



Church of the Holy Spirit

Mossley Parish

(Charity Registration No. NIC103262)

Sunday 26th November 2023

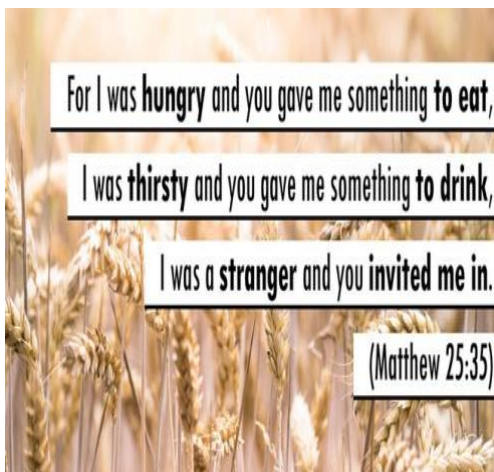
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WELCOME to the Church of the Holy Spirit!

Thank you for joining with us for our in-church and online services. This week we are reflecting on Christian service and what it means to follow Jesus faithfully.

COLLECT OF THE DAY **(The Kingship of Christ)**

Eternal Father, whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King: keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace, and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet, who is alive and reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. **Amen.**



TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

Morning Matthew 25:31-46

Evening 2nd Samuel 23:1-7
Matthew 28:16-20

GET IN TOUCH

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Our Online Service will be available on YouTube from 11am and Facebook, our website, and the dial-in facility at 12.30pm.

Announcements

Monday 27th November

- Splat Messy Play will be in the Parish Centre from 9.30am – 12.30pm.
- Gillian Jones Dance Academy is in the Parish Centre from 3.45pm until 5.45pm.
- GB meets in the Parish Centre. All sections start at 6.30pm and the finish times are: Tinies (7.30pm); Explorers (7.45pm); all other sections (8pm).

Tuesday 28th November

- Baby Sensory classes continue in the Main Hall (9am-1pm).
- SureStart *Baby Yoga* will be in the Carntall Room from 11am until 12noon.
- Our Bible Study Group will meet at 7.30pm in the Carntall Room. This week we looking at Mark 5:1-20. An Online Study will be released at 7pm.

Wednesday 29th November

- Midweek Holy Communion at 10am.
- SureStart *Family Fun* will be in the Main Hall from 9.15am until 12.15pm.
- Gillian Jones Dance Academy is in the Carntall Room from 5.30pm until 6.15pm.
- Bowling Club meets at 7pm in the Parish Centre.
- The Prayer Fellowship meets in the Pentecost Room at 7.30pm.

Thursday 30th November

- Choir practice at 7.30pm in the church building. Anyone who would like to join the choir for the Carol Service will be made very welcome! Please contact Jane or any choir member and come along to the practices each week.
- Badminton Club meets in the Main Hall at 7.30pm.

Friday 1st December

- Dove Tots meet at 10am in the Main Hall.

- SureStart *Story Massage* will be in the Carntall Room from 9.15am until 12.30pm.

Saturday 2nd December

- Our Christmas Fair will be held in the Parish Centre from 10am until 1pm. Please do plan to come along.
- KidzKlub meets from 5.30pm-7pm in the Parish Centre. All children between the ages of 4 and 7 are welcome.

For Your Information

Advent Services

Our Advent Services will be held on Wednesday evenings at 7pm in the church building, starting on Wednesday 6th December and concluding on Wednesday 20th December. Please do come along.

Christmas Hamper Appeal

Sincere thanks to everyone who has already donated to this year's Christmas Hamper Appeal. We will continue to receive donations of items during November and early December. If anyone would prefer to make a financial donation, please speak to the Rector.

Grief Share Service

Next Sunday evening (3rd December) we will be having a special service of reflection at 6pm. This service will be particularly relevant to anyone who has recently experienced bereavement or is struggling with a sense of grief. Please do join with us.

Tea Brew Rota

Thank you to all who have agreed to be part of the Tea Brew Rota.
November 26th. Iris Allen, Karen Henry & Sylvia Sloan

December 3rd, 10th, 17th. Maureen Irwin & Winnie Millar

Please note, no tea after church on 24th and 31st December

Prayer List

If you want a name put on the prayer list, please fill in the prayer request slip in the church porch and then place it in the box provided. Alternatively, you can email them to rectormossley@hotmail.com

Eddie	Victor	Margo	Steven	Kelly
Etta	Carter	Pat	Arlene	Jim
Ella	Dorothy	Albert	Gareth	Eileen
Walter	Paul	Elaine	Ian	Barry
Jean	Alan	Mark	Rosemary	Thomas
Marlou	Iris	Justin	Marlene	Gladys
Tomas	Lavina	Wilma	Ashley	Maureen
Angela	Jim	Louise	Phyllis	Arlene
Christine	David	Anne	Roy	Alan
Lisa	John	Brenda	Deborah	Marie
Thomas				

Prayer Focus

Local: Pastor Clara McClay and Glenvarna Christian Centre.

District: Woodford.

Parish Organisations: Dove Tots.

Connor Diocese: Bishop George Davison.

Church of Ireland: Dioceses of Cork, Cloyne & Ross and Bishop Paul Colton.

Mission Partnerships: Tansen Hospital and SAMS Ireland.

Wider World: an end to the conflict between Israel and Hamas; the rescue efforts in India's Uttarakhand state as 41 workers remain trapped in a tunnel following a landslide; everyone affected by severe flooding in south-eastern Kenya; the people of Brazil as the unprecedented heatwave continues; the families of the 21 people who have died following torrential rain and flooding in the Dominican Republic; an end to the violence and rioting in Dublin; lasting peace and stability in Niger, Ethiopia and Sudan; the ongoing migrant crisis at the USA / Mexico border.