



Rochdale Parish Churches  
of St Chad and St Mary in the Baum



**NEWS**

*(Please take one and pass it on)*

Sunday  
5 March  
2023

*Thank you for joining us for worship today.  
You are welcome to stay for refreshments after the service.*



PLEASE PRAY  
FOR THOSE TO BE BAPTISED

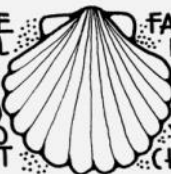
**ST CHAD'S**

Sunday 5 March

Vienna Italia Hill

Sunday 12 March

Greyson Sean Dodson



• MAKE ALL WHO ARE BAPTIZED INTO CHRIST FAITHFUL IN OUR CALLING TO BE YOUR CHILDREN •



PLEASE ENSURE YOUR PHONE IS

**\*OFF\***

DURING THE SERVICE

*Thank You*



## REST IN PEACE

The funeral service for **KATE SIDDLER**  
will take place at St Mary in the Baum  
at 11.30 am on Thursday 9 March 2023



**You are invited to join us for our 2023 Lent Course  
based on the NOOMA series**

**Thursdays 7.30 pm at the Vicarage**

**2 March • 9 March • 16 March • 23 March • 30 March**



A reminder... JOINT STANDING COMMITTEE  
WEDNESDAY 8 MARCH 7 PM AT THE VICARAGE



If you would like us to pray for someone who is ill or who has died, please add their name to the list located on the desk or speak to one of the clergy.

**place of welcome**  
**coffee. cake. community.**



**Thursdays**  
**10.30 am - 12 noon**  
**at**  
**St Chad's Church Rochdale**



**for further info contact:**  
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Lord God, we have made so many choices already today:  
what to eat for breakfast:  
what to wear:  
what time to set off.  
Now we choose to gather here and worship you,  
hear us and guide us, O Lord.  
Amen.

**There is**  
**a mid-week service**  
**at St Chad's**  
**on Thursdays**  
**at 10.00 am**



Weeks 1, 4 and 5\*  
Morning Prayer

Week 2 and 3  
Holy Communion\*\*



\* months with a 5th Thursday  
\*\* for those who wish to receive the sacrament in the week



## St Chad

born 634, died 2 March 672



Rochdale Parish Church Presents

An Evening With

# JOHN HOLDER

Fast Bowler and Test Match Umpire

A first class umpire for 27 years, he officiated in 11 Tests and 23 one-day internationals

*Join us for a fascinating insight into an extraordinary career*



21st April 2023 7pm



Rochdale Masonic Hall



To book tickets ask in church or email [stchadsrochdale@outlook.com](mailto:stchadsrochdale@outlook.com)

**Tickets £35**  
Includes a 3 course meal

Raffle,  
Auction and stand  
Up Bingo on the night



£35 per person

Menu





Paul Bollington will be retiring as Churchwarden at St Chad's after 7 years in post.

He was previously PCC Secretary since 2011 and has served 3 Vicars at St Chad's.

Paul said some of the highlights have included promoting Christmas services and helping organise the centenary of WW1 events at St Chad's, and more recently Rochdale Parish Church's response following the Queen's passing.

He helped co-ordinate the new flagpole and safety gear on the Tower roof and also led the installation of new security railings behind the Church.

Paul said the greatest challenge was during the pandemic whilst in interregnum when the Churchwardens were responsible for risk assessments to enable the church to open safely.

He would also like to thank everyone who has supported and assisted both Churchwardens in all their responsibilities and duties.

Paul will continue in his capacity as Chief Server, Crucifer and Flagmaster as well as being a Chorister singing in our splendid choir, of which he has been a member since he was 10 years old.







**FRIDAY 17 MARCH - 10 AM - 12 NOON**

**REFRESHMENTS PROVIDED**

**EVERYONE WELCOME TO COME ALONG AND HELP**

**PLEASE ADD YOUR NAME TO THE LIST ON THE DESK**

**THANK YOU**

# MUSIC AT ST MARY IN THE BAUM

## TOAD LANE CONCERTS

Rochdale's Weekly Music at Lunchtime on Wednesdays  
at St Mary in the Baum

Doors open at 12 noon ♦ Concert 12.30 - 1.30 pm ♦ Entry fee: £6

### ♦ MARCH 8 ♦

The Elmet Quintet

Rachael Gibbon *clarinet*, Richard Webster & Alison Mordey *violins*  
Rebecca Mellings *viola* and Caroline Steer *cello*.

### ♦ MARCH 15 ♦

Imogen Garner *soprano* and John Gough *piano*

### ♦ MARCH 22 ♦

Telemann Baroque Ensemble

Alastair Roberts *flute*, Alfred Pollard *oboe*, Elaine da Costa & Sarah Snape *violins*  
John Goodstadt *viola*, Roger Bisby *cello* and Peter Collier *harpsichord*.

### ♦ MARCH 29 ♦

Music from Tonacliffe Primary School - Directed by Freda Farnworth

### ♦ Thank you for your support ♦

Contact Dr Joe Dawson **01706 648872** for more info



## MUSIC ON SATURDAYS AT ST CHAD'S



**Saturday 25 March - 12 noon**

Jasmin Allpress (*Piano*)

Including: Chopin Ballade no.3  
and Mozart Sonata in B flat major k.333

Admission £6 (pay on the door)

*including refreshments available from 11.30 pm*

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## Singing Day : Saturday 20 May

**Workshops 9.30 am - 3.00 pm ♦ Performance - 3.30 pm**

### Coronation "Come and Sing"



led by Philip O'Connor (*Director*)  
with Philip Lowe (*Organ*)

**Vivaldi Gloria in D**  
**G.F.Handel 'Zadok the Priest'**

**Full Day - £10 per person**

*Singers: please bring a packed lunch*

**Performance - £5** *Pay on the door*



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**Saturday 22 July at 3.00 pm**



Tickets £10 - pay on the door (*includes light refreshments*)

## SERVICES OF WORSHIP

### ♦ Sundays

#### ST MARY IN THE BAUM

9.15 am

Week 1 - BCP Communion

Week 2 - Eucharist

Weeks 3, 4 and 5\*

Common Worship Communion

*\* where there is a 5th Sunday in a month*

#### ST CHAD'S

11.15 am

Choral Eucharist

*Matins on 2nd Sunday of month*

1.30 - 3.00 pm

Asian Fellowship

### ♦ Thursdays

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#### **St Mary in the Baum**

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*To book a Wedding or Baptism/Christening  
at St Chad's or St Mary in the Baum,  
please come along to church on Sunday morning  
or phone the vicar to make arrangements.*

