



NEWSLETTER

19th February 2012

This Church is working and praying to become a Whole Life Disciple making Community

This Morning



Theme Everyday prayer for the everyday

Readings Luke 5:15-16
Luke 11:1-4
Luke 6:12-17
Luke 9:28-29

Welcome! If you are worshipping with us for the first time we hope that you enjoy the service. Our service this morning will be led by **Revd Andrew and Sally Willett**.

This Week



WEDNESDAY marks the start of the **Lent Prayer Relay**. As we are in the Olympic year we are inviting anyone (from the church or community) to take part in a prayer relay. Please sign up on a day or two. You are then asked to pray at a time, place and length that you chose. Then contact the next person on the list to continue the relay.

THURSDAY 7.45PM Please note that there is a **Worship Committee Meeting** in Church. Anyone is welcome to join us to discuss topics of worship for the future months.

NEXT SUNDAY 10.40AM our service will be led by **Arthur Chapman**.

LATER DATES



Calling all ladies!
Do you want to discuss what it means to be a



Christian Woman in our everyday lives? A new group is forming meeting fortnightly on a Monday evening (8:45pm - 10pm) starting 27th February. If you are interested speak to Rachel, Diane or Lucy for more details.



What a difference a Week Makes!

A pre-Christian Aid Week Road Show to inform, inspire and equip you and your Church. It will take place on Tuesday 6th March from 6pm until 9pm at Garston Park United Church. Led by Christian Aid North West Staff.

"Impossible God - The Passion Play"

will be performed at West Kirby Methodist Church, Westbourne Road on Saturday 10th March at 7pm. Admission is £5. Ring 0151 625 3224 for tickets or just buy them on the door.

On Sunday 11th March from 3pm at St Bride's, Liverpool there will be a **talk by Gwen Backwell** who recently spent several months living in a Palestinian Village as member of the International Women's Peace Service. The afternoon will include a stall with Palestinian crafts, olive oil etc. Refreshments will be served.

"Friends of Sabeel North West" Lent Day will be on Wednesday 14th March at Farnworth Methodist Church, Widnes, starting with a 'Bring and Share Lunch at 12 noon and finishing at 3.30pm. We will hear from **Angela Gilmore**, who has returned very recently after serving as an Ecumenical Accompanier and we will share in Lent Worship. Palestinian goods on sale. Please contact Wendy on 0151 423 1215 (wrossb1@gmail.com) or Jan (01704

872788) to let us know you are coming, or with any queries.



CC is organizing a **Cake Sale** at TReats in aid of Sport Relief on Thursday 22nd March from

8.45am until 11.30am. Donations of cakes (cling filmed if possible) will be gratefully received on the day. Please put your name on the list in the foyer if you can make a cake.

The next **Ten Pin Bowling and Pizza** trip is on 24th March meeting at 3pm at LA bowl. Contact CC



if you want to go. The prices for one game is £5 for children and £6 adults (includes shoe hire). CC will need to know numbers by Sunday 18th March with the bowling money so he can pre-book the lanes.

Info & REQUESTS



Holy week activities - there are still some gaps in the rota for the week before Easter - please look at the list on the notice board.



If anyone would like to collect in aid of **UNICEF** please see Rhona for a **"Jar of Grace"** label and fill your jar over the Lent period. Funds are for child malnutrition, every hour more than 300 children die because of malnutrition. Thank you.

There are a number of articles of clothing etc. in the **lost property** box in the foyer can you please check if any

are yours or your children's as in two weeks time the items in the box will be given to the homeless.



The Bible society have launched a new project to enable you to listen to the New testament. It takes 40 days at about 30 minutes a day, so you may want to do it during Lent. Or set yourself the target of doing it during 2012. You can access the MP3 version on their website under **'You've got the time'** biblesociety.org.uk/YGTT

Please note that the **notice boards** in the foyer have been tidied up. Please could everyone ensure that notices are placed under the appropriate heading. Thank you.

PRAYER DIARY



- Mon** Leadership
- Tue** Overseas Issues
- Wed** The Community
- Thu** Pastoral Care
- Fri** Youth and Children
- Sat** Worship
- Sun** Listen to God

DUTIES NEXT WEEK



- Readings** S Erhardt & S Tabor
- Coffee** The Bennett Family
- Chairs** A Cameron & J Powell
- Door** M Martin & L Deason
- Elder** S Erhardt
- Prayers** M Ross

If you would like to know more about these or any of our activities and beliefs, please contact our Ministers Andrew and Sally Willett (487851) or our Church Secretary, Steve Erhardt (851866) or see www.thomasrisley.org

Newsletter items to Tim by Thursday evening please. Tel. (01925) 851460 Email link@littlehelper.net