

In your prayers this week, please ask.....

FOR GOD'S COMFORT for :

**THE RECENTLY BEREAVED FAMILY & FRIENDS OF:** those who lost their lives in the Manchester Arena bombing, the London Bridge attack and the Grenfell Tower fire. We also remember in our prayers those who were injured and those who have been traumatised by these events.

**THE ELDERLY & HOUSEBOUND:** Margaret Kay, Joan Meaden and Vera Miller.

**FOR GOD'S HEALING for:** THE SICK OF ST. ELIZABETH'S: Darrell Halstead, Rick Hannis, Dawn Priestley, Sandra Almond

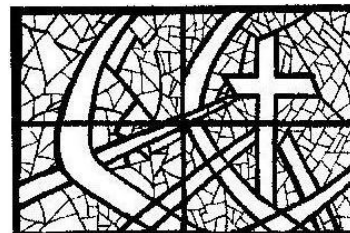
**THE SICK OF THE PARISH & BEYOND:** Linda McCarthy (Ann Lowton's sister) Lili Scowcroft (known to Jane H), Carole Lanham (known to many at St. Elizabeth's), Jean Woolfenden (Dawn's mother), Haley Thompson (Aubrey's granddaughter), Jim Hannis (Rick's brother) and Joan Johnson (Susan's mum), Steven Frith (a friend of Jane and Trinity) Please also pray for families and friends anxious about their loved ones. .

If you know anyone who is unwell who would like to be added to the prayer list please let Michael know.



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# St Elizabeth's

A Church for our time serving families, community and each other in the love of Jesus Christ.



*A warm welcome especially if you are visiting or here for the first time. Please make yourself known to the vicar or wardens*

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**Pastoral Care Co-ordinator:**  
Gill Smart (468271)  
(Please let Gill (or the clergy) know of any concerns)

### Authorised Lay Ministers

**Pastoral Care:** Jill Harley  
**Mission:** Jane Thompson  
**Youth:** Graham Smith

(please feel free to approach the relevant person).

### HIRING the HALL & CHURCH.

If you wish to hire/use the HALL or CHURCH space for a meeting or similar (outside of the regular weekly bookings), please contact Jill Harley in the first instance to ensure the date and time are available and the heating will be on! The Hall has a 7 day timer, which is set each week. A copy of the times the Hall and Church is already regularly booked, is on the notice board in each building

### Available at the back of Church:

- PCC members & who's who  
- Prayer Circle contact details

### NEWS LETTER

Updates and new notices to Sam by 27September please.  
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or 07739412715

**St Elizabeth's Web site:** [www.bhrmp.co.uk/st-elizabeth-horwich](http://www.bhrmp.co.uk/st-elizabeth-horwich)

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**Articles & Event Photos to Margaret by 2nd Friday of month.**

### Aiming for a nut free zone.

It has come to our attention that a young member of our church has a nut allergy. This is potentially life threatening and we are aiming for the **Church & the Hall to be as nut free as possible.**

Please avoid bringing nut related food or ingredients into either building. Please could you also make any groups of people with whom you mix, organise or supervise aware of this. Thanks.



## Sunday 17 September

10 am  
**Word4You**  
**Morning Worship & Baptism**



**Baptism of**  
**Ruby Seddon**

(daughter of George Seddon and Naomi Hunt)

**Readings:**

Exodus 14 19-31  
Matthew 18: 21-35



6.30 pm

**Reflective Celtic**  
**Communion**

**Holy Trinity**  
**(All welcome)**

## Sunday 24 September

10 am  
**Communion4All**  
**Holy Communion**

**ALM Commissioning**

**Readings:**

Exodus 16: 2.15  
Matthew 20: 1-16



6.30 pm

**God [space]**

**Holy Trinity**  
**(All welcome)**

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## DIARY & REMINDERS

### Wednesday 20 September

09.30 Midweek Communion, **St. Elizabeth's**  
18.30 Evening Service, **St. Elizabeth's**

### Thursday 21 September

10.30 Time4You, **St. Elizabeth's**  
19.30 Prayer Meeting at **Margaret and Rick's**

### Friday 22 September

10.30 Time4Twos, **St. Elizabeth's**

### Tuesday 26 September

19.30 Intercessions workshop, **St. Elizabeth's**

### Wednesday 27 September

09.30 Midweek Communion, **Holy Trinity**  
18.30 Evening Service, **St. Elizabeth's**

### Thursday 28 September

10.30 Time4You, **St. Elizabeth's**  
19.30 Prayer Meeting at **Margaret and Rick's**

### Friday 29 September

10.30 Time4Twos, **St. Elizabeth's**

### Advance Notice.....Saturday 7th October 'Stepping into the future'.

A morning to plan the priorities for  
**St. Elizabeth's** for the next few years.  
**All welcome.**

**Jamie Mackenzie** (diocesan local ministry officer) has agreed to come and speak at **St. Elizabeth's** at 10am on **Sunday 24th September**, during which service he can re-commission **Jill and Graham**, Jane Thompson & Gloria Long (from Holy Trinity) as **ALMs** (as neither of them could make the main diocesan ALM commissioning on **10th September**). They would all appreciate your support on the day.

**G + T (Girls and Talk)** - Join us for a night out for the girls. Meeting upstairs at **Il Toro** from 8pm onwards, starting **28th Sept** - bring your friends! For more details see the postcard or contact **Jo Smith**.

### God [space]

Join us for a new contemporary evening service, starting on **24th September at 6.30pm at Holy Trinity**, as we start to explore the Lord's Prayer. As a bonus - **if you are in years 7 to 13 then why not stay on until 9pm** for hot choc and toast, a chance to chat together and have some fun?

The next meeting of **Beer and Chat** is on Wednesday 20th September in the Blackedge Brewery Bar, Hampson Street (just off Lee Lane). Meeting from 7.30pm. Other drinks are available. Contact Gill Smart ([g.m.smart@btinternet.com](mailto:g.m.smart@btinternet.com)).



**Zoë would like to say thank you so much to everyone** for all their support of her fundraising for her trip to India next summer. It is going really well, mostly thanks to you (& your love of cake!) **Over £640 was raised at the Garden Party** through ticket sales, money given on the day and donations.

**getcompaniesactive** - a number of Bolton companies are putting up teams for a triathlon relay charity event on **Sunday the 8th October 2017**. All the money raised will go to 3 charities: **Urban Outreach, Bolton Lads and Girls Club and Bolton Hospice**. Details about the event can be found at the event's website; <http://getcompaniesactive.co.uk/>

Urban Outreach has been asked if we can help by recruiting 'amateur' volunteers to help marshal the swim section which will take place at Bolton One first thing in the morning. **Are you up for helping out?** They will need people to arrive for a briefing at 7.00am. Nine volunteers are needed for the swimming leg of the event with other volunteers needed for the other two legs - a bike ride out to Horwich and a run around Queens Park. The swimming leg should be finished by 9.30am when you can be released. But do feel free to move on to Queen's Park which will be the focal point for the whole event, after-party and awards ceremony in the afternoon.  
**Sam Trickett,**  
[admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk](mailto:admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk), 01204 385848

### **NAMIBIA PRESENTATION EVENING WITH FOOD** at Holy Trinity Church Horwich (Bolton 2030- 'Living Well' )

Come to share in typical Namibian food at 6.30pm, followed by a Presentation Slideshow showing highlights from the recent trip to Namibia by Rev. Caroline Tracey, David Tracey and Cllr. Richard Silvester. Food (6.30pm), then Presentation (7.30pm) in Holy Trinity Church on Friday 29<sup>th</sup> September.  
**This is a free event.**

### **Youth Minister Appeal Update!**

Further pledges are welcome for this terrific project that demonstrates our team's commitment to our young people.  
We are planning to advertise the post soon.

## EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

### **Intercessions workshop: Tuesday 26 September, St Elizabeth's at 7.30pm**

Would you like to lead intercessions but don't know where to start?  
Do you already lead intercessions and have resources you can share?

The workshop is for those who already lead intercessions and for those who are wondering if it's something they could do. This workshop will give you an outline to work to and the opportunity to talk experienced members of our congregations who can share their experience; how they get started; what resources are used and ideas. Those of us who already lead intercession enjoy doing it.

Come along and join us at St Elizabeths on Tuesday 26 September at 7.30-9.00.  
It will be an informal evening with coffee and cake.  
You won't be committing to anything just by coming along.  
More information contact Gill Smart, 01204 468271  
or email [g.m.smart@btinternet.com](mailto:g.m.smart@btinternet.com)



Do you have prayers, news, information, events or activities you would like to share with members of St. Elizabeth's and beyond? Then contact **Sam** on **07739412715** or [samh19358@gmail.com](mailto:samh19358@gmail.com)

**WHAT:** Three **50+** year olds, on a **50cc** scooter for **50** hours attempting to complete the North coast **500** (known as Scotland's Route 66) **dressed as chickens!!!** The **516** mile scenic route" starts and ends at Inverness Castle, tackling some of Scotland's most demanding roads.

**WHO :** **Dave (51 years old)** - CEO of Urban Outreach, **Alan (53 years old)** - UOR Street Life project, **Rob (50 years old)** - UOR RUNA (Missing from Home) project

**WHEN:** 28<sup>th</sup> - 30<sup>th</sup> September 2017.

**WHY:** Please help us raise the £15,000 needed to pay for chickens, trimmings & seasonal vegetables for this year's 'Christmas Dinner on Jesus' hampers. Thank you in advance for your support.

**HOW TO DONATE** - [www.virginmoneygiving.com/fund/chickenrunbolton](http://www.virginmoneygiving.com/fund/chickenrunbolton) OR

**Cash or Cheque** (Cheques made payable to **Urban Outreach Bolton**) If you choose to donate by cash or cheque please make it clear that the donation is for the Chicken Run campaign. Please post to: **Urban Outreach, Environ House, Salop Street, Bolton, BL2 1DZ.**

For more information please email [admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk](mailto:admin@urbanoutreach.co.uk) or telephone us on **01204 385848.**

### **General Knowledge Quiz Night** at St. Catherine's on Friday 20th October at 7.45pm.

**All Welcome!**

Ideally teams to comprise of 4 members. Entry fee will be £5.00 per person (including supper). **Please advise Ian Winnard ([iwinnard@tesco.net](mailto:iwinnard@tesco.net)),**

**Jill** is holding her **Open House next Friday 22nd September 10-12; 2-4 pm & 6-8 pm** to showcase the new 2017 Christmas range and give an insight into the new company Flamingo Paperie (following on from Phoenix Trading's sad closure). Raising funds for Kidz2gether who support children with autism and their families, there will, of course, be lots of cake, coffee, chatting & time to chill. All welcome including children.  
**Hope to see you there.**

### **Zoë is doing a Hamper Raffle**

at back of church to further help her fundraising for India next year. **Tickets £1.00 each.** Winning ticket will be drawn on **Sunday 5th November.**

### **Children Groups**

Our children groups will be meeting through **Sept-Dec.** **Please speak to a leader for more info if required**