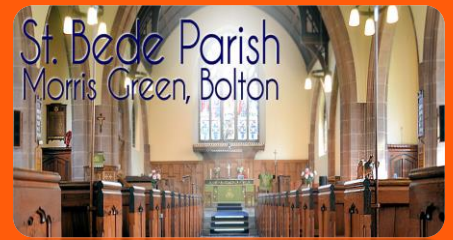




# St Bede

*Parish Church, Bolton-le -Moors*



20<sup>th</sup> May

2018

PENTECOST

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

## Editorial

Pentecost is not a one-time experience. It is not a style of church service or worship. It is not a denomination or a movement. It was not an event that happened, way back when. Pentecost is the blueprint for normal Christianity.

Although we celebrate the coming of the Holy Spirit to the Apostles today, we should remember that we can and should invite the Holy Spirit to be in our lives, in our souls, in our very being every day and every minute of our existence.

It was, and is, God's gift to us, his disciples on earth, and we should use the great power of the Holy Spirit to guide our decisions and spread the good news to all.

**"For this reason, I will praise you while I live; in your name will lift up my hands"** Psalms 63:4

Tony

## Today's Service

Next week is **Holy Communion & Groups** Readings are: Acts 2 vs. 1-21 & John 15 vs. 26 – 27 & 16 vs. 4<sup>b</sup> - 15

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### Today's Collect

**Holy Spirit, sent by the Father, ignite in us your holy fire; strengthen your children with the gift of faith, revive your Church with the breath of love, and renew the face of the earth, through Jesus Christ our Lord.**



### Please pray...

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

*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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Diocese of Manchester



St Bede's Church has its own Book of Remembrance. If you would like to add the name of a loved one in the Book of Remembrance, please see Judith Kelleway or one of the Wardens who would be happy to arrange that for you. If you would also like to donate flowers to the Church in memory at any time, Sharron would be happy to arrange them for you.

### POSTERS

Our Church needs more advertising by poster for our fundraising events. If you are prepared to display our posters, please see Freda Turner. Thank you

### BREAK IN

We are sorry to have to inform you that Church was broken into in the early hours of Thursday morning. The damage was minimal and now repaired. Nothing was taken, and the police were informed. No further action was required. Our thanks go to Dean for his skillful repairs.

### MISSION WEEK 2018

Please take a leaflet detailing the different events during Mission Week 2018. Our own Summer Fun Day forms part of that week. There are plenty of activities going on and it is a terrific way to share fellowship with our Cluster churches.

The Mission Launch Service will be hosted by St Bede on **Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> June** at 7.30pm. Please support this service.



## SUMMER FUN DAY 2018

**Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018**

Stalls include;

Tombola – **donations of NEW items please**

Guess the weight of the cake

Flower Displays

Children and Adult games

## News...

### CONFIRMATION SERVICE

A service of confirmation will take place in St Bede at 6.30 on **May 27<sup>th</sup>** by the Bishop of Bolton. Please come along to support and pray for our own candidates.

### OUR NEXT FUNDRAISING EVENT

Afternoon Tea will be served on **Saturday 26<sup>th</sup> May 2018** between 1pm and 4pm.

Cake and Sandwiches, along with refreshments will be available all to celebrate the feast of St Bede himself.

Donations of Cakes, (shop bought or homemade) will be grate fully received. Please see Gill.

### PARTY IN THE PARK!

On **Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> June** Bolton Deanery Churches are hosting Party in the Park 2018. There will be Worship, singing, stalls, food, fun and the Archdeacon the venerable Jean Burgess, will preach! Further details to follow



Café

BBQ

Bouncy Castle

Sweet Stall – **donations please!**

Entertainment from Last of the Summer Wind

*And much more! And all in the church grounds*

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

## PENTECOST

'When the day of Pentecost came, they were all together in one place. Suddenly a sound like the blowing of a violent wind came from heaven and filled the whole house where they were sitting. They saw what seemed to be tongues of fire that separated and came to rest on each of them. All of them were filled with the Holy Spirit and began to speak in other tongues as the Spirit enabled them.'

*Acts 2:1-4 (NIV)*

### WORD SCRAMBLE

Can you unscramble the following words, which can be found in Acts 2: 1 -24  
(Page 1093 of the pew bible)

REIF \_\_\_\_\_

TREPE \_\_\_\_\_

STIIPR \_\_\_\_\_

HEORGTET \_\_\_\_\_

DWNI \_\_\_\_\_

PAKES \_\_\_\_\_

LIKDEL \_\_\_\_\_

DERSIA \_\_\_\_\_

SUJSE \_\_\_\_\_

HEDAT \_\_\_\_\_



*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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## More News...

### MANCHESTER AND SALFORD WHIT WALKS 2018

Come and join us on the Annual Manchester and Salford Whit Walks - **Bank Holiday Monday 28 May**. A great opportunity to witness our faith on the streets of the city centre!

Programme for the day:

- 9.30am Assemble behind Manchester Cathedral
- 10am Procession sets off to march to Albert Square
- 10.45am Act of Worship in Albert Square
- 11.30am Procession sets off from Albert Square to return to Manchester Cathedral

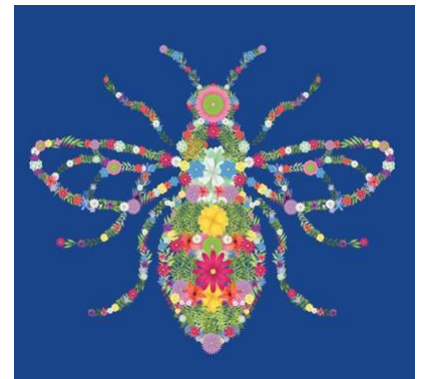
### 'The Spirit of Manchester' Flower Festival

St Ann's Church, St Ann's Square M2 7LF / 21 May: 10am - 10pm

*The Spirit of Manchester' Flower Festival to commemorate the anniversary of the Manchester Arena bombing.*

Following this heart-breaking event, St Ann's Square became a shrine to those who were killed in the attack, with mourners flocking to the city to pay their respects, leave floral tributes and to show solidarity with one another.

St Ann's Church also became a focal point, for people seeking solace, comfort and support



### Be a Chorister for a Day

**Manchester Cathedral / 9 June**

Explore the Cathedral, try on chorister robes and have a go at brass-rubbing!

This is a free event. All music will be provided.

To book a place please contact the Worship & Music Administrator on 0161 833 2220 (ext. 238).

