

St. Bede Parish Morris Green, Bolton

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15th April
2018

The Third Sunday of Easter

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Editorial

It is sometimes a disconcerting truth for many Christians that even though we belong to God through faith in Christ, we still seem to experience the same problems that plagued us before we were saved. We often become discouraged and bogged down in life's cares. The fact that both the Old and New Testaments address this problem the same way indicates that God knows problems and worries are inevitable in this life. Thankfully, He has given us the same solution He gave in both Psalms and Peter's letter. "Cast your cares on the LORD and he will sustain you; he will never let the righteous fall" ([Psalm 55:22](#)), and "Cast all your anxiety on him because he cares for you" ([1 Peter 5:7](#)).

So, each day, taking one step at a time, we should pray for God's Word to guide us, read or listen to God's Word, and meditate on God's Word when the problems, worries, and anxieties of life come along

Tony

Today's Service

This week is **Holy Communion and Groups** Readings are: Acts 3 vs. 12-19 & 1 John 3 vs. 1-7

Next week is **Together for God** Readings are: Acts 4 vs. 5-end & 1 John 3 vs. 16-end

Today's Collect

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father.



Please pray...

Marcus and Belinda Kelly
Janet Wall - for her closeness to God
Jeff Archibold
Baby Anthony Ross Evans
Mark & Paula Hulse
Jean Heyes
Marlene Wolstencroft
Michael Harmsworth
Doreen Ridyard
Minti Radia
Ronnie Ditchfield
Margaret Hayes
Gabrielle Ridyard
Barbara Platt
Bill & Joyce Bancroft
Mark Emerson
Andrew Taylor
Carys Leonard
Petra Bryan
Colin Stiff
Toby Matthews
Baby Louie
Dean, Kirsty & Max
Gill Blackburn
Rachel Baillie

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





CHURCH ARMY

As you know, the Church Army is our charity for 2018. The organization is part of the Church of England and they do wonderful things in communities. On the table in the porch are copies of their quarterly magazine; "CATALYST" and accompanying prayer diaries both of which will help you understand the way they work. Please take one of each and pray for the Church Army whose patron is Her Majesty the Queen.

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Thanks to everyone for the good wishes flowers and most importantly the many prayers. Pain is easing a bit but maybe still a way to go but finding it hard to cope with being at home. Hope to be back soon.

Gill Blackburn

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.

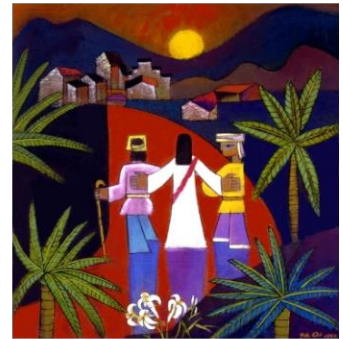
Church Rocks & Shiny Pebbles

On the Road to Emmaus

'Now that same day two of them were going to a village called _____, about seven miles from _____. They were talking with each other about everything that had happened. As they talked and discussed these things with each other, _____ himself came up and _____ along with them; but they were kept from recognising him. ' *Luke 24: 13-16 (NIV)*

Fill in the blanks. Words to choose from are:

walked Jerusalem Emmaus Jesus



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JESUS
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BELIEVE
VISITOR
THANKS
FOOLISH
PROPHET
EYES
CLEOPAS
OPENED
VILLAGE

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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