

## Manchester Archdeaconry Report to Autumn Council

Manchester members have continued to work hard for the Mothers' Union, supporting and enjoying the many events which have taken place.

They continue to support the MU projects especially the emergency bags for the hospitals and the knitted baby clothes.

We have had several Branch and Deanery Festivals where many have joined in the celebrations.

On 15<sup>th</sup> November St Paul's Blackley will be celebrating their 80<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of their Mothers Union. They are holding a service followed by lunch.

The speaker will be Canon Roy Chow - Manchester Archdeaconry Chaplain - who started his ministry at St Pauls. This will be an opportunity for people to say farewell to Roy as he retires at the end of the year.

A new Chaplain will be announced before the end of the year.

I would like to say thank you to the Trustees and Deanery Leaders who have given up their time to attend meetings while I am at work, it is very much appreciated.

Sandra Bradshaw  
Manchester Archdeaconry President