Welcome to Christ Church Longridge

This week...

Mon 10am Craft Club
Tues 7.30pm Bible Study at
63 Chaigley Rd
Wed

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Fri 7.45am CTL prayers at Alston Lane 10am-12 noon Coffee in Church Foyer

Friday Coffee Rota

Sept 20 Mrs L Grange Sept 27th Rev E Hodgkiss **Sunday Coffee Rota** Sept 22nd Sue & Linda Sept 29th June & Judith

Prayer from the Congregation rota:

Sept 22nd H Scott, Sept 29th J Edwards

Next Sunday

Dixon

10.45am Morning Worship led by Sister Janet Edwards 6.30pm Holy Communion led by Rev Ray Borg

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Today

Sunday September 15th

(Ordinary 24) 10.30 Prayer Corner 10.45 am

Morning Worship led by Mrs Carol Rose

6.30pm

Evening Worship
Led by
Mr Henry Rose
Prayer from the
Congregation

Lord God, on this day of the Great North Run, we are reminded that St Paul encourages us to 'run the race'. We ask that we might run the race of life with our eyes fixed on Christ, strengthened by your Word, spending time in your presence, as your disciples. Help us to 'run the race' in faith, hope and love, as your children, in the power of the spirit. In Jesus name we pray. Amen

Prayer for the congregation P1

Notices...

The walk for September will start from the Ashurst Beacon car park, in the Douglas Valley and continue to Dean Wood, Gathurst, the Leeds and Liverpool Canal, Apply Bridge and back to the Beacon. About seven miles of varied walking. Meet at the church at 9.30am. Note! The walk this month is one week later on September 21st. Sun Sep 29th 2.30pm: Music in the Afternoon with Louisa Stirland (BBC Young Chorister of the Year 2012). Also, Jason McMahon (clarinet), Daniel Dwyer (Flute) and Carol Rose (piano & organ). Tickets £5 (including refreshments) available from Carol Rose (Tel: 783680). Proceeds to Methodist World MIssion and URC Commitment for Life. Please take posters/flyers if you are able to help with publicity. Fox Street appeal for the homeless- Please put items in the orange box in the foyer. They are in urgent need of Pasta/Rice, Noodles, tinned spaghetti, tinned toms, tinned meat, tinned fish, rice pudding/custard, tinned vegetables and any other packet products, as they are currently supplying 300 food parcels a week and have run out. We are beginning to prepare shoeboxes for this year's Samaritan's Purse Collection. We will be assembling them on Friday November 1st. We need shoeboxes; shoeboxes covered in Christmas wrapping paper if you are able; small items to put in boxes (details will be in foyer next week) or completed boxes on the day (produced by an individual or group) and money for sending them. Please bring contributions on Mondays, Fridays or Sundays.

We will be decorating the windows for harvest on Friday morning September 27th if you would like to come and help. Our gifts this year are of money and we need to keep the dais free for the concert so please don't bring fresh produce although additional flowers will be welcome. Thank you.

Items for the notices should be given to Margery Cook by <u>Wednesday</u> or sent by email **cook71marg@talktalk.net** or by phone 01772 786914

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