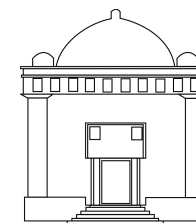


St Chad's Ladybarn



2nd Sunday before Advent 17 November 2019



“Beware that you are not led astray ...” Luke 21.8

This morning's music

411 Judge eternal, throned in splendour
350 Immortal love, for ever full
307 Hills of the north, rejoice
156 Do not be afraid
114 Colours of day

This morning's readings and prayers

Malachi 4.1-2a (reader: Leslie Fletcher); Psalm 98; **2 Thes-
salonians 3.6-13** (reader: Abhi Masih); **Luke 21.5-19**
(Gospeller: Opal Walsh); Intercessor: Jenny Black

Prayer in the silence after communion

Heavenly Lord, you long for the world's salvation: stir us from apathy, restrain us from excess and revive in us new hope that all creation will one day be healed in Jesus Christ our Lord.

Tea and coffee are served in the Hall after the service - all welcome

Collect for 2nd Sunday before Advent

Heavenly Father, whose blessed Son was revealed to destroy the works of the devil and to make us the children of God and heirs of eternal life: grant that we, having this hope, may purify ourselves even as he is pure; that when he shall appear in power and great glory we may be made like him in his eternal and glorious kingdom; where he is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Post Communion: 2nd before Advent

Gracious Lord, in this holy sacrament you give substance to our hope: bring us at the last to that fullness of life for which we long; through Jesus Christ our Saviour.

Next Sunday, Sunday Next before Advent, Feast of Christ the King

Jeremiah 23.1-6 (reader: Barbara Purvis); Psalm 46; **Colossians 1.11-20** (reader: Esther Masih); **Luke 23.33-43** (Gospeller: Mark Hewerdine); Intercessor: Helen Reid

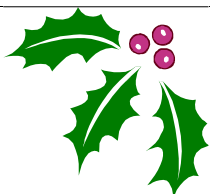
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Big thanks to ...

... the lovely student volunteers who worked hard on our Community Orchard and Wildlife Garden on Wednesday, and to the church people who welcomed them, made tea and coffee, sorted out muddy carpets,

Next week and further ahead

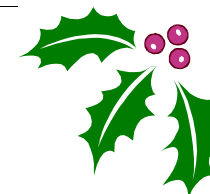
Tuesday 19 November 7.30pm Evening Prayer, 8.00pm Book Club discussing Iain Banks' *The Wasp Factory*
Thursday 21 November 10.00am Holy Communion (Weekday services in the Vestry until February.)



St Chad's Christmas Fair

Saturday 23 November (*Doors open at 11.00am*)

Santa, lunches, children's activities, stalls...



Please help stock these stalls:

Books, cakes, gifts, bottle tombola, jewellery, plants, mulled wine, crackers, raffle prizes, ...

Use the boxes by the Lady Chapel or see a churchwarden or Helen or Judy

- *Sunday School children and families have come up with 8 boxes of crackers; can we make this 16?*
 - *Help needed at 6.30pm on the Thursday to clear chairs from the Nave and 7.00pm on the Friday to set up stalls*
 - *Also at 1.30pm on the day to clear the Nave of stalls and put the chairs back*
 - *Please put a Christmas Fair poster up in your window or anywhere it can be seen*
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Tuesday 26 November 9.30am More Manchester University students arrive to help maintain our grounds. Volunteers needed to welcome them with hot drinks, cake, biscuits, Ask Judy or Helen

Sunday 8 December Our Eucharist will be a shorter said service at 8.30am to enable us to attend the 10.30am Christingle service at St Nicholas to mark the Feast of St Nicholas

The Foodbank needs breakfast cereal, long-life milk and fruit juice so children don't go to school hungry.

Rough sleepers needwarm clothing; please put any you no longer need in the box at the back of church

Traidcraft

The Christmas catalogue can be viewed online at <https://tinyurl.com/traidcraft2019>. One printed catalogue has already been received; ask Judy or Leslie if you would like to look at it. Please place your orders for Christmas cards and gifts and, especially, Advent calendars as soon as possible. More printed catalogues are on order.