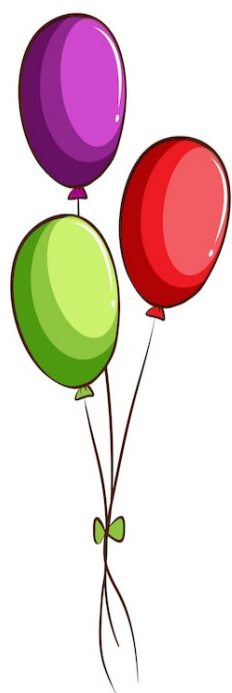




Parishes of
St Bede, Clayton Green
and St Chad, South Hill

Parish News

Tenth Sunday of Ordinary Time 9th June 2024



This weekend!
**St Bede's Bicentenary Mass of
Thanksgiving and Garden Party**
Sunday 9th June

11am - Mass of Thanksgiving celebrated by
Archbishop Malcolm **followed by a garden party in
the church grounds and parish hall, Midday to
3pm.**

Musical entertainment,
children's games and face-painting,
tombola's, beat-the-goalie,
BBQ, afternoon teas and bar.

Please come along to celebrate together if you can.
**Thank you to everyone who has volunteered
to make this event possible.**

The collection at the 11am Mass this
week at St. Bede's, and any money
raised at the Garden Party, will be
donated to our sister St Vincent de
Paul Group in Pondicherry, India.
*The picture shows food parcels ready
to be distributed by the Pondicherry
SVP to those in need of help.*



Midsummer Supper and Dance with music by the Symbolics
at St Chad's Parish Centre on **Saturday 15th June.**

Tickets are now on sale at the back of St Chad's Church.

Band Concert with the Red Admiral Music Academy in St Chad's
Church on **Friday 5th July.** Tickets for this event are now on sale at the
back of both our churches. Tickets cost £10.

Tea and coffee will be served in St. Chad's Parish Centre **this Sunday after the 9.15am Mass**. Everyone is warmly invited to come along.

Next Sunday, 16th June, is the **Day of Prayer for Life**. There will be a retiring collection at all Masses to support the work of the church promoting respect for life. Please pray that the dignity of every human being, made in the image and likeness of God, will be protected from conception to old age.

St Bede's Prayer Group will meet on **Monday** in **St Bede's Presbytery** at 1pm – 2.30pm. Everyone is very welcome to come along.

St Chad's Craft Group. The craft group will meet on **Tuesday** from 1.30pm to 3.30pm in **St. Chad's Parish Centre**. Everyone is welcome, no skills or previous experience required.

St Chad's Reading Group The next meeting of the reading group is on **Monday 1st July** from 2pm to 4pm in **St. Chad's Parish Centre**. Books are provided from the County Library service and are available to borrow at each meeting. New members are very welcome.

Christian Community Larder – Donations have increased again and this is very much appreciated by families and individuals in our community who need a bit of support at the moment. Everyone at the Community Larder would like to say a big "Thank You" to all who have been able to donate.

Christian Community Larder – We have received a list of items most needed for the larder. Breakfast cereals, porridge, tinned meat, rice/pasta, sauce, cooking oil, instant rice, noodles, biscuits, baby food (not formula), **washing up liquid, washing pods and liquid (not powder)** and **toilet rolls**. Tel: 07762905978 Email: christiancommunitylarder@gmail.com

Please leave the food at the back of St Bede's Church.

Food left at the back of St Chad's goes to support Chorley Help the Homeless. Similar items are very welcome.

Second Cultural Peruvian Food Buffet Event. At St Mary's Community Centre, Leyland. PR25 1PD. Sunday 16th June. 12-5pm. Everyone very welcome to come along.

A soup and sandwich lunch will be served on the third Tuesday of every month (with a break for August) in **St Chad's Parish Centre**. Everyone is very welcome to come along. It's a free event but donations towards the cost are welcome. Good food and good company. **The next lunch will be held on Tuesday 18th June at midday.** Please join us if you can.

SVP Chorley Buddies hold two socials each month. On the 2nd Wednesday at St. Chad's Parish Centre and on the 4th Wednesday at St. Mary's Parish Centre from 12 until 2pm. A hot lunch & an activity or entertainment are provided. Transport is available. The social is free but we accept donations towards the cost of lunch. Call 01257 542367 to book. If you are feeling lonely or isolated, please get in touch. The next dates are 12th June at St. Chad's and the 26th June at St. Mary's.

CHARITY AFTERNOON TEA

There will be a charity Afternoon Tea on **Saturday 22nd June at 2:00pm** at St Gregory's Weld Bank. Our chosen charity will be Cancer Research UK. Tickets for this event are £10 each and are available from the parish office.

Tel: 01257 262462 or Email stgregory@rcaol.org.uk. Any donations of raffle prizes would be very welcome.

Mass Intentions if you would like to request that your prayers be remembered at the offering of the Mass, you can use one of the envelopes at the back of church. Hand in your request to the sacristy or through the door of either presbytery. If you are part of our parish Gift Aid Scheme, we can claim back the Gift Aid on your donation if you write your Gift Aid envelope number on the Mass Intention request. Thank you.

Parish Priest: Fr. Mark Beattie. **Telephone 01257 460154**

Deacon: Rev Simon Gilbertson

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St Chad's Church. 237, Town Lane, Whittle-le-Woods. PR6 8AJ.

Parish Websites www.stbedesclaytongreen.co.uk and
www.stchads-southhill.org

Facebook page Look for "Parishes of St Chad and St Bede"

E-mail our parish office: stbedesclaytongreen@rcaol.org.uk
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or to Fr Mark privately m.beattie@rcaol.org.uk

The office is open on Tuesday, Thursday & Friday this week for all enquiries.

Masses and Services this week.

Saturday 8 th June	6pm	St. Bede's	John & Kath
Sunday 9 th June		Tenth Sunday of Ordinary Time (PW2)	
	9.15am	St. Chad's	Parishioners
	11am	St. Bede's	MASS OF

THANKSGIVING

**WITH ARCHBISHOP MALCOLM FOLLOWED BY OUR
BICENTENARY CELEBRATIONS**

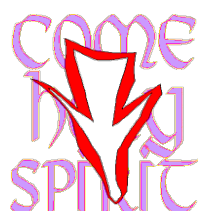
Monday 10 th June	9.15am	St. Chad's	Special Intention
Tuesday 11 th June	9.15am	St. Bede's	Thanksgiving
Wednesday 12 th June		No Mass	
Thursday 13 th June	9.15am	St Chad's	Berry & Eccles families
Friday 14 th June	9.15am	St Bede's	Parishioners
		With the children of St Bede's School	

Saturday 15 th June	6pm	St. Bede's	Tony Morris
Sunday 16 th June		Eleventh Sunday of Ordinary Time (PW3)	
	9.15am	St. Chad's	Michael Eccles (RIP)
	11am	St. Bede's	Alan Hill (RIP)

Confessions are heard in the confessional in St Bede's church on Saturday evenings before the 6pm Mass from 5.30pm until 5.50pm or at any time on request.

Please pray for our sick and housebound parishioners

George Morris, Peter Deacon, Amy Greenhalgh, Thomas Hesse, Ray Briant, Robert Rainford, Brenda Wrightson, Maria Reynolds, Eileen Ainscough, Tony Miller, Tony Morris, Gabrielle Myerscough, Connie Foy, Katherine Yates, Marie Coleman, Virginia Hayton-Weed, Lawrence Eccles, Vivienne Howard, Patrick Phillips, Joyce Campbell, Agnes Moss, Sandra Farrel, Diane Gunn, Shelagh Young, Liam Fogg, Edward Killeen, Dorothy Whittle and the residents of Highcliffe, Greenways, Brookside, Willow Bank, Meadow Bank Nursing Homes and Brookhaven.



Please keep in your prayers the 14 candidates from our parishes who will celebrate the Sacrament of Confirmation on Wednesday 26th June at St Joseph's Church, Harpers Lane.