

ALL HALLOWS CHURCH

A Church of the Rainbow People of God



14th May 2017

Fifth Sunday of EASTER

President and Preacher

Heston Groenewald

Worship Leader

Sarah Derbyshire

Readings

Genesis 18; Mark 2:1-5

Prayer of the Day

*Strong and loving God,
who through your Son Jesus Christ
have overcome death and opened
to us the gate of everlasting life,
grant that, as you show us grace
going before us, lead us to desire good,
so by your continual help we may bring about good works;
through Jesus Christ our risen Lord.*



Amen.

*God said: 'I have set my rainbow in the clouds, and it shall be a sign
of the bond between me and the earth.'*

And Desmond Tutu said 'We are the Rainbow People of God.'

Please pray for...



- Lois' father-in-law, Alan, who is undergoing treatment for cancer, which he has been tussling with for some time.
- Kirsty's mother, Peggy, and the members of their family.
- Pippa's brother Martin, and his family.
- Peace and comfort for Hannah's step-mother, Audrey, as she has recently and suddenly lost her brother.
- Kate and Mark, that they are blessed with joy as they begin married life together!
- For Helen and for Kerry's family, particularly Kerry's Mum who has ongoing health problems.
- For Mustapha.

In the wider community ...



- All who use our building during the week.
- For the growth and success of **Rainbow Junk-tion**.
 - For the building of a strong, caring and inclusive community in the Hyde Park area and throughout Leeds
 - Members of Hyde Park Methodist, their community shop and youth work
 - Our Muslim neighbours
 - MEND and Hope not Hate their work challenging Islamophobia and discrimination

For justice, peace and healing in the world this week ...

- For peaceful resolutions in Burundi, Turkey, Iraq, Syria, DRC, Afghanistan and South Sudan.
- For those subjected to brutal oppression and violence in Chechnya, that leaders take urgent action to ensure their safety and freedom from persecution.
- As the general election campaign continues in the UK, for communities to engage in peaceful and constructive debates



Thank you to all who responded to help update this section of the bulletin 😊 If you have suggestions of what you what you would like to pray for in the world next week, or if there is a prayer from previous bulletins you would like back, please e-mail bulletin@allhallowsleeds.org.uk.

and listen thoughtfully to one and another.

Regular Events

Sun	10.30am	Morning Service "Sharing the Feast of Life"
	6pm	Alcoholics Anonymous group
Mon	9.15- 9.45pm	Morning Prayers at St. Michael's
	10am-4pm	Rainbow Junk-tion Café
	6.30pm	Monday Yoga
Tues	7:30pm	Bible study at 23 Spencer Place, LS7 4DQ(contact Rev David Randolph-Horn (davidrh23@gmail.com)
Wed	11-1pm	OWLS lunches (Bookable for older people)
	7pm	Alcoholics Anonymous group
	7pm	Tuesday Yoga on Wednesday
Thur	10.30- 11.30	Morning Prayers & Eucharist at St. Chad's
	10am-4pm	Rainbow Junk-tion Café – Syrian Kitchen
Sat	2-3pm	Breakdancing - open class
	3-5pm	Breakdancing - open session



Regular work mornings, usually on **Saturdays**, when we do jobs around the church and grounds to keep it looking good!

Other Events...

Kerry's Memorial Service - We're holding a memorial service for Kerry Cockerham- on Thursday 1 June 7pm here at All Hallows. Everyone please wear a silly t-shirt to show your love for Kerry and Helen. And everyone please join Helen for a drink at Brown's in the city after the service.

Great Get Together - on Saturday evening 17 June, come share the evening with our Syrian Community friends. To mark a year since Jo Cox MP's death, they have invited us to be their guests (at All Hallows!) and break the day's fast with them. It's part of the Great Get Together, and several other Muslim friends are keen to join us for 'Walk in my Shoes' conversations.

Christian Aid Week- is the 14- 20th of May. This year's Christian Aid Week focuses on refugees, reflecting on Christian Aid's support for refugees since 1945. See: <https://www.christianaid.org.uk/christian-aid-week>

Praying for each other –

For the coming week:

Where will you be?

Where is God in that?

What will you be doing?

How can I/we pray for you?

Ways to DONATE to ALL HALLOWS –

- Please put donations of money on the collection plate on the small table in the entrance of the church. Regular donations by standing order are very welcome. Please gift aid your donations if possible. Contact Michael for details: allhallowstreasurer2@gmail.com.
- Please see Paul (details below) to help out with the café, gardening, events, gigs and/or working parties to clean the church.
- Please contact Sarah Derbyshire (sarah81196@live.co.uk) to join the rota to help with our Sunday services.

CONTACT DETAILS: Please see Rev Heston 0113 242 2205/07595 261389, revheston@gmail.com or Church Wardens Andrea or Paul, (churchwardens@allhallowsleeds.org.uk). For more details about Bible Study, please see David Randolph-Horn, 07930 815911.

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