

# Diary

Today:

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2016

**10.00 am Choral Eucharist (CW)**

Highlights of the coming weeks:

- 28 Sep 09.00am High Legh Prayers in the Church Rooms
- 28 Sep 3.45pm Messy Church in the Church Rooms
- 28 Sep 7.30pm Wednesday Group: The Bible as Living in the Church Rooms

Next Week:

**10.00 am Harvest Festival**

**6.30 pm Evening Praise (BCP)**

Intercessory Prayer

Please inform the church wardens or a member of the ministry team if you would like to add anyone to the weekly intercessions.

Dates for the Diary:

25 Sep St. Johns are hosting the Sunday Tea's with the proceeds going to Oncology unit and the Children's Kidney Fund at Alderhay Children's Hospital.

2<sup>nd</sup> October. Harvest Festival followed by Harvest Lunch



## St John's Worship & Prayer

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September 2016

Readings:

1 Tim 6: 6 - 19

Luke 16: 19 - End

Today's 'Collect':

*Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity*

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Almighty and everlasting God, increase in us your gift of faith that, forsaking what lies behind and reaching out to that which is before, we may run the way of your commandments and win the crown of everlasting joy; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever

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# St John's Prayers for this week

Please pray for:

Naureen Wassell, Michael Cavanagh, John Smith, Jill Hatton, Tom Banks, Tony Hennesy, Debbie, Hayley Watson, Teddy James, Shirley & Family, Olive Hood, Edna, Heather, Faith and Gregory

The residents of Moss Lane off Peacock Lane and Mowpen Brow. And for High Legh Primary School and the PTA.

May the Lord comfort and strengthen all those who grieve. Amen

## Sunday

18th Sunday after Trinity

LORD, we beseech thee, grant thy people grace to withstand the temptations of the world, the flesh, and the devil, and with pure hearts and minds to follow thee the only God; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen. Collect for today from Book of Common Prayer

## Monday

Wilson Carlile, Founder of the Church Army, 1942

"I have seen the crucified and risen Lord as truly as if He had made Himself visible to my bodily sight. That is for me the conclusive evidence of His existence. He touched my heart, and old desires and hopes left it. In their place came the new thought that I might serve Him and His poor and suffering brethren." Wilson Carlile

## Tuesday

St Vincent de Paul, Founder of the Lazarists, 1660

"The most powerful weapon to conquer the devil is humility. For, as he does not know at all how to employ it, neither does he know how to defend himself from it. "Be careful to give no credit to yourself for anything; if you do, you are stealing from God, to whom alone every good thing is due. "Humility is nothing but truth, and pride is nothing but lying." St. Vincent de Paul – quotations

## Wednesday

Give us grace, O God our Father, to keep this day and always the new commandment and the great commandment and all the commandments, by loving thee with all our mind and soul and strength, and one another for thy sake; in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. Daily Prayer

## Thursday

Michael and All Angels We thank thee, O God, for the guardian care of thy holy Angels. Grant that being refreshed through their protection and ministry, we may serve thee on earth as they serve thee in heaven, and may rejoice in their eternal companionship hereafter; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

## Friday

Jerome, Translator of the Scriptures, Teacher of the Faith, 420 "Be at peace with your own soul, then heaven and earth will be at peace with you. "When we pray we speak to God; but when we read, God speaks to us. "Be ever engaged, so that whenever the devil calls he may find you occupied." St Jerome—quotations

## Saturday

O Heavenly Father, grant us so to love thee with all our heart and mind and strength, and our neighbour for thy sake; that the grace of charity and brotherly love may dwell in us, and all envy, harshness and may die in us; according to the perfect love of thy Son, Jesus Christ our Lord.