



St. Wilfrid's Weekly



FEAST of St. Wilfrid



The 1st Reading - 1 Corinthians 1:18-25

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God. ¹⁹For it is written, 'I will destroy the wisdom of the wise, and the discernment of the discerning I will thwart.' ²⁰Where is the one who is wise? Where is the scribe? Where is the debater of this age? Has not God made foolish the wisdom of the world? ²¹For since, in the wisdom of God, the world did not know God through wisdom, God decided, through the foolishness of our proclamation, to save those who believe. ²²For Jews demand signs and Greeks desire wisdom, ²³but we proclaim Christ crucified, a stumbling-block to Jews and foolishness to Gentiles, ²⁴but to those who are the called, both Jews and Greeks, Christ the power of God and the wisdom of God. ²⁵For God's foolishness is wiser than human wisdom, and God's weakness is stronger than human strength.

The 2nd Reading - Luke 5:1-11

Once while Jesus was standing beside the lake of Gennesaret, and the crowd was pressing in on him to hear the word of God, ²he saw two boats there at the shore of the lake; the fishermen had gone out of them and were washing their nets. ³He got into one of the boats, the one belonging to Simon, and asked him to put out a little way from the shore. Then he sat down and taught the crowds from the boat. ⁴When he had finished speaking, he said to Simon, 'Put out into the deep water and let down your nets for a catch.' ⁵Simon answered, 'Master, we have worked all night long but have caught nothing. Yet if you say so, I will let down the nets.' ⁶When they had done this, they caught so many fish that their nets were beginning to break. ⁷So they signalled to their partners in the other boat to come and help them. And they came and filled both boats, so that they



began to sink. ⁸But when Simon Peter saw it, he fell down at Jesus' knees, saying, 'Go away from me, Lord, for I am a sinful man!' ⁹For he and all who were with him were amazed at the catch of fish that they had taken; ¹⁰and so also were James and John, sons of Zebedee, who were partners with Simon. Then Jesus said to Simon, 'Do not be afraid; from now on you will be catching people.' ¹¹When they had brought their boats to shore, they left everything and followed him.

Today's Psalm (Evensong) - 67

God be merciful unto / us and / bless us : and
 shew us the light of his countenance, and be /
 merciful / unto / us.
 That thy way may be / known upon / earth :
 thy saving / health a/mong all / nations.
 Let the people / praise thee O / God : yea
 let / all the / people / praise thee.
 O let the nations re/joyce and be / glad : for
 thou shalt judge the folk righteously, and
 govern the / nations up/on / earth.
 Let the people / praise thee O / God : let / all
 the / people / praise thee.
 Then shall the earth bring / forth her /
 increase : and God even our own / God shall /
 give us his / blessing.
 God / shall / bless us : and all the / ends of
 the / world shall / fear him.

This Week @ St. Wilfrid's

Welcome to worship today as we celebrate the life of our Patron Saint, Wilfrid of York.

This Wednesday we shall be welcoming Bishop Mark as he comes to open and dedicate our new Parish room, The Beacon. Do come and join us at 9.30 a.m. to meet bishop Mark who, I am delighted to say, will be accompanied by Bishop Julie, the new Bishop of Birkenhead. There won't be a service on Wednesday but there will be refreshments served, I look forward to seeing you there.

The PCC Standing Committee meets this Monday at 7.30 p.m. If there are any matters you would like raised at PCC please speak to the Churchwardens or myself and we will ensure it gets on the PCC agenda.

From next Wednesday, 20th October, we shall again be holding our mid-week Communion service at The Beacon at 10.00 a.m. which will be followed by a coffee morning from 10.30 a.m. Do come and join us.

Please remember in your prayers those who have died recently: Samuel Hatton, Eileen Puddicombe, Ron Whild, Sue Darbyshire, Sam Naylor, Patsy Denby Jones, and Peter Gregory

Year's Mind (2010+)	Marjorie Nielson Jean Oldfield	Sheila Sexton
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This Week's Diary (Week beginning October 10th)

Sun.	<u>Patronal Festival</u>		
	8.30 a.m.	Said Holy Communion (BCP)	Church
	10.00 a.m.	All-Age Celebrating St. Wilfrid	Church
	6.30 p.m.	Choral Evensong	Church
Mon.	7.30 p.m.	PCC Standing Committee	Zoom
Tue.	7.30 p.m.	Greater Chapter Meeting	St. Bart's Wilmslow
Wed.	9.30 a.m.	Opening of The Beacon by +Mark	The Beacon
Sat.	12.00 p.m.	Church Open	Church
Sun.	<u>The 20th Sunday after Trinity</u>		
	8.30 a.m.	Said Holy Communion	Church
	10.00 a.m.	Sung Holy Communion	Church
	6.30 p.m.	Choral Evensong	Church

This Sunday's Readings - Patronal Festival

<u>8.30 & 10.00 p.m.</u>	<u>6.30 p.m.</u>
1 Corinthians 1:18-25 Luke 5:1-11	Psalm 67 1 Corinthians 1:18-25 Luke 5:1-11

Next Sunday's Readings - Trinity 20

<u>8.30 & 10.00 a.m.</u>	<u>6.30 p.m.</u>
Isaiah 53:4-end Hebrews 5:1-10 Mark 10:35-45	Psalm 141 Joshua 14:6-14 Matthew 12:1-21

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