

Notices for the week starting 11th November 2012

At Greswell Primary School

Tuesday	Holy Communion ~ St Lawrence Lodge Social and Fund Raising Committee	2:00 pm 7:30 pm
Thursday	Mid Week Holy Communion ~ Pendle House	9:00 am
Next Sunday 18th November	Holy Communion Service Christmas Goodies Sale	10:45 am 12:15 pm

☺ **Renovation Fund contributions.** Pink Envelopes for Sunday 4th November was £85.87. Many thanks

☺ **Operation Christmas Child Shoe Boxes** – thank you for your generosity, a great community wide effort. We have made 152 children happy so far and we still have boxes to come in from Greswell School. Thank You

☺ **Manchester Evening News Wish 2012 – cash for your community-** Please keep collecting the tokens and put them in the box at the back of church. Thank you to those who are organising collections in local shops.



LAST WEEK - PLEASE MAKE AN EXTRA EFFORT TO COLLECT TOKENS

Christmas Goodies Sale

Sunday November 18th after the morning service.

Delicious Christmas cakes, Mince Pies and other goodies for sale - suitable for freezing or order for delivery before Christmas. Christmas wrappings also for sale.



**PLEASE TAKE THIS NOTICE SHEET HOME
TO REMIND YOU WHAT IS HAPPENING THIS MONTH**



Remembrance Sunday and Holy Communion
3rd Sunday before Advent



160 Eternal Father

255 National Anthem v1, 2

Reading: Jonah 3:1-5

198 For the healing of the nations

547 O God our help (During this hymn a collection will be taken)

338 I watch the sunrise

463 Lord Jesus Christ

556 O Jesus I have promised

Collect

God, our refuge and strength,
bring near the day when wars shall cease
and poverty and pain shall end,
that earth may know the peace of heaven
through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**



Intercessions Response

Lord, you have called us
Help us to fulfill our calling

Post Communion Prayer

God of peace,
whose Son Jesus Christ proclaimed the kingdom
and restored the broken to wholeness of life:
look with compassion on the anguish of the world,
and by your healing power
make whole both people and nations;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen**

Forthcoming Events for November / December

Thursday 22nd November	PCC Meeting ~ Parish Hall	7:30 pm
Sunday 25th November	Bishop Nigel Thanksgiving Service ~ Cathedral (Ticket only)	6:30 pm
Wednesday 28th November	Holy Communion ~ Pendle House	2:00 pm
Thursday 29th November	Mid Week Morning Prayer ~ Pendle House	9:00 am
Sunday 2nd December	Confirmation Service ~ St Mary's Haughton Green	6:30 pm
Sunday 9th December	Family Parade and Toy Service	10:45am
Sunday 23rd December	Nativity Service Carol Service	10:45 am 6:30 pm
Monday 24th December	Christingle Service	4:30 pm
Tuesday 25th December	Family Celebration & Communion Service	10:15 am



Lay Assistants – The annual evening archdeaconry service is available as follows: Coffee at 7pm, service at 7:30 pm. Please contact Helen Fallone 0161 828 1411 or hfallone@manchester.anglican.org to reserve a place

Salford Wednesday 14th Nov St Stephens Astley
 Manchester Thursday 15th Nov St Hilda's Firwood
 Rochdale Thursday 22nd Nov St Anne's Royton (Clashes with PCC)
 Bolton Wednesday 28th Nov Bolton Parish Church

Reordering Project Update



Work on phase 1 is complete

See the photographs at the back of church.

- Work on the Stained Glass windows will begin on Monday 19th November
- The Heritage Lottery Fund Grant will be submitted this week. Huge thanks to all who have worked on this project so far. We have received some very encouraging letters of support from The Local History Society, Denton Community College and Yew Tree and Pendle Road Residents Association who will be working on the project with us subject to funding.
- Tenders for phase 2 will be issued this week

Please keep praying for this work and for the contractors



Personal Note of thanks from Sheila Cant – As you are aware I have been recommended for ordination training. Many thanks for all your prayers, encouragement, and confidence in my calling to ministry. I pray God will continue to guide me on my journey and that Jesus will always walk with me making a difference in our community, serving alongside all of you.