

Parish Church, Bolton-le -Moors





## 11<sup>th</sup> November 2018

REMEMBERANCE SUNDAY

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

## Today's Service This week is **REMEMBERANCE DAY**

**SERVICE** Readings are: Hebrews 9 vs. 24- 28 & Mark 1 vs. 14 - 20

Next week Holy Communion & Groups Readings are: Hebrews 10 vs. 11- 14 & 19 - 25 & Mark 13 vs. 1 -8

#### Today's Collect

God our refuge and strength, bring near the day when wars shall cease and poverty and pain shall end, that earth may know the peace of heaven through Jesus Christ our Lord





Today's editorial is on the last page

#### Please pray...

Marcus and Belinda

Jeff

**Baby Anthony** 

Jean

Marlene

Michael

Doreen

Minti

Ronnie

Gabrielle

Mark

Carys

Colin

Toby

**Baby Louie** 

Rachel

John

Johanna

John

Norma & David

Healing for Sarah

Keith

Bernard

Edward

Katherine

We come before you, O Lord, with nothing except the gift of our hearts in prayer. Hear us and bring us your peace.





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### News...

#### THE BIG QUIZ NIGHT

In aid of TEARFUND on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup>
November at 6.3opm in Lostock Parish
Centre. Tickets are £6.0o and include a 2
course potato pie supper.
Please see Gill or Jean for tickets.

We need puddings! If you can volunteer to make or bring a pudding, then please let Gill or Jean know.

We will also be selling homemade cakes with all proceeds going to Tearfund. Again if you'd like to volunteer to make a cake to be sold then please let us know, as above



#### **CHRISTMAS COMPETITION**

Its week 3 of our competition. Look out for today 's picture and clue on our Facebook page, Twitter feed and Website!

#### 100th Edition!

As it approaches the 100<sup>th</sup> edition of our newsletter, if you have any ideas on what you would like to see or what you don't like (!!) please speak to Tony or Sharron.

#### PRAYER GROUP

This will be held in the Jubilee Lounge at 9.30am on Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> November 2018. All welcome



#### **OUR NEXT FUNDRAISING EVENT...**

#### 2018 CHRISTMAS FAYRE

#### Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> November 2018

This is one of our main fundraising events and after the success of last year's Fayre along with the celebrity opener, we will again have a Mystery Celebrity to open the proceedings. Flyers are at the back of Church. Please spread the word!!!



## BIZZIE LIZZIE'S CLEANING/DOMESTIC HELP SERVICE.

If you or someone you know needs some help in the home, contact Lynn Sutton on 07506109475 Cleaning, ironing, laundry and all domestic tasks undertaken. Very reasonable rates. Contact Lynn for details.



#### **ST BEDE ARE NOW LIVE!**

As part of our ongoing plans to enhance the worship at St Bede, I can now confirm that we are now have Wi-Fi in church! This is a massive step for the Church family.

Posters will be on display at the back of Church and in the Community & Jubilee rooms with the log-on details.

If you need any assistance, please see Tony or Kirsty.



Our Church depends very heavily on fundraising as well as regular giving to keep our Church afloat. We work very hard to put on different events, but we need these events to be supported if they are to be successful in raising funds and providing opportunities to share fellowship as a Church.

## Church Rocks & Shiny Pebbles



The eleventh hour of the eleventh day of the eleventh month marks the signing of the Armistice, on 11th November 1918, to signal the end of World War One. At 11am on 11th November 1918 the guns of the Western Front fell silent after more than four years of continuous warfare. Today is exactly 100 years since the end of World War One.

### **Remembrance Day Anagram**

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aberrvy	
acgerou	
deefmor	
асеер	
pppeios	
mary	
beemnrvo	
aeenvrt	
deirols	
aehrtw	

Word List:
army
bravery
courage
freedom
November
peace
poppies
soldier
veteran
war
wreath



#### As you have received, so may you be pleased to give.

St Bede's is a living Church and its people are The Church. The Church's only financial support is its own Church family.

Please try to support the social and fundraising events as they are vital not only to the financial wellbeing of our Church, but are great opportunities to get to know one another better.

Your Church thanks you for your gifts of money, time and talents.



### **JUBILEE AND COMMUNITY ROOMS**

The Community Room and the Jubilee room are available to hire for parties, meetings etc. Please see one of the Church Wardens, Gill or Jean

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## **Editorial**

#### WE SHALL REMEMBER THEM

Today we remember all those men and women of Britain and the Commonwealth Countries and our Allies who made the ultimate sacrifice in both the 2 world wars and in other conflicts around the world in the service of their country. Today is particularly significant as it marks the centenary of the end of World War 1. This was a truly horrific war which saw massive casualties on both sides. Millions of men, boys and nurses called to serve their country who waved goodbye to their loved ones and never returned and tens of thousands more who were horribly injured both in mind and body, their lives never to be the same again. This was to be "The war to end all wars" and yet only 21 years later after all that carnage, the world was preparing for yet another war which would consume the whole of Europe, the Middle East and the Far East with millions more lives lost not only by service men and women but this time by millions of civilians also. Whilst we remember with respect and gratitude all those who laid down their lives in the service of their country, we certainly do not glorify war. War is horrendous, and the price is paid by service men and women and by civilians.

Since God created us in His image and gave us minds to think and be creative, surely, if we, as the human race, are supposed to be the 'superior species', we would, by now, have worked out a way to live together in harmony and share God's bounty with each other without greed and selfishness.

Our God must feel great pain to see His beautiful earth which He made for us, and the human race which He created, scarred and shattered by constant wars and conflicts. As we remember all those brave service men and women and civilians who have lost their lives in wars and conflicts, we need also to pray for an end to the bloodshed of wars and conflicts, to the end of imperialism, greed and selfishness and pray for a lasting peace.

Sharron.

