

Welcome

A warm welcome to St Chad's and St Hilda's, especially if you are visiting us for the first time.

If you require a gluten free wafer or if you need to receive communion in your seat, please let a sidesperson know. We have a hearing loop, accessible bathroom, baby changing facilities and large print service books available.

St Chad's JC Kids – Explorers meet from 9.45am to 10.45am in the Poulton le Fylde Community Hall, Vicarage Road, FY6 7BE

Everyone is welcome! Children 0 to 6 years are welcome to attend with parents, guardians, or carers. Children 7 to 11 years may choose to attend without parental supervision, if this is felt to be appropriate.

Please note Parish Communion is livestreamed and recorded for our YouTube channel for the benefit of those who cannot join us. If you do not wish to appear on camera, please let a sidesperson know and they will guide you to our designated camera-free seating area.

News

Today we keep Harvest Thanksgiving at St Chad's.

This morning at 10.00am we will have an All-Age Harvest Celebration with our puppeteers.

Tomorrow at 9.30am Poulton CE School will gather in St Chad's for their Harvest Service.

A big thank you to the Flower Guild who have been hard at work to decorate the Church and prepare floral arrangements for the sick and housebound.

There is a plate for donations towards the cost of Harvest flowers at the back of church today.

Financial gifts will go to support The Bishop of Blackburn's Harvest Appeal for our Linked Diocese of Liwolo in South Sudan. In the face of armed conflict there is an urgent need for emergency relief and healthcare facilities. Please give generously.

Next Sunday both St Anne's Singleton and St Hilda's Carleton will keep their Harvest Thanksgiving, St Anne's at 9.30am and St Hilda's at 11.00am both in the form of All-Age Worship.

At all of these services we will be collecting dried and tinned goods to help homeless projects and the local Foodbank.

This evening at 6.00pm churches from across the Deanery are coming together for a Deanery Evensong in St Peter's Fleetwood. Musicians and choristers from Poulton, Carleton and Singleton have been preparing, and will join together with those from other churches. It would be good to have parishioners support them on this occasion, in the hope that a future Deanery Choral evensong will take place at St Chad's.

On Tuesday at 9.00am we will be distributing harvest flowers. If you are able to assist us please come along at that time.

The joint funeral of Vic and Jennifer Fawcett will take place in St Chad's on Friday at 11.30am.

Fylde, Wyre and Blackpool Women's Refuges and a Men's Refuge.

We continue to collect any size of nappies, shampoos, conditioners and any cleaning items, also plates, bowls etc and pyjamas. Men's toiletries are also needed for the Men's Refuge.

Advanced Notices

Why bother with Jesus? You are warmly invited to a St Chad's evening meal at Singleton Lodge on Thursday 15th October at 6.30pm for 7pm. Why not bring a friend or family member to hear our guest speaker Rev Rico Tice address this question which is asked by many people today. Price is £37.50 per person including a welcome drink, a 3 course dinner and tea/coffee. Please contact David on davidpgascoigne@gmail.com or 07768 303462 to book your tickets (£10 deposit please).

Christianity Explored is an informal and relaxed seven-week course for anyone who wants to explore the Christian faith - or have "a refresher". You don't need to know anything about the Bible and you won't be asked to pray or sing. You can ask any question you like, or just sit and listen. By reading Mark's gospel we will consider: Who is Jesus? What has he achieved for us? What does it mean to follow him? The course is free and it starts on Tues 27th Oct and finishes on Tues 8th Dec. 6:45pm Hot Meal. 7:30pm Explore & Discuss. 9pm Finish. If you'd like to join the course or find out more then please contact David & Lee on davidpgascoigne@gmail.com or 07768 303462

This Coming Week

Monday

9.30am Poulton CE School Harvest Service St Chad's

Tuesday

9.00am Distribution of Harvest flowers St Chad's

10.00 am Holy Communion St Chad's

Wednesday

Thursday

10 – 12 noon Community Coffee Morning St Hilda's Hall

11.30am Holy Communion St Chad's

Friday

10.00 Little Gang St Chad's Poulton Community Centre

11.30am Joint funeral of Vic and Jennifer Fawcett

7.30pm Holy Communion St Chad's

Saturday

Sunday 11 October Trinity 19

8.00am Holy Communion St Chad's

10.00am Parish Communion St Chad's

11.00am All-Age Harvest Thanksgiving St Hilda's

Readings St Chad's : Isaiah 25 v 1-9 Philippians 4 v 1-9
Mathew 22 v 1-14

Readings St Hilda's : Deuteronomy 8 v 7-18 2 Corinthians 9 v 6-15
Luke 12 v 16-30

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4th OCTOBER

HARVEST THANKSGIVING

St Chad's Poulton-le-Fylde
and St Hilda's Carleton

Sunday services:

8.00am Holy Communion St Chad's

10.00am All-Age Harvest Celebration St Chad's

11.00am Holy Communion St Hilda's

6.00pm Deanery Evensong St Peter's Fleetwood

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Luke 12 v 16-30

Readings St Hilda's : Isaiah 5 v 1-7 Philippians 3 v 4b-14
Matthew 21 v 33-end

Collect: Creator God,

you made the goodness of the land,
the riches of the sea
and the rhythm of the seasons;
as we thank you for the harvest,
may we cherish and respect
this planet and its peoples,
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

In our community we pray for those who live and work in:

Brentwood Avenue, Briarfield Road

Broadfield Avenue, Brockholes Crescent