

**Sunday, 21st October 2018**  
**The Twenty-first Sunday after Trinity**

**A warm welcome to St Cuthbert's today**

*We are pleased to offer a loop system for those with hearing difficulties - just turn your hearing aid to the T setting.*

**8:30am Holy Communion [BCP]**

President: The Revd Nick Wells

Preacher: The Revd Adam Thomas

Readings: Hebrews 5. 1-10; Mark 10. 35-45.

**10:00am Holy Communion**

President: The Revd Nick Wells

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Psalm 91 vv 9-16

Readings: as above.

Sunday School is on half term break

**6:00pm Evening Prayer**

Officiant: Nicola Whitehead

Psalm 141

Readings: Joshua 14. 6-14; Matthew 12. 1-21.

**7:00pm Contemporary Worship**

Lead by Bev Wells and The Revd Adam Thomas

**Community Craft Group.** Thank you to all who gave to the lavender bag appeal for Cancer Research UK. £45 was raised and passed on resulting in a letter of thanks from the charity. You may have noticed that the lavender has not been picked this year as we had no volunteers. Should anyone wish to help us in this way either this year or next please say as the lavender gives pleasure and obviously has contributed to charities as well.

**Memorial Service.** Our annual All Souls Memorial Service will be held on Sunday, 28<sup>th</sup> October at 6:00 pm. We are inviting those for whom we have conducted funerals in the last year to attend and further invite any others who wish to be with us too. We will name any who have died and are dear to us within our prayers by request during the service.

**Remembrance Weekend.** During this weekend, we shall be holding a number of events. On Saturday, 10<sup>th</sup> November the church will be open from 10:00am. At 2:00pm, there will be a Memorial Service, and at 3:30pm we shall be showing the film "The Journey's End". Following this, we shall hold at vigil at 5:30pm. It would be lovely if you could come along. On Sunday morning, there will be a Remembrance Service at 9:00am in church followed on by a service at the War Memorial in Lytham at 10:45 am.

**Please note there will only be the 9am service on this Sunday morning.**

#### **Sponsorship of the Parish Communion service sheet and flowers in church.**

These sponsorships continue to be available and are always most welcome. It may, for example, be considered appropriate to do this in memory of a loved one or at the time of a special event within the family. Name/s and suitable wording chosen by the donor will feature on the service sheet. The cost of each sponsorship is £25.00; for the sponsorship of both together, the figure is £40.00. Arrangements should be made via the Parish Office at least two weeks before the required date.

For those who are taxpayers, there is a reminder that gift-aiding the money will provide even greater financial benefit to the Church. In order to do this, please complete the details on the front of the envelope.

**Pastoral Care** - Please will you make Nick or Adam aware of any pastoral care concerns you may have for members of our congregation. They would particularly appreciate it if you could let them know when you realise that someone you normally sit near is not at church for a time. Forms to assist with this are at the back of church.

**Contemporary Worship** - We look forward to welcoming people along to our contemporary worship service at 7:00pm following Evening Prayer. The theme will be 'Can these Dry Bones Live?' and Nick will be speaking. The music will be led by Adam and Bev.

**Christmas Cards.** We have some very beautiful cards available to buy at the back of church, we have the stunning "Wallace Wood" cards and "Winter at St Cuthbert's". Get ahead for Christmas, 75p each or ten for £5.00.

**Real Advent Calendars** - Please consider donating a Real Advent Calendar, for children in need in the Fylde this year. You can donate £ 5 which helps purchase extra calendars (actual price of calendar is £3.99) This is. The calendars are distributed by the Fairtrade Steering Group to Homestart, Women's Refuge and Children's social care and Children's Centres. The wonderful thing is the calendar is the only Fairtrade advent calendar, it contains a 24-page Christmas story book, it's palm oil free, and there is an extra donation that goes to the Funzi and Bodo Trust which supports charities home and abroad. Christ is not written out of Christmas with these calendars.

## **The Bible Course 2018**

Dates and titles of the 8 sessions

Date		Title	
2 <sup>nd</sup> October	1	Introducing the Bible	
9 <sup>th</sup> October	2	Creation & Covenant	
16 <sup>th</sup> October	3	Exodus & Promised Land	
23 <sup>rd</sup> October		Half term	
30 <sup>th</sup> October	4	Judges & Kings	
6 <sup>th</sup> November	5	Exile & The Prophets	
13 <sup>th</sup> November	6	Jesus & The Gospels	
20 <sup>th</sup> November	7	Acts & The Church	
27 <sup>th</sup> November	8	Revelation & Review	

***Your prayers are asked for:***

***those in special need at present:*** Ken Rylatt, Christine Miller and Sally Ward.

***the recently departed:*** Connie Taylor.

***those who have requested ongoing prayer support:***

Adrian Fisher, Barbara Lewin, Catherine Stacey, Patricia Morris, Angela Morgan, Denis Quinlan, David and Margaret Pearson, Beth Mellors, Mary Moulden, Andrew Taylor, Carine Rawnsley, Katie Ritchie, Elizabeth Frater, Raymond Morris, Jo Gibbons, Margaret Wiggans, Peter and Mary Willis, Arnold Towler, Betty Wyles and the Revd Michael Ward.

### *What's On This Coming Week*

Mon	19.00	Choir Practice	Choir Vestry
Tues	19:00	Cell Group	Church
Wed	09.45	Bertie Bear	Hall
	19:00	Bell Ringers	Belfry
Thurs	10.30	Community Craft Group	Church
Fri	11:00	Holy Communion	Church
Sat	10:00	Open Church	Church
Sun	08:30	Holy Communion	Church
	10:00	Holy Communion	Church
	12.00	Baptism	Church
	18.00	Evening Prayer	Church

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