



## **Conversion of Paul**

**25<sup>th</sup> January 2026**

**Welcome to St George's Church**

*We seek to serve our local community and share friendship, support, encouragement in times of difficulty and of joy. If this is your first visit, please do say hello to one of the churchwardens or welcome team.*

*For all enquiries, including Baptisms, weddings,  
Home Communion or home visits,  
please contact the  
**Revd Denise Owen***

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### **Upcoming services at St. George's:**

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> January                    10.30am                    Midweek Eucharist

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February                    9.30am                    Parish Holy Communion with hymns

### **The Collect for the Conversion of Paul:**

Almighty God, who caused the light of the gospel to shine throughout the world through the preaching of your servant Saint Paul: grant that we who celebrate his wonderful conversion may follow him in bearing witness to your truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **Post Communion Prayer:**

We give you thanks, O Lord, for these heavenly gifts; kindle in us the fire of your Spirit that when your Christ comes again we may shine as lights before his face; who is alive and reigns now and for ever. **Amen.**

### **Today's Readings**

Jeremiah 1.4-10

Matthew 19.27-end

### **Today's Hymns**

503 O Jesus, I have promised

174 Firmly I believe and truly

485 O for a thousand tongues to sing

163 Father, Lord of all creation

### **Hymns During Communion**

625 Take my life, and let it be

66 Be still and know that I am God

144 Dear Lord and Father of mankind

**PRAY FOR THE CHURCH THROUGHOUT THE WORLD** *Pray for persecuted Christians throughout the World.*

**PRAY FOR THE DIOCESE OF MANCHESTER** *Pray for our Diocesan Bishop: Bishop David Walker. Suffragan Bishops: Bishop Mark. The Revd Dr Matthew Porter: Bishop of Bolton. Archdeacons: Karen Best, Rachel Mann, Karen Smeeton. Area Dean: Daniel Ramble.*

**PRAY FOR THE NATIONS OF THE WORLD** *Please pray for our King and the people and leaders of all Nations. For peace in the world and for all working for peace and an end to terrorism. For all refugees and asylum seekers.*

**PRAY FOR THIS PARISH AND COMMUNITY** *Please continue to keep in your prayers, Revd Denise Owen, the Wardens and PCC.*

**FOR THE SICK, THE BEREAVED, THOSE IN TROUBLE** *please pray for those who are known to you.*

**PRAY FOR THE DEPARTED** *Please pray for all those recently departed.*

**ANNIVERSARIES:** *Agnes Smith, Moreen Branwood, Carol Hyde, Joseph Middleton, Edith Emma Clinton, Nellie Wood, Eric James Chorlton, Margaret Slack, Fred Kay, Bridgett Bower, Geoffrey Phillip Brown, Ronald Bower, Abraham Newton, Veronica Quinn, Fred Holt, Eddie Holden, Karen Jane Bradbury, Mildred Bradshaw, Alice Saxon, Alice Ann Priestley, John Robert Stanley, John Patrick Higgins*

## NOTICES

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### ***Upcoming services:***

There will be NO Tuesday morning Holy Communion on **10th February**.

Ash Wednesday - **18th February** at 7pm. Holy Communion with hymns and imposition of ashes.

**Thursday 19th February** from 11am-2pm - Lent preparation - A time of prayer and reflection about our journey through Lent at St George's, Mossley

### ***We are re-introducing food bank collections.***

As you know, times are tough for many people in Tameside, and local food banks continue to be a vital lifeline for those in need. As a church, we would like to support this work as much as we can. From next week, there will be a dedicated donation box in the lounge for food bank contributions. The box will remain there throughout the week, so anyone attending our groups is welcome to donate if they wish. A food bank volunteer will collect the donations each Sunday morning and take them to the food bank on Monday morning. Please pass this information on to anyone you think may like to contribute. Thank you for your generosity and support.

### ***200 Club Winners***

1 <sup>st</sup> prize	£25	No. 9	Jean McManus
2 <sup>nd</sup> prize	£15	No. 30	Madeline Kirby
3 <sup>rd</sup> prize	£10	No. 16	Linda Hirst

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If you have any notices to share, please contact John or Vicky at  
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