

# St Lawrence's Church

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Notices for the week starting 29th April 2012

Today	Annual Parochial Church Meeting	After Service
Wednesday	Assembly ~ Linden Road School	9:00 am
Thursday	Holy Communion Mothers Union ~ Parish Hall	9:00 am 7:30 pm
Next Sunday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	Holy Communion Baptism of Liam, Jayden and Luca	10:45 am 12:45 pm

☺ Last week there was **£86.80** in the Pink **for the renovation fund**.  
Many thanks for this.

## The Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) will be held TODAY

29th April 2012 in Church after this morning's service.

**Nominations** are required for

**2 Church Wardens**

**5 PCC Members**

**1 Deanery Synod representative**



Please pray about how **YOU** could use your time, skills and talents in these essential roles to grow our church in the local community.

See **Gillian Mellish** for **nomination** forms. Please ensure you have checked with the person you are nominating before hand

**Holy Communion**  
**Fourth Sunday of Easter**



494 Love's redeeming work is done

Reading: Acts 4:5-12 (page 1095)

724 The Lord's my shepherd

Reading: John 10:11-18 (page 1076)

352 In Christ alone

(During this hymn a collection will be taken)

752 Thine for ever God of love

5 Abba Father

751 Thine be the glory

**Collect**

Risen Christ,  
faithful shepherd of your Father's sheep:  
teach us to hear your voice  
and to follow your command,  
that all your people may be gathered into one flock,  
to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

**Intercessions Response**

The Lord is my shepherd  
**I shall fear no evil**

**Post Communion Prayer**

Merciful Father,  
you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd,  
and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again:  
keep us always under his protection,  
and give us grace to follow in his steps;  
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

## Forthcoming Events

<b>Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Holy Communion ~St Lawrence Lodge Denton Churches Together Meeting ~ St Anne's Haughton	2:00 pm 7:30pm
<b>Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Deanery Mission and Pastoral Committee ~ St Anne's Haughton	7:30 pm
<b>Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Teddy Parachute Jump ~ St George's Mossley	2:00 pm
<b>Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Commemoration Service <b>DATE CHANGED</b>	3:00pm
<b>Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Deanery Synod	7:30 pm
<b>Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Ascension Day Holy Communion	7:30 pm
<b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup> May</b>	Archdeacons Visitation ~ St Michaels Ashton	7:30 pm
<b>Wednesday 30<sup>th</sup> May</b>	PCC Meeting ~ Parish Hall	7:30 pm

- ☺ **Mini Fair** – is planned for later in the year. Donations of new and unopened gifts suitable for sale are required – see what you can find in your Spring Cleaning. Please place donations in the bag in the Baptistry
- ☺ **Congratulations to Brenda Saville and Brian Taylor** who were married here in St Lawrence's yesterday

**Teddy Parachute jump** – a brave young **Tigger** has volunteered to parachute 90ft from the top of the Tower of St Georges Mossley.

He only needs three things to complete this dangerous feat – a **parachute, sponsors and prayer.**

Please see his trainer, Sheila, to offer help and sponsorship. Any monies raised will be donated to the **reordering fund.**

Everyone is welcome to join in the Fun Day (tombola, games, and refreshments) at **St Georges Mossley on Saturday 12<sup>th</sup> May** commencing at 2pm.



**Christian Aid Week – 13<sup>th</sup> -19<sup>th</sup> May.**

We are planning an **Open Week** to promote this – please check your diaries for a two hour slot– when are you will be available to welcome people and serve refreshments



To remind you what's happening when



**Please take this notice sheet home with you**



To feed your prayers

