation: Reader Alleluia, alleluia. Bless the Lord, all you his hosts, you ministers of his who do his will.

Response: Alleluia, Alleluia

Post-Communion for Michaelmas

Lord of heaven, in this eucharist you have brought us near to an innumerable company of angels and to the spirits of the saints made perfect: as in this food of our earthly pilgrimage we have shared their fellowship, so may we come to share their joy in heaven; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Next Sunday, Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity, Proper 20: Exodus 20:1-4,7-9,12-20 (Reader: Pam Race), Psalm 124, **Philippians 3:4b-14** (Reader: Jenny Black/Diane Wynn), **Matthew 21:33-end** (Gospeller: Opal Walsh), Intercessor: Mark Hewerdine

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| Thanks to all who | donated to the Food Bank for Harvest Thanksgiving. | | <i>The Food Bank needs long-life milk and fruit juice and tinned soup.</i> |
| Collection for Christian Aid | Please put whatever you can afford in the Christian Aid envelope and put your details on the back for Gift Aid. | | |
| 11.00 am today | To mark the end of Creationtide we will bless and re-dedicate the Community Orchard and Wildlife Garden immediately after the end of this service. | | |
| 6.30pm today | Hymns | 65 Be thou my guardian and my guide Psalms 124 | 547 O God our help in ages past 201 Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go |
| Evensong | Readings | Ezekiel 37.15-end, 1 John 2. 22-end | |
| Tuesday 3 October | 10.00am Holy Communion in church 1.00am – 12.30pm Chatty Tuesday | | |
| Wednesday 4 October | 10.00am – 3.00pm We welcome student volunteers from Manchester University to help look after our grounds. Help needed with meeting and greeting the students, keeping them supplied with drinks and snacks, Talk to Helen or Judy if you can help. | | |
| Saturday 14 October | 10.00am – 12.00noon at Holy Innocents, also on 18 November and 9 December: Three talks on the history of Fallowfield since 1872, the year the church was consecrated. | | |
| Friday 20 October | 7.30pm at St Nick's: Concert with Greater Manchester Voices. Tickets £8 at the door | | |
| Saturday 21 October | 1.00pm – 3.00pm. <i>Great Sacred Music</i> , St Chad's turn to host an afternoon service of readings, reflections and songs from the great classical music of our religious heritage. The service led by the HeartEdge Manchester Clergy and Choral Scholars. | | |
| Parish Share Income Survey | Please complete an annual Parish Share Income Survey form and post it in the box at the back of church. The survey is anonymous & no-one at St Chad's sees the completed forms. The smaller your income, the more important it is that you complete a form. | | |
| Security | Please take care of your belongings, particularly when you go up to receive communion. | | |