

Welcome to

Stchad's
HANDFORTH

There's a place for you here

Sunday 13th September- Meet to pray 9.20am

Holy Communion 10.00am

Today's readings Psalm 119:97-105, 2 Timothy 3:14-17
'Devoted to The Apostles' Teaching'

Wednesday 16th September- BCP Holy Communion 10.30am

Readings Psalm 103, Matthew 18: 21-35

Collect (15th Sunday after Trinity)

God, who in generous mercy sent the Holy Spirit
upon your Church in the burning fire of your love:
grant that your people may be fervent
in the fellowship of the gospel
that, always abiding in you,
they may be found steadfast in faith
and active in service;
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.
Amen.

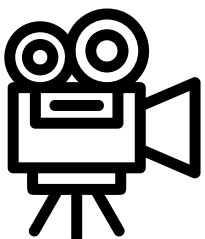
**WE'RE
HIRING**

We have a job
vacancy for a
Parish
Administrator (PT)
Please see website
for details

Important Notice

All Sunday morning services are broadcast live on youtube which
can be accessed via the link on our website.

If anyone does not want to be seen on youtube, the rear 7 rows
of seating in the church are film free seats.



TO KNOW CHRIST AND MAKE HIM KNOWN



Sunday Children's Club

Our Sunday Children's Club is for reception to year 6. We meet on the 2nd & 4th Sunday of each month along with a creche for under 4's. Bring your children for lots of fun and simple Christian teaching run by our (DBS checked) volunteers.

We would love to increase our provision for children's ministry on Sunday mornings. This requires two things: more prayer and more team.

So - if you could commit to praying regularly for children's ministry and / or if you would like to find out more about serving in children's ministry please contact either Marcus via email or Rachel Marshall on rachel.adams@hotmail.co.uk

SPEAK LIFE 321

Starting on Wednesday 23rd September 7.30pm at church
we'll be running a short course over 4 weeks exploring the Christian faith.
Contact Marcus to sign up or add your name to the list at the back of church.
Who could you invite?

Prayer For Iran

by the Rt Revd Dr Guli Francis-Dehqani, Bishop of Chelmsford.

Ever-loving God,

who hears us in our anguish and distress, and longs for us to be free.

We pray for the people of Iran and the wider Middle East,
at this time of fear and uncertainty.

Be near to those who are anxious; bring comfort to all who are suffering.

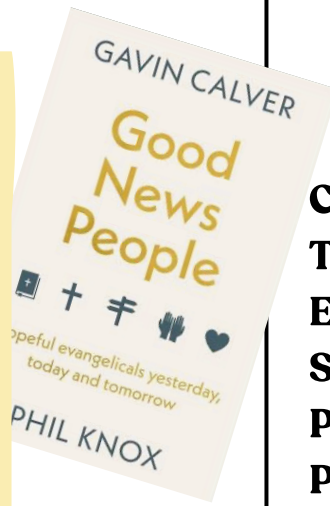
Guide those with the power to make decisions,
and lead them in the ways of wisdom, compassion and moderation:
that people of goodwill would seek harmony and reconciliation.

Join us with our Christian brothers and sisters in all places,
in praying for peace with justice, through him who is the prince of peace,
Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

NEPAL DISASTER

As a church we are giving financially towards the Nepal/Tibet disaster via GFA. If you would like to do the same, please visit
<https://www.gfauk.org/give/compassion-services/>

Marcus, our vicar recommends reading '**Good News People**' by Gavin Calver & Phil Knox, We have some copies available for a discounted price of £6 - please contact the office if you'd like one.



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Food Bank Shopping List

Cooking Oil

Tinned Beans & Sausages

Eggs

Sugar

Plastic bags

Packet Pasta Sauce

Please bring items

Mon-Fri 11am - 12pm at rear door

FINANCIAL GIVING

Have you prayerfully considered how much you give financially to the church?

A good biblical principle is 10% of your income, and a helpful verse is 2 Cor. 9:7

'Each of you should give what you have decided in your heart to give, not reluctantly or under compulsion, for God loves a cheerful giver.'

To chat more about giving and where the money goes please speak to our treasurer, Chris Birch at chrisbirch@stchadshandforth.org.uk or our vicar, Marcus.

150 YEARS OF ST CHAD'S

2027 marks 150 years since the parish of St Chad's was formed.

The PCC has begun brainstorming ideas for how we might celebrate this special anniversary throughout the year, both in our worship and through mission. If you would like to get involved with ideas and planning, please speak to Marcus.

At St Chad's we are committed to the safeguarding, care and nurture of all, and we believe that everyone has a responsibility for this.

If you have a concern then please speak to our Parish Safeguarding Officer Alun Williams stchadspso@gmail.com or our vicar Marcus Pagnam.



Dates for your diary

Wednesday 23rd September 7.30pm 321 Course starts

Sunday 4th October 10am All Age Harvest Service

Sunday 1st November 3pm 'In Loving Memory' Service

Sermon Notes

St Chad's Church, Wilmslow Road, Handforth, Cheshire, SK9 3ES

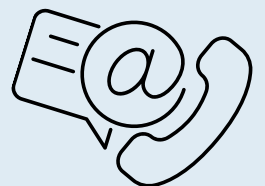
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Church WiFi details

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