



31st August 2014

**A warm welcome is given to visitors sharing in our
worship today**

Worship today is led by Rev'd David Coaker

Blessing

Lilly-May Louise Ellis-Brown

HYMNS

Rejoice and Sing

261, MP857, 548, 474

READINGS

Matthew 16 v 21-28

Jeremiah 15 v 15-21



Church flowers this week are from

Sylvia Bairstow

Memories of John

Last week's collection totalled £250.40

Leyland.unc.org.uk

After the service there is opportunity for fellowship, to have a chat and a cup of tea/juice in the church hall.
Communion will be shared on the 2nd Sunday of each month.
Grape juice is used for communion.

CHILD FRIENDLY CHURCH

We strive to be a 'child friendly' church. Any visitors with children are welcome to join in Junior church—the children leave the service after the Offertory is taken, accompanied by our volunteer leaders. All our leaders have been CRB cleared. The children will be brought back into the church hall after the service.
In the front pew on the right of the church in front of the screen there is a soft play area—please feel free to sit there and make use of this area. Also there are peg bags in the front porch containing crayons/books etc to keep older children amused—please ask for one. Please do not worry if your baby cries but if you wish to leave you may use the door on the right of the church (under the display screen) to go into the church hall.

DISABLED ACCESS

There is room for a wheelchair by the side of one of the pews on the right aisle of the church and also at the front.
There is a platform lift to take you through to the church hall and for access to disabled toilet facilities from the hall.

**The church will be open most Tuesdays between
12pm and 2pm for quiet reflection**

MITE SCHEME

The white tins in the front porch are for collecting 5 pence pieces. These buy a sachet of salt/sugar to combat dehydration.

In the last two weeks 92 lives were 'saved'

Total of lives 'saved' so far this year—4713

**PLEASE MAKE SURE YOU TURN OFF YOUR MOBILE
PHONE DURING THE SERVICE**

We welcome and offer blessing to
Lilly-May Louise Ellis-Brown
**May God's blessing surround you each day
As you trust him and walk in his way.
May God's blessing within
Guard and keep you from sin
Go in peace, go in joy, go in love.**
Our love to Christin, Ian and all the family on this
special day

Next Luncheon club is on Tuesday 2nd September at 12.30

It is with sadness that we share the news that Donald Fletcher MBE has died. Donald's wife is Elizabeth, who is the church secretary at our sister church Kirkham URC. Donald's funeral will be on Wednesday 3rd September, 2pm at Kirkham URC. Our prayers and thoughts are with Elizabeth and the family.

SAT 6TH SEPTEMBER

Community Choir Challenge at Standish, Wigan
For details see Linda Barnes

THURSDAY 11TH SEPTEMBER

2nd 'Getting to Know You' session at 7.30pm

SATURDAY 20TH SEPTEMBER

Ramble in the Wrea Green area
See notice board for details

Also

THE ELLIS QUIZ 7.30PM,

MONTHLY LUNCHEON

To be held on the first Tuesday of each month
No charge but donations would be welcome

Please remember the Food Bank box which is located in the left hand side of the porch, any contributions would be most welcome

CREDIT UNION Open each week on **Tuesday, 2-3pm**

Leyland United Reformed Church
Hough Lane - Door B on Quin Street

Credit Unions are community savings and loans co-operatives, owned and run by the members. They provide a safe and viable alternative to pay day loans, enable people to save as well as offering low cost loans and provide a safe and ethical place to borrow from. All deposits are covered by the Financial Services Compensation Scheme.

Membership of Unify is available to anyone who lives or works within Wigan, Leigh, Chorley, Leyland or Skelmersdale
<http://www>

Jackie is collecting clean plastic milk container tops (green, red and blue)

Linda Barnes is collecting stamps for Batten Disease

If you have any items for the notices please contact Linda Kay on lindakay@blueyonder.co.uk