

# Church of the Holy Spirit Mossley Parish

(Charity Registration No. NIC103262)

# Sunday 4th December 2022

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**WELCOME** to the Church of the Holy Spirit! Thank you for joining with us for our in-church and online services. This week we welcome Brother David Jardine to our 11am service.

# **COLLECT OF THE DAY** (Second Sunday of Advent)

Father in heaven, who sent your Son to redeem the world and will send him again to be our judge: give us grace so to imitate him in the humility and purity of his first coming that when he comes again, we may be ready to greet him with joyful love and firm faith; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

#### TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

Morning Proverbs 3:1-12

Matthew 6:25-34

Evening Isaiah 40:1-11



#### **GET IN TOUCH**

Rev Peter Jones 02890832726 rectormossley@hotmail.com

Rev Louise Bowes 07900410069 <u>elbowes4x4@btinternet.com</u>

Our Online Service will be available on YouTube from 11am and Facebook, our website, and the Dial-In Facility at 12.30pm.

### Announcements

### Monday 5th December

- Our Thoughts for the Day continue each morning at 10am (except Sunday).
- Splat Messy Play will be in the Parish Centre from 9.30am 12.30pm.
- Gillian Jones Dance Academy is in the Parish Centre from 4pm –
   6pm.
- GB meets in the Parish Centre. Tinies and Explorers meet from 6.30pm – 7.30pm. Juniors, Seniors and Brigaders meet from 7pm – 8.30pm.

### Tuesday 6th December

- Baby Sensory classes are in the Main Hall (9am-1pm).
- Our Bible Study Group meets at 7.45pm in the Carntall Room. We are looking at Judges 10:1-18 and our title is 'A Nation In Decay.'
   Everyone is welcome. An Online Study will be released on YouTube, Facebook, our website, and the Dial-In Facility at 7pm.

## Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> December

- Midweek Holy Communion at 10am.
- Gillian Jones Dance Academy is in the Parish Centre from 4.30pm -5.15pm.
- Our Advent Service will be held in the Carntall Room at 7pm.
- The Prayer Fellowship will meet at 7.30pm in the Pentecost Room.

### **For Your Information**

- The Community Lunch Christmas Dinner will be held on Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> December beginning at 1pm.
- The Diocesan Advent Service on Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December will be from Mossley Parish. This can be found on the Diocesan Facebook page.
- From next week we will have our own internal Christmas card postal service. If you intend to send Christmas cards to other parishioners, please do avail of this service.
- We are having a Grief Share service this Sunday evening (4<sup>th</sup> December) at 6pm.

# CHURCH OF THE HOLY SPIRIT MOSSLEY CELEBRATING 50 YEARS OF WORSHIP



### **THURSDAY 8TH - SUNDAY 11TH DECEMBER 2022**

# 'O Come All Ge Faithful'

SEASONAL REFRESHMENTS | MUSICIANS & CHOIRS | RAFFLES | CHILDRENS ACTIVITIES

## THUS 8th

OPENING SERVICE 7.30PM

## FRI 9th

LOCAL SCHOOLS 10- 11AM FESTIVAL OPEN TO ALL 11AM-8PM

# SAT 10th

FESTIVAL OPEN 10AM-8PM

### SUN 11th

FESTIVAL OPEN 2-6PM CLOSING SERVICE 7.30PM

FREE ENTRY - DONATIONS WELCOME IN AID OF CHURCH FUNDS

60 MANSE ROAD, NEWTOWNABBEY, BT36 6XR

FOR ANY OTHER INFORMATION EMAIL: RECTORMOSSLEY@HOTMAIL.COM

**REGISTERED NI CHARITY: NIC103262** 

# Prayer List

If you want a name put on the prayer list, please fill in the prayer request slip in the church porch and then place it in the box provided. Alternatively, you can email them to <a href="mailto:rectormossley@hotmail.com">rectormossley@hotmail.com</a>

David	Victor	Margo	Steven	Kelly
Etta	Carter	Pat	Arlene	Jim
Ella	Dorothy	Albert	Gareth	Eileen
Walter	Paul	Elaine	Ian	Mark
Jean	Alan	Mark	Rosemary	Thomas
Marlou	Iris	Justin	Marlene	Gladys
Tomas	Lavina	Wilma	Ashley	
Angela	Jim	Louise	Phyllis	
Christine	David	Jenny	Roy	
Lisa	John	Anne	Eddie	

# **Prayer Focus**

Local: Glenabbey Church and its leadership team.

**District:** Fairview.

Parish Organisations: Prayer Fellowship.

**Connor Diocese:** Bishop George Davison.

**Church of Ireland:** Archbishop John McDowell and the Diocese of Armagh.

Mission Partnerships: Tansen Hospital and SAMS Ireland.

Wider World: stability and peace in Burkina Faso following reports of an attempted coup; everyone impacted by a serious landslide in southern Brazil; the people living around Quito, Ecuador, as the volcano Cotopaxi is showing signs of a possible eruption; the ongoing talks to end the political crisis in Venezuela; the continuing global cost of living crisis; an end to the conflict in Ukraine; stability and lasting peace in Ethiopia; the medics and scientists working to prevent the spread of Ebola in Uganda; the Persecuted Church and the work of Open Doors.