

# St Lawrence's Church

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Notices for the week starting 19th June 2011

<b>Monday</b>	Deanery Mission & Pastoral Committee	7:30 pm
<b>Friday</b>	DCT Christian Aid Concert ~ St Anne's Haughton	7:30 pm
<b>Next Sunday 26th June</b>	Early said service of Morning Prayer Morning Prayer	9:30 am 10:45 am

☺ Last week there was **£59.54** in the **Pink Envelopes** for the renovation fund. Many thanks for this.

☺ We will be having another Songs of Praise service on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September. Please place your hymn requests and reason for the choice in the plate in the baptistery

## Fund Raising

Do you have any old **mobile phones** with or without chargers? We can collect these and exchange them for cash for the re-ordering funds. Please deposit unwanted phones in the **box in the baptistery**



Is your house cluttered with **unwanted / unused gadgets**? Would you like church to sell them on EBay (like an on-line car boot sale) and donate the proceeds to the re-ordering fund. Please see **Denise Rose** for more details

We plan to have a **stall in Victoria Park on Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> September** as part of the Denton Carnival celebrations.



There will be games and activities for children, leaflets advertising our Open Weeks and to raise funds to make our Church a safe and inviting community venue.

## Holy Communion

### Trinity Sunday

310 Holy, Holy, Holy

Reading: 2 Corinthians 13: 11-end (Page 1167)

498 Majesty

Reading: Matthew 28: 16-20 (Page 1001)

506 May the mind of Christ my Saviour

*(During this hymn a collection will be taken)*

177 Father we love you

618 Praise God from whom all blessings flow

777 To God be the glory

### Collect

Holy God,  
faithful and unchanging:  
enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth,  
and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love,  
that we may truly worship you,  
Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.

### Response

Holy God, Holy and Strong One  
**hear us and help us**

### Post Communion Prayer

Almighty and eternal God,  
you have revealed yourself as Father, Son and Holy Spirit,  
and live and reign in the perfect unity of love:  
hold us firm in this faith,  
that we may know you in all your ways  
and evermore rejoice in your eternal glory,  
who are three Persons yet one God,  
now and for ever.

## Forthcoming Events

July 2nd	Summer Fair at Hope URC	10:00am
July 5th	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence's Lodge	2:00 pm
July 6th	Holy Communion ~ Pendle House	2:00 pm
	Deanery Synod at St. Mary's Droylsden	7:30 pm
July 27th	Sing a New Song – practise for everyone	7:30 pm
August 7th	Joint Communion Service with +Mark preaching	10:30 am
August 8th – 14th	St Lawrence Open Week	
September 8th – 11th	Heritage Open Days	
September 10 <sup>th</sup>	Concert by the A Cappella Choir	7:30 pm
September 11th	Songs of Praise and Denton Carnival	

**See notices in Baptistry** for Christian Aid Concert 24th June and Flower Festival 7th – 9th July

Opportunities to help **local charities** through sponsorship.

- **Audrey Maskell** is walking in **Cancer Research UK Race for Life** at Heaton Park Saturday 9th July
- **Gillian Mellish** and **Sheila Cant** are walking in the **Willow Wood Hospice Midnight Wander** Saturday 2nd July.



If you wish to support either of these charities please see the individual walkers.

Please remember **others that we support** through **prayer**, by **buying** one extra item for Well Spring, by **saving** used stamps for Leprosy Mission, by **giving time** to others to brighten their day, help them out and to share your faith

## Progress update on the East End Project

The contractors have begun work on the walls at the east end and also on the Lych Gate path.



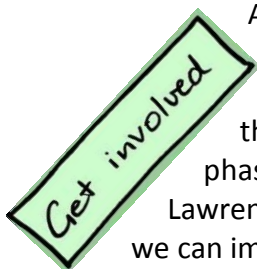
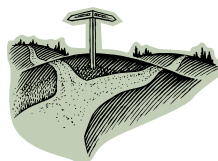
The site progress meeting indicated work is going well on time and within budget. The contractors have been instructed to fix the **path near the south porch** as it is a health and safety hazard. This work will be paid for by the council.

Our architect has recommended a contractor for the **stained glass repairs and renovations** and we have received approval for this work to proceed from Archdeacon Cherry Vann and the DAC Secretary under the East End faculty.

**Please note the path will be closed off for a few weeks.**

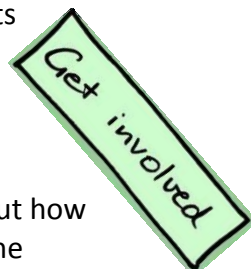
**Access to Church will be from the Market Street entrance.**

**Re-ordering** –The plans for re-ordering were re-presented during 5<sup>th</sup> June’s morning service. There is still time to **let Elizabeth know your comments and opinions.**



A separate sheet showing the comments and questions (with answers where possible), received so far is available this morning. This is a very important phase in the mission and worship of St.

Lawrence’s Parish. We can begin to think about how we can improve our worship space and attract the community to use the building.



How can **you** use your skills, talents and time to make this happen?

**Jeremiah 6:16** This is what the LORD says:

“Stand at the crossroads and look; ask for the ancient paths, ask where the good way is, and walk in it, and you will find rest for your souls.