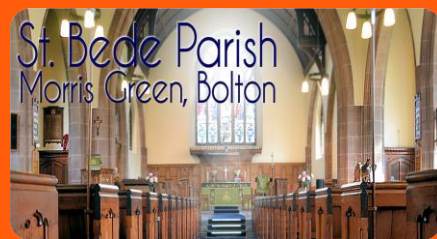




Parish Church, Bolton-le-Moors



24th June
2018

4th Sunday after Trinity

Birth of John the Baptist

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Editorial

People would say "The world is cruel." We all come to that point in life where we ask ourselves. What am I doing? Why do I have to suffer from the cruelty of life, people and the world? This is a time where we find no value of in our mere existence, and we try to find answers that seem elusive. On times like this, it is always good to always look on the positive side circumstances and get more strength from our faith because life is a series of tests that will lead and mold you into the best person you will be. Believe that eventually, you will get the success you deserve but you have to be strong enough handle all failures in life – Failure is the secret to success.

Tony

Today's Service

This week is **Together for God**

Readings are: 2 Corinthians 6 vs. 1 – 13 & Mark 4 vs. 35 – 41

Next week is **Family Communion**

Readings are: 2 Corinthians 8 vs. 7 – end & Mark 5 vs. 21 – end

Today's Collect

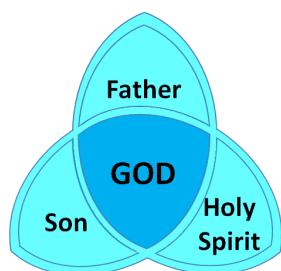
Gracious Father; by the obedience of Jesus you brought salvation to our wayward world; draw us into harmony with your will, that we may find all things restored in him, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

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
The Family of Andrew Taylor
Carys Leonard
Colin Stiff
Toby Matthews
Baby Louie
Rachel Baillie
John Hirst
John Goldsworthy
Norma & David Vause

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





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.

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 26th June** at 7.30pm. Please support this service.

COMEDY EVENING WITH SUPPER

Friday 6th July at 7.30pm – Ellesmere Club. Tickets selling fast. £7.00 Adults £6.00 Concessions. See Gill or Carol to book your place! Tell your friends and neighbours!

FORWARD THINKING...

We have always provided ourselves on our forward-thinking PCC.

Over the next few weeks we will be sharing with the Church family the plans we have to enhance the Worship at St Bede along with improved facilities.

We will also be taking some photos during the services to add to our website and for use in the Parish profile.

News...



CHRISTMAS FAYRE SPENDING VOUCHERS

If you would like to spread the cost of Christmas Fayre spending, Freda will have these vouchers at 50p each, every Sunday. It really does help!

YOU DON'T NEED TO COME HERE TO FIND GOD, HE IS ALL AROUND US.

BUT WE COULD HELP YOU LOOK...

EVERY SUNDAY 10.00AM

ST SWITHIN'S FUNDRAISER

As in previous years, we are running our St Swithin's fundraiser between 15th July and 23rd August 2018.

Any pledges made before 15th, you pay up if it rains! For example, if you pledge a £1.00 and it rains 10 days out of the 40, you pay £10.00- it's that easy!

Further info to follow soon!

SUMMER FUN DAY 2018

Saturday 14th July 2018

Stalls include;

Tombola

Cake Stall

Flower Displays

Children and Adult games

Fun Dog Show

Café

BBQ

Bouncy Castle

Sweet Stall

Entertainment from Last of the Summer Wind

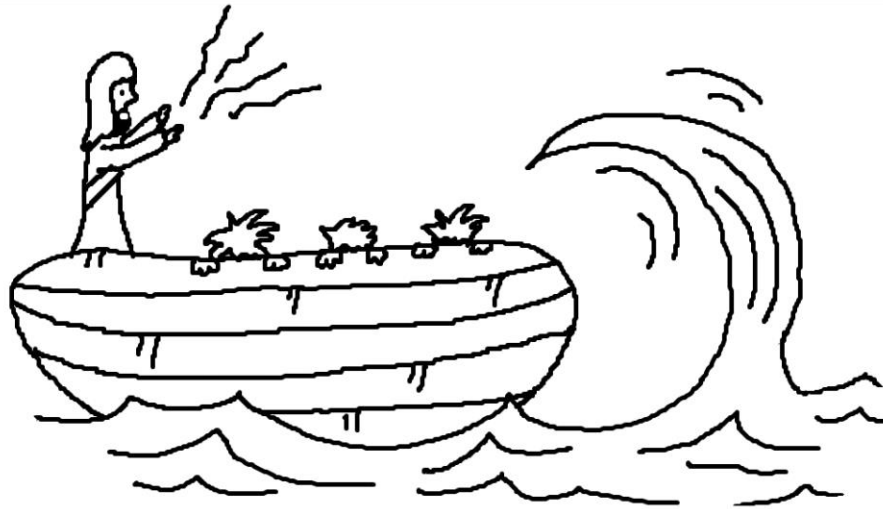
Our Church depends very heavily on fundraising as well as regular giving to keep our Church afloat. We work very hard to put on different events, but we need these events to be supported if they are to be successful in raising funds and providing opportunities to share fellowship as a Church.

Church Rocks & Shiny Pebbles

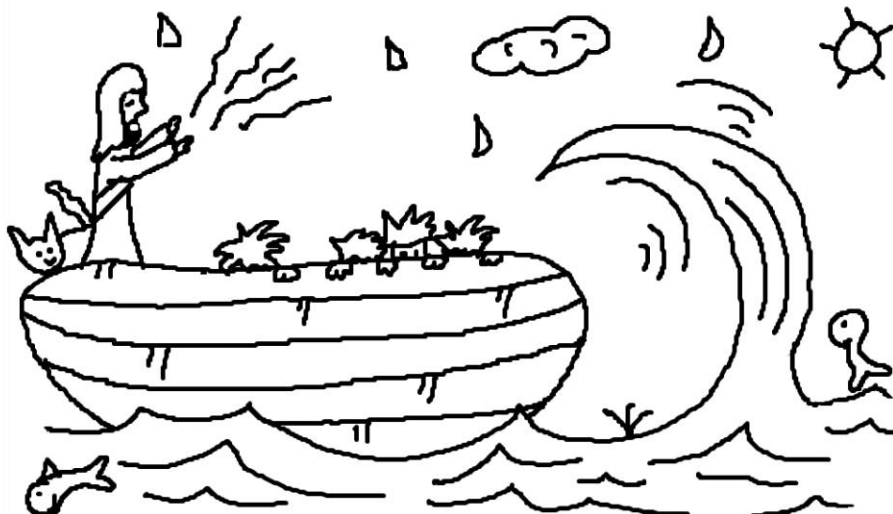
JESUS CALMS THE STORM

'A very strong wind came up on the lake. The waves began coming over the side and into the boat. It was almost full of water. Jesus was at the back of the boat, sleeping with his head on a pillow.

The followers went to him and woke him. They said "Teacher, do you care about us? We will drown!" Jesus stood up and commanded the wind and the waves to stop. He said, "Quiet! Be still!" Then the wind stopped and the lake became calm.' *Mark 4: 37-39 (NCV)*



Jesus Calms The Storm Find The Difference.
Find all 17 differences in the picture below.



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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SISTERS WHO OWE THEIR LIVES TO A STRANGER



Sisters Gill and Jacqui owe their lives to a walker who, thankfully, chose to take a stroll around Wayoh reservoir in Edgeworth.

It is 53 years since the schoolteacher rescued two little girls who were drowning in the water on a June day in 1965.

We thank God for His intervention to save these girls, one of whom is one of our own, our Churchwarden, Gill Blackburn

If you would like the full story, Gill would be more than happy to share this with you but it will also be on our website, early next week, so please take a look!

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