



8th
November
2020

Remembrance Sunday

PLEASE REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS

Editorial

Readings: Luke 20 v 27-38
(Job 19 v 23-27a)

The Sadducees who tried to trick Jesus believed that once you died; you were dead forever. Jesus in his response reminds us that God is not the God of the dead – but the God of the Living and in him we find hope – hope for the future. As we remember those who have died today; we also remember the hope we have in Christ

Vinny



Online Today's Service

This week is **Remembrance Service**

Reading is **Matthew 25 v 1-13**

via our church [YouTube channel](#)
(St Bedes and St Andrews Church)

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.



*"They shall not grow old, as we that are left grow old,
Age shall not weary them nor the years condemn,
At the going down of the sun and in the morning,
We shall remember them"*

Please pray...

Jean	Sean
Michael	Marlene
Doreen	Jennifer
Minti	Colin
Ronnie	Catherine
Carys	Natalie
John	Sylvia
John	Mike
David	Paul
Bernard	Jon
Lynn	Matt
Will	Megan
Barbara	Mary
Wendy	Ann
Lynn	Stephen
Norman	Steph
Gill	Yvonne
Jony & Vicky	Rob
Jessica & Maia	Susan
	Rachel



Please remember not everyone on this list is sick, they may just need your prayers!



News...

***** IMPORTANT *****

Due to the national lockdown imposed by the Government, we are not permitted to hold church services in St Bede's Church up until **Wednesday 2nd December**.

Our church building may be closed, but as a church we are still very much alive and active. Check out the rest of our newsletter for a list of online services and Zoom events that you can access!

SUNDAY 8TH NOVEMBER - Online Remembrance Sunday Service

This year our Remembrance Sunday Service takes place online via our church [YouTube channel](#) (St Bedes and St Andrews Church). The service will include an act of remembrance with a 2 minute silence and images of our war memorials in church listing the names of local people who gave their lives. If you begin watching the service at 10.20am on Sunday, then you will be able to take part in the act of remembrance at 11am (the act of remembrance comes at the end of the service).



SUNDAY CHAT ZOOM MEETING

On Sunday we are also resuming our Sunday Chat Zoom Meeting at 11.05am for anyone who wants to catch up and chat after the service.

The Zoom details are as follows:

Meeting ID: 748 9167 4883

Passcode: 123456



PRAYER FOR THE NATION
NATIONAL MONTH OF PRAYER

The Church of England has called for November 2020 to be a national month of prayer.

Join us as we pray for our local community and nation and indeed ourselves in these difficult times.

Every Thursday during November, **St Bedes Church** building will be open for **private prayer** between **10am-11am**

Also, every Thursday evening at 6pm there will be a **Zoom prayer meeting** for us to pray together. The Zoom details are as follows:
Meeting ID: 652 4137 2903
Passcode: 123456

St Bede's Church, Morris Green, Bolton

PRAYER FOR THE NATION PRAYER BOOKLET

As part of Prayer for the Nation, the Church of England has produced a prayer booklet that you might find helpful as you pray for our nation during this national month of prayer. You can view and download the prayer booklet here.

<https://www.churchofengland.org/sites/default/files/2020-11/PftN%20Booklet%20spreads.pdf>



given
raise money
charity - noun
provide help
actions or
the

St Bede Charity
Partners 2020;



Our Church depends very heavily on fundraising as well as regular giving to keep our Church afloat.

We ask that you do continue to give by setting up a Standing Order from your bank. Please contact our Treasurer, David Almond for further details – David.almond3@ntlworld.com

More News...

APCM

Thank you to all who attended our APCM, held as part of our morning worship on Sunday 18th October.

Our elected Church Wardens for the coming year are Gill Blackburn and Jean Phillips. Do pray for Gill and Jean as they serve St Bedes in this important role.

We also elected the following people to serve as PCC members:

Rachael Storey, Martin Horrocks, Tony Whitehead

Thank you to these 3 for being prepared to serve as a PCC member for a 3 year term. A special thank you goes to Freda Turner who has now left PCC after long years of service.

Gill Blackburn and Jean Phillips were elected as Deanery Synod Representatives.

We also elected the following sides persons:

Anne Horrocks, Emma Horrocks, Martin Horrocks, Barbara Redford, Kathleen Carrodus, Norma Mangnall

Can you please pray for and support all who have been elected to serve our Church in their various roles.

A copy of the minutes from The APCM can be found on the table at the back of Church for your information.

Elaine

CHRISTMAS GIFT DAY 2020

As we are unable to hold our Christmas Fayre this year, we are planning on holding a *Christmas Gift Day* on **Sunday 6th December** 2020. This will be an opportunity for you to donate what you would normally spend at the Christmas Fayre. Please support this.

St Bede Fundraising Team

CHRISTMAS DINNER ON JESUS

This year St Bedes Church (along with our friends from St Andrews) have committed to buy 1000 boxes of 6 mince pies for Urban Outreach's Christmas Dinner on Jesus Campaign.

Sadly, with our church building closed, there are now limited opportunities to bring your mince pie donations! So we really need everyone to buy lots of mince pies and be ready to bring them to church on the 6th December (permitting the lockdown is over by then). Don't forget if you do buy mince pies, then they need to have a best before date of 25th December or later.

Alternatively, mince pies can also be left in church when St Bedes is open for private prayer on Thursday mornings. If you are unable to go to the shops but wish instead to make a cash donation towards mince pies, then you can make a donation by bank transfer to St Bedes Church using our bank details:

Bank Name: Lloyds TSB

Account Name: St Bede's Parochial Church Council

Sort Code: 30-96-85 Account Number: 02869759

Please inform David Almond, our treasurer, if you have done this. (david.almond3@ntlworld.com)



Finally as a church we can also nominate people to receive a Christmas Dinner on Jesus Hamper. If you know any local people who have had a tough year or are financially struggling and need to be blessed this Christmas, then contact Vinny.

Church Rocks & Shiny Pebbles



REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

Remembrance Day Quiz

1. What date is Remembrance Day celebrated?
2. Which flower is now used to represent remembrance?
3. Who wrote the poem, 'In Flanders Fields'?
4. At what time do we observe a moment of silence on Remembrance Day?
5. What do we call someone who fought in a war?
6. What was Remembrance Day originally known as?
7. Who was John McCrae?
8. When did the First World War end?



Some of the answers can be found in the wordsearch below.

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V	O	N	N	A	R	E	T	E	V	N	P	I	I
E	N	C	T	E	O	D	Y	P	E	L	J	O	S
N	N	A	O	P	O	P	P	Y	A	O	O	C	T
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C	O	V	R	A	T	D	E	N	L	L	Y	O	C
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O	P	R	R	O	T	C	O	D	O	L	I	O	D
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N	E	O	A	L	O	O	J	L	N	N	R	C	A
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Hi everyone

Thank you to everyone for raising donations for St Bede Parish, Bolton-le-Moors with #easyfundraising! If you haven't signed up yet, it's easy and completely FREE. 4,300 shops and sites will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to do your everyday online shopping - at no extra cost to you!

Every day until 22 November, #easyfundraising is giving away a £100 donation to a UK cause! Please help us win by entering too! Your entry will increase our chances of winning donations for St Bede Parish, Bolton-le-Moors. It's completely free & easy to enter:

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/highstreetgivesback?utm_medium=facebook&utm_content=m-thsg20-f1

With the festive season just around the corner, we know you'll be shopping & raising much-needed donations for **St Bede Parish, Bolton-le-Moors**.



We are organizing a 'Virtual Quiz Night' on Saturday 21st November 2020. We will be asking for donations per *family* although this will be more of a social evening rather than a fundraiser. Details will be issued next week but save the date!



St Bede Fundraising Team

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.



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