



A place of worship and welcome, sharing Christ's love

*Welcome to our church this morning, especially if you are visiting us or worshipping with us for the first time. Please join us for refreshments after the service in our café.*

## Fifth Sunday of Lent

29<sup>th</sup> March 2020

### Notices:

As most of you already know, all church buildings in the Church of England are now closed. Many of you may wonder what it means for us in the Church of the Resurrection & St Barnabas. The fact that our church building is closed doesn't mean that the church is closed... the opposite is true. We continue to be the Church in Beswick and Lower Openshaw through our prayer for our neighbours and our community, through our acts of service seen especially at this time by staying at home, and by our faith in God. Our ministry team are regularly in touch with parishioners. Do check our website, especially 'Virtual Church' page and Facebook page regularly for news and resources both adults and children.

**Morning and Evening Prayer** continue to be said by Rev Maria and other members of the Ministry team in their own homes. If you have any prayer requests, please do send them through the link on the church website or text on 0752 6035611.

**Sunday homily** can be found on 'Virtual Church' page.

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