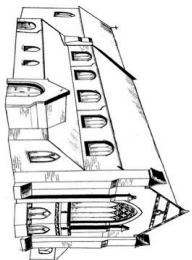


St Chad's Ladybarn



Dedication Sunday

21 October 2018



"Let yourselves be built into a spiritual house...to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ" 1 Peter 2:5

This morning's music

702 The Church's one foundation
422 Lead us, heavenly Father, lead us
706 The God of Abraham praise
499 Make me a channel of your peace
834 Will you come and follow me

This morning's readings and prayers

Genesis 28.11-18 (reader: Trena Radcliffe); Psalm 122;
1 Peter 2.1-10 (reader: Pam Race); **John 10.22-29**
(Gospeller: Opal Walsh); Intercessor: Opal Walsh

Prayer in the silence after communion

Faithful Lord, whose steadfast love never ceases and whose mercies never come to an end: grant us the grace to trust you and to receive the gifts of your love, new every morning, in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Next Sunday, Last Sunday after Trinity, Proper 25

Job 42.1-6, 10-17 (reader: Robert Nicholls); Psalm 34; **Hebrews 7.23-28** (reader: Diane Wynn);
Mark 10.46-52 (Gospeller: Colin Powell); Intercessor: Jenny Black

Collect for Dedication Sunday

Almighty God, to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: we praise you for the many blessings you have given to those who worship you here: and we pray that all who seek you in this place may find you, and, being filled with the Holy Spirit, may become a living temple acceptable to you; 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.

Post-communion Prayer for Dedication

Father in heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace, an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our pilgrimage that, fed with the living bread of heaven, and united in the body of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory on earth, and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Tea and coffee are served in the Hall after the morning service

Thanks to all who helped with...

- Last Sunday's Parish Lunch
 - Monday's very successful Science & Religion event; £121 was raised. For those who missed this treat, Scott Midson's presentation will be posted on the church website.
- *Follow-up events on 29 October & 6 November listed below, and another to be arranged.

Today

12.15 for 12.30 start in the Hall: Sunday Table

This week

Tuesday 23 October

8.00pm by Needlecraft Group meeting

Thursday 25 October

10.00am Holy Communion

Saturday 27 &

At William Temple Church Wythenshawe: **Still I Rise** an exhibition of art and resources.

Sunday 28 October

See poster for details

Sunday 28 October

For 40 minutes immediately after the morning service: first practice of our Junior Christmas Carollers group. We plan to sing at the carol service on Sunday 23 December. All keen young songsters welcome! Talk to Rachel Gilmore for details/to sign up.

*Monday 29 October

8.00pm in the Hall: Focus group on Scott Midson's research project *Living with and Loving Ma chines*. Just come along or sign up here: <http://lincolnthologicalinstitute.com/focus-groups/>

Sunday 4 November

10.00am All Saints Sunday with a guest preacher

6.30pm Commemoration of the Faithful Departed (All Souls' Day) with a guest preacher

*Tuesday 6 November

7.00pm – 8.30pm at the Cathedral: Robots vs Loneliness. See poster for details or go to

<http://lincolnthologicalinstitute.com/blog/public-event-robots-vs-loneliness.html>

Saturday 10 November

7.00pm Service with music and poetry to mark the Centenary of the 1918 Armistice

Sunday 11 November

Remembrance Sunday; wine and nibbles in the Hall after the 10.00am service

Parish Share

Income Survey

Please complete an annual Parish Share Income Survey form and post it in the box at the back of church. The survey is anonymous & no-one at St Chad's sees the completed forms. The smaller your income, the more important it is that you complete a form. Please do this because it will make our Parish Share lower in the future.