

Christ Church and All Saints Newsletter 20 September 2026



WORSHIP

SERVICES IN CHURCH

Christ Church is open for Sunday worship at 10.00 am

ONLINE SERVICES

Streamed LIVE from Christ Church Healey

on our Twitch tv channel [twitch.tv/revdgill](https://www.twitch.tv/revdgill)
and our Facebook page [facebook.com/christchurchhealey](https://www.facebook.com/christchurchhealey)
and to view on both after the broadcast.

Downloads of the service are available on request.

PASTORAL

If anyone needs help or support, please contact:
the Vicar on 01706 458506
or the Pastoral team on 07813 297313.

WEBSITE INFORMATION

Our websites are regularly updated and contain lots of
useful information including service sheets, readings
and news.

<https://www.achurchnearyou.com/church/15941/>
and
www.christchurchhealey.org.uk

BENEFICE MOTTO FOR 2026

**"In everything by prayer and supplication... let your requests
be made known to God. And the peace of God which
surpasses all understanding, will guard your hearts and your
minds in Christ Jesus.**

Philippians 4:6-7 (NRSV)

***Our Mission Statement – "To glorify God and serve our
community in the name of Jesus Christ."***

PRAYERS

For the sick:

Roger Mason, Brenda Blair, Andrew McElroy, Elliot Nightingale,
Letty and children, Sue Tuffy, Ian Hill, Fay and Jackson Clyde,
Jean Clarke.

Home members:

Jean France, Madalen Bolton, Jeff Ormerod.

In Memoriam:

Alan Tomkinson, William Gould, Evelyn Hartley, Rose Lord,
James Howarth, Arnold Wild, Hary Allen, Margaret Kay,
Adele Sheppard, Jack Birch, Frances Howarth, Jack Hill,
Mary Webb, Ivy May Barrett, Alice Brandon, Dorothy Brierley,
Sir Malcolm Arnold, Edith Hudson, Elizabeth Alice Rogers,
Joan Leedale, James Harold Sutcliffe.

Prayer for the week

Loving Lord, help us to follow you faithfully, reflecting your love,
showing your compassion where it is needed most and responding
to your guidance. Touch our hearts and strengthen our faith, so
that in the days and weeks ahead we may live and work for you,
to bring glory to your name.

Amen.

BIBLE READING:

Philippians chapter 1 verse 27

Only, live your life in a manner worthy of the gospel of Christ, so
that, whether I come and see you or am absent and hear about
you, I will know that you are standing firm in one spirit, striving
side by side with one mind for the faith of the gospel.

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Grounds working party

Hands and tools welcome to help tidy the grounds at Christ Church on Saturday 19th September from 10am to 1pm (or as long as you are able).

See Alison or Lynsey for more information. Thank you.



Confirmation

The next confirmation service for Rochdale deanery is at St Chad's at 3pm on 20th September.

Gleam Team



On Thursday 24 September at 10.00 until 11.30 am, we will meet to help clean our Church.

If you can come, please let Joyce know, so that she knows how many 'wage packets' to make up!

MacMillan Coffee Morning

On Saturday 26 September from 10.00 am until 12 noon in the Hall. Great coffee and cake. Together, we can make a big difference to people living with cancer.



PCC Meeting

Christ Church PCC will meet on Monday 28th September at 7pm at the Vicarage.

Quiz Night – St Ann's

On Friday 16 October from 7.00 pm for 7.30 pm start in St Ann's Hall. Strictly teams of 6, £10 per ticket including potato pie or cheese and onion pie for supper. Free raffle with additional tickets available to purchase on the night.

Tickets available from Annette (Tel 07500 805001).

Advance Notice

Rochdale Archdeaconry Lay Leadership Conference – **ANY interested lay person** (clergy can only go to accompany you!) – focus on **SUCCESSION PLANNING. What's your role. What could be your role?**

See separate email. Saturday 7th November, 10am – 1pm at Brian Clarke Academy, Oldham.

NOTICES

Communion Discussions

Please see the leaflets shared and talk to your PCC members as we review our practice across the benefice.

Hope Community

Pray for Carmina and the team as the Youth Club (every Friday) and Family Fun-time (26 September) restart at St Ann's Hall – that the gospel of salvation will be shared and received.

Rochdale Foodbank

The foodbank is very short of carrier bags at the moment. If you have any to spare, please leave them with the Foodbank items in Church or give to Krys or Ray Newell. Thank you.

Ukraine Christmas Shoe boxes

Collections have already started and a packing day is planned (24th October) – see flyers for gift information.