

# Church of the Holy Spirit Mossley Parish

(Charity Registration No. NIC103262)

# Sunday 11th May 2025

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**WELCOME** to the Church of the Holy Spirit!

Thank you for joining with us for our in-church and online services.

This week we are reflecting on what it really means to be faithful to God's call.

#### **COLLECT OF THE DAY**

(Fourth Sunday of Easter)

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you and the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.



#### TODAY'S BIBLE READINGS

Morning Numbers 27:12-23

John 10:22-30

Evening Isaiah 63:7-14

#### **GET IN TOUCH**

Rev Peter Jones 02890832726 rectormossley@hotmail.com

Rev Louise Bowes 07900410069 <u>curatemossley@outlook.com</u>

Our online service will be available on YouTube from 11am and Facebook, our website, and the dial-in facility at 12.30pm.

#### **Announcements**

## Monday 12th May

• Splat Messy Play in the Parish Centre from 9.30am – 12.30pm.

### Tuesday 13th May

- Sure Start 'Sing-A-Long' in the Main Hall from 9.30am 11.30am.
- Clergy from the North Belfast Rural Deanery will be meeting in the Carntall Room from 12noon.
- Bible Study end of year service of Holy Communion at 7.30pm.

## Wednesday 14th May

- Midweek Holy Communion at 10am.
- Community Lunches from 12noon until 2pm in the Carntall Room, costing only £4 per person.
- Gillian Jones Dance Academy is in the Parish Centre from 3.45pm until 5.45pm.
- Summer Bowls continue from 7.00pm in the Parish Centre.
- The Prayer Fellowship meets in the Pentecost Room at 7.30pm.
- Women's Guild will meet in the Carntall Room from 7.30pm.

#### Thursday 15th May

- SureStart 'Mini-Movers' in the Main Hall from 9.15am until 11.30am.
- MusicMakers, a music club for children in P3-Year 8, will meet. Anyone interested in more details should speak to Jane.

## Friday 16<sup>th</sup> May

• Dove Tots meets at 10am in the Main Hall. This will be the final session before the summer break.

## Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> May

- Our Summer Fair will be held in the Parish Centre from 10am until 1pm. Please do plan to come along.
- The final session of Youth Club before the summer break will be held in the Parish Centre (7pm 9pm) and is for all young people from P4 up to Year 9.

## For Your Information

#### **Tea Brew Rota**

Thank you to all who have agreed to be part of the Tea Brew Rota.

May 11<sup>th</sup>, 18<sup>th</sup>, 25 June 1<sup>st</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup>, 15<sup>th</sup>, 22<sup>nd</sup>, 29<sup>th</sup> Elsie Christie & Vikki Moore Leeanne Kelly & Elaine Maxwell

## **Safeguarding Trust**

Our Parish Panel members are Rev Peter Jones, Carolyn Caldwell, John Nesbitt and Joan Mackey. If you wish to make urgent contact, telephone the Rector on 02890832726.

## Christian Aid Week (11th – 17th May 2025)

Christian Aid exists to create a world where everyone can live a full life, free from poverty. We have an opportunity to support Christian Aid through the envelopes on the pews or online (<a href="www.christianaid.org.uk">www.christianaid.org.uk</a>).

Any support that you can give would be gratefully received.

#### Children's Day Service

We are really looking forward to our Children's Day service next Sunday (18<sup>th</sup> May) at 11am. It will be good to see the members of Club J and Ignite taking part in our service. Please do come along to support our young people and the Club J / Ignite leaders.

## **Mossley Mission Group**

There will be a short meeting of Mossley Mission Group on Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 7.30pm in the Carntall Room. Any new members will be made very welcome.

#### **Street Pastors AGM**

Antrim & Newtownabbey Street Pastors will be holding their AGM in the Carntall Room on Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm. Everyone is welcome to attend.

# Prayer List

If you want a name put on the prayer list, please fill in the prayer request slip in the church porch and then place it in the box provided.

Alternatively, you can email them to <a href="mailto:rectormossley@hotmail.com">rectormossley@hotmail.com</a>

Davy	Paul	Eddie	Walter	Victor
Joyce	Wesley	Carter	Marlou	Craig
Gladys	David	Grace	Karen	Trevor
Linda	Ursula	Ann	David	Niamh
Kellie	Jack	Rita	Jim	Angela
Ann				

# **Praying For Others**

Heavenly Father, we ask you to draw close to all who sick or troubled at this time. May they be aware of your presence with them and your peace in their lives. We ask this in Jesus's name. Amen.

# **Prayer Focus**

Local: Glengormley Methodist Church and Rev Michael Spence.

**District:** Greenisland & Carrickfergus areas.

Parish Organisations: Girls' Brigade.

Connor Diocese: Bishop George Davison.

Church of Ireland: Bishop David McClay and the Dioceses of Down and

Dromore.

Mission Partnerships: Tansen Hospital and SAMS Ireland.

Wider World: an end to the conflict between Ukraine and Russia; lasting peace in the Middle East; the people living in Pataz province, Peru, as a curfew has been imposed due to increasing levels of gang-related violence; an easing of tensions between India and Pakistan; Christians who are being persecuted in various parts of the world; stability and lasting peace in Ethiopia; an end to conflicts in South Sudan and Myanmar; an easing of the global cost of living crisis.