

- ▶ **Welcome** to our morning service. We are grateful for those who have helped with ministry while our pastor has been away over the past two weeks.
- ▶ Huge **congratulations** to Jez Smith who graduated yesterday from Nazarene Theological College. We continue to pray for Jez and Susanna in their first pastorate in Brownlow Fold, Bolton.
- ▶ We were so sorry to hear of the sudden passing of Margaret White on Friday, a longstanding member of our church. We will pass on funeral details later. Our prayers for Joslyn especially, her granddaughter, who was looking after her and very close to her.
- ▶ **Lucy's Study Group** on the Gospel of John has now moved to Thursdays at 2.00pm, meeting in the large youth room.
- ▶ This Thursday morning sees the first of a **'half hour coffee morning'** in conjunction with Sandilands School, held every other week as a trial run.

**Coming up:**

<i>Today</i>	<i>10.30am</i>	<b>Morning Service: 'By Grace Alone'</b> <i>Karl is speaking - Communion</i>
<b>Monday</b>	7.00pm	<b>Study Group</b> at The Grange
<b>Tuesday</b>	10.00am 12.00pm	<b>Life Skills Course</b> <b>Dinnaz</b>
<b>Wednesday</b>	10.00am 7.30pm	<b>Toddle-in Group</b> <b>Study Groups</b> (also at 2.30pm)
<b>Thursday</b>	9.00am 2.00pm	<b>Coffee Morning</b> in conjunction with Sandilands <b>Study Group</b> (Lucy)
<b>Friday</b>	2.00pm 7.30pm	<b>China Cup Café</b> <b>Board Meeting</b>
<i>Sunday 15 Oct</i>	<i>10.30am</i> <i>6.30pm</i>	<b>Morning Service: 'By Faith Alone'</b> <b>Evening Communion: Lucy Frost</b>

**Readings and Prayers:**

- ▶ Please pray that behind everything going on in our church these coming weeks that there is faith, which makes all the difference.
- ▶ Pray for Margaret White's family and those recently bereaved
- ▶ Pray for Jez and the church at Brownlow fold
- ▶ Pray that many people will seek the Lord in these days

Monday	Reading 2 Cor 8:16-9:15 Pray for Myra O'Hara and family
Tuesday	Reading 2 Cor 10:1-11:15 Pray for Michael Okechukwa & family
Wednesday	Reading 2 Cor 11:16-12:10 Pray for John & Vera Packard
Thursday	Reading 2 Cor 12:11-13:14 Pray for Karina Philips and family
Friday	Reading Gal 1:1-2:10 Pray for Sandra & Mike Pitt & family
Saturday	Reading: Gen 40 Pray for Fay Powell
<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> October</b>	Reading Gen 41:1-10 Pray for Adriana, Philip, David, Joseph, Pete & Rebecca Richmond