

St Lawrence's Church
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Notices for the week starting 28th April 2013
At Greswell Primary School

Today	Baptism of Leila Grace ~ St Georges Dane Bank	1:30pm
Monday	Assembly ~ Linden Road School	9:00 am
Tuesday	Assembly ~ Greswell school Holy Communion – St Lawrence Lodge	9:00 am 2.00 pm
Thursday	Mid Week Holy Communion ~ Pendle House Funeral of Gordon Rushton ~ St Annes Haughton Mothers Union ~ Parish Hall	9:00 am 2.00 pm 7:30 pm
Sunday 5th May	Holy Communion led by Rev Roger Dixon (Mission Partnership pulpit swap)	10.45 am

☺ **Renovation Fund** – The total in the pink envelopes for Sunday 14th April was **£46.50** and for Sunday 21st April **£73.00**. Please see the poster about the **‘putting back fund’**.

Please remember members of our Church Family who are unwell or in special need at this time:

Jim Atherton, Edna Davies, Sylvia & Teddy Davies,
 Alan Goulden, Stewart Hadfield, John Hampson,
 Carson Hardman, Peter & Margaret Loughman,
 Bill Lucas, Janice McCann, Sarah Maiden,
 Derek Salter, Sheila Smith, Bernard White,
 Peter Wills, John Wood, Chris,



Morning Prayer
Fifth Sunday of Easter



179 Father welcomes all his children

Reading: Acts 11:1-18

62 Be still for the presence of the Lord

Reading: John 13:31-35

430 Let there be love shared among us

499 Make me a channel of your peace

(During this hymn a collection will be taken)

Collect

Risen Christ,
your wounds declare your love for the world
and the wonder of your risen life:
give us compassion and courage
to risk ourselves for those we serve,
to the glory of God the Father. **Amen**

Intercessions Response

Lord, hear us

Lord, graciously hear us

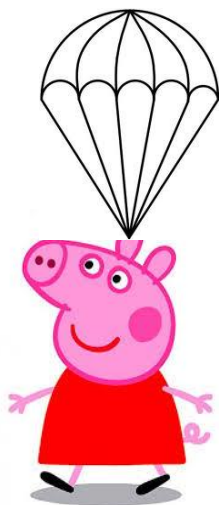
Post Communion Prayer

Eternal God,
whose Son Jesus Christ is the way, the truth, and the life:
grant us to walk in his way,
to rejoice in his truth,
and to share his risen life;
who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**

Forthcoming Events for April / May

Wednesday 8th May	Burying of Time Capsule in Church Floor Heritage Project Meeting ~ Parish Hall	3:00 pm 7:30 pm
Thursday 9th May	Ascension Day Holy Communion	TBA
Sunday 12th May	Christian Aid Lunch after morning service	12 noon
Monday 13th May	Youth Committee Meeting ~ Rectory	6:00 pm
Saturday 18th May	Teddy Parachute Jump ~ St George's Mossley	2:00 pm
Wednesday 22nd May	Archdeacons Visitation ~ St Michaels Ashton	7:30 pm
Thursday 23rd May	PCC Meeting in Parish Hall	7:30 pm
June	Next Open Day – date to be advised from 15 th / 22 nd / 29 th	10am to 4 pm

Teddy Parachute jump – A very brave **Peppa Pig** has volunteered to parachute 90ft from the top of the Tower of St Georges Mossley. Only three things are needed to complete this dangerous feat – a **parachute, sponsors and prayer.**



Please see **Peppa Pig's** trainers **Lorraine and Robert** to help out. 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 18th May** commencing at 2pm. **If any other adventurous toys would like to join Peppa Pig please speak to Sheila**

Reordering / Heritage Project Update

Memory Box / Time Capsule

Add your message
or suggest / supply an item to be included

Don't Delay
Box will be buried on 8th May

Phase Two – Work is underway and photos are available to view. Additional work is required to preserve and protect some of the original medieval timber posts and to secure the wall between the chancel and the old organ space. It is anticipated this will add a couple of weeks work to the overall programme.

Funding – Great news we have received a grant of **£1000 from New Charter Housing Trust. 'The putting back' fund is now underway.** Initially we need to raise £5000 for the stairs – please see the notice board for progress upwards on our journey

Heritage Project – Volunteer to record your memories of St Lawrence Church and Denton – please speak to Joyce Heap to find out more.

Get involved – make your memories part of our future