



## Welcome to St. Peter's

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### PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:

#### We pray for;

The work of Christian Aid  
The PCC  
Uganda Team preparations  
Year 6 children during SATs week.

#### Banns;

Amy Warner & Matthew Bateson  
Rachel Gibson & Nicholas Smeddles  
Karen Lewis & Stephen Sealey

#### For the residents of;

Old Mill Lane, Willow Grove & Alderson Cres.

**For the sick;** Angela, Doreen, Elizabeth, Helen, Joan and all those in hospital and our parishioners who are housebound or live in Nursing Homes.

**For the recently departed;** Frank Gracie and those whose anniversary of death falls at this time.

## Parish of St Peter, Formby

4<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

12<sup>th</sup> May 2019

## Services for Today:

8.00am EUCHARIST (BCP)

10.00am Parish Eucharist

Easter to Pentecost

*Prelude: Darke Meditation on Brother James' Air*

#### Gathering

422 Alleluia, sing to Jesus!

#### Gradual

800 The Lord's my Shepherd

#### Offertory

798 The Lord my Pasture shall Prepare

#### During Communion

*Motets: Goodall The Lord is my Shepherd  
Handel Worthy is the Lamb*

807 Thine for ever! God of love

#### Post Communion

641 (omit v.3) Glorious things of thee are spoken

*Voluntary: Handel March - Occasional Oratorio*

12noon Children's Hotdog Service

6.30pm Christian Aid Service

See service sheet



*Prelude: Vaughan Williams Rhosymedre  
Introit: Tye O come, ye servants of the Lord  
Anthem: Vaughan Williams Let all the world  
Voluntary: Bach Prelude in G, BWV 541*

**May Parish Magazine is available – please take a copy.**

*Gluten free wafers are available please ask the Clergy.*

*Please take this bulletin home for your diary and prayers*

## **The Collect;**

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ is the resurrection and the life: raise us, who trust in him, from the death of sin to the life of righteousness, that we may seek those things which are above, where he reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

## **The Liturgy of the Word**

### **Epistle Reading;**

**Acts 9: 36-43**

Our Epistle reading today is read by;

**Caroline Hope**

Now in Joppa there was a disciple whose name was Tabitha, which in Greek is Dorcas. She was devoted to good works and acts of charity. At that time she became ill and died. When they had washed her, they laid her in a room upstairs. Since Lydda was near Joppa, the disciples, who heard that Peter was there, sent two men to him with the request, 'Please come to us without delay.' So Peter got up and went with them; and when he arrived, they took him to the room upstairs. All the widows stood beside him, weeping and showing tunics and other clothing that Dorcas had made while she was with them. Peter put all of them outside, and then he knelt down and prayed. He turned to the body and said, 'Tabitha, get up.' Then she opened her eyes, and seeing Peter, she sat up. He gave her his hand and helped her up. Then calling the saints and widows, he showed her to be alive. This became known throughout Joppa, and many believed in the Lord. Meanwhile he stayed in Joppa for some time with a certain Simon, a tanner.

### **Gospel Reading;**

**John 10: 22-30**

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter, and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand. The Father and I are one.'

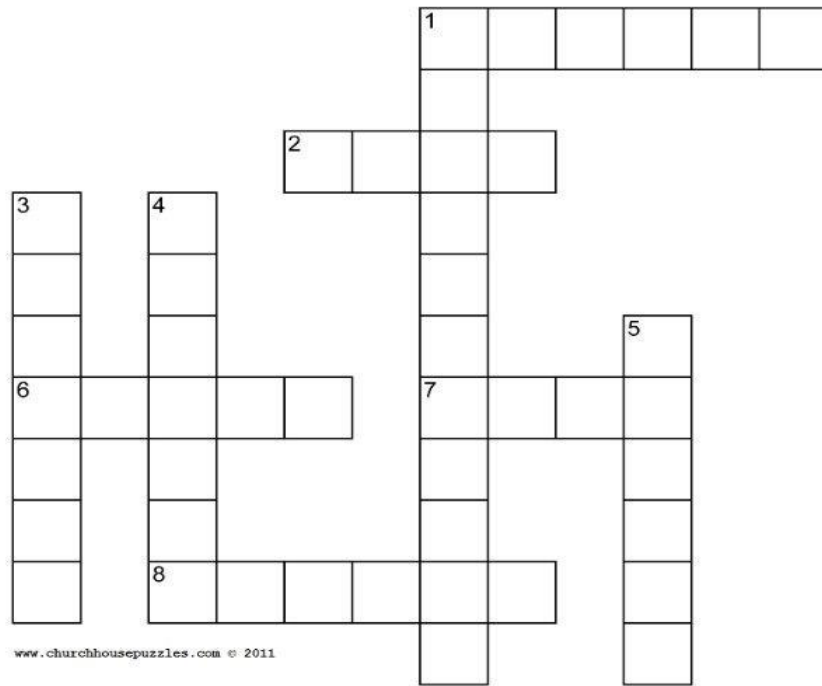
### **Intercessions by**

**Sue Gillam**

### **Post Communion Prayer;**

Merciful Father, you gave your Son Jesus Christ to be the good shepherd, and in his love for us to lay down his life and rise again: keep us always under his protection, and give us grace to follow in his steps; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

# Musical Instruments in the Bible



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## ACROSS

- 1 Lyre; a small harp
- 2 Similar to a modern day flute
- 6 Stringed instrument; a harp with angles
- 7 Similar to a modern day tambourine; also called a tabor, timbrel, tabret
- 8 Ram's horn made into a trumpet

## DOWN

- 1 Trumpet made of bronze or silver about a foot long
- 3 Sistrum; named for it's rattling sound
- 4 Percussion instrument made of bronze
- 5 Flute or pipe made of ivory, reed, or metal; two pipes together each with their own mouthpiece

## Bible Wordsearch

Fit the words in the list into the diagram below reading forward, backward, up, down, diagonally, always in a straight line.

## Women's Names & Meanings Puzzle #139

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 U A E G H I E E I M O A N E H  
 L T E D N V E S T H E R C E A  
 E E R S E I R A T T B R C H R  
 B R B S R N N O D R E C D A A  
 E E O E U G E I O T A R J R S  
 H D P C Z O M T H P U N N O Y  
 P C H N R E N Y T S T O G B Y  
 M I R I A M J I I A I F R E Y  
 E H A R O R V L M L F N A D R  
 T A H P H I L R L U U I C R O  
 S N M O T A D E L I L A H A T  
 A N D Y E A B I G A I L E G C  
 H A K E B E R N I C E P L A I  
 C H R G R A C I O U S C Y H V

ABIGAIL	JOY
ANNA	LIVING
BEAUTIFUL	LUMINOUS
BERNICE	MIRIAM
BETTER	NAOMI
CAPTIVITY	OPHRAH
CHASTE	PHEBE
DEBORAH	PLAIN
DEER	POOR
DELILAH	PRINCESS
DIANA	RACHEL
DORCAS	REBEKAH
DRUSILLA	REBELLION
ESTHER	RHODA
EVE	SARAH
FATTENED	SECRET
GRACIOUS	SHINING
HAGAR	STRANGER
HANNAH	VICTORY
JEZEBEL	WATERED

**We want your Used Stamps!** We are collecting used Stamps for Bone Cancer Research Trust. Please put any you collect in the box in the porch or hand them in at the Parish Office. Just remember to cut a border of 1cm around the stamp. 1kg of stamps can help pay towards an hour of vital lifesaving research. For more information visit the website at [bcrt.org.uk](http://bcrt.org.uk). Thank you.

**Train A Priest Fund** £2263.75 was raised from the Lent Appeal. Many thanks to all who donated.

**Meditation in the Bier House will continue on Mondays with Peter Paine** at 10.45am for 11.00am . Contact Peter on (01704) 809517 or [peterspaine@gmail.com](mailto:peterspaine@gmail.com) for full information.

**Christian Aid Envelopes** We need your help to deliver Christian Aid envelopes during the week of 12<sup>th</sup> to 19<sup>th</sup> May. There is a list of roads that need covering in the porch. Please sign by the roads you are willing to deliver. You DO NOT NEED to collect them. There will addresses on the envelopes for the completed ones to be returned to. Thank you for your help. Carol Paine

**Primetime Ladies Group** will meet on Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> May at 7.30pm in the Bier House (note change of venue for this month). We shall be planting pots so please bring trowels and gardening gloves.

### DIARY FOR THIS WEEK:

#### Monday 13<sup>th</sup>

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
10.00am	Funeral of Frank Gracie	Church
10.45am	Meditation <i>with Peter Paine</i>	Bier House
2.00pm	Singing For Fun	Bier House
7.30pm	PCC	Bier House

#### Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup>

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
10.00am	Bible Study <i>with Ken Ward</i>	Bier House



#### Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup>

11.00am	Eucharist ( <i>followed by refreshments</i> ) <i>No Fishy Club</i>	Bier House
7.30pm	Primetime – see notice	Bier House



#### Thursday 16<sup>th</sup>

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
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#### Friday 17<sup>th</sup>

9.15am	Little Fishes pre-school group	Parish Hall
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#### Saturday 18<sup>th</sup>

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
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#### Sunday 19<sup>th</sup>

	<b>5<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter</b>	
8.00am	Eucharist (BCP)	Church
10.00am	All-Age Parade Service & Baptism	Church
6.30pm	Service of Wholeness	Church

### The Archdeacon's Visitation Service Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2019 at 7.30pm

In St Nicholas' Church, Bridge Road, Blundellsands L23 6SA

The annual Visitation is a service where the Archdeacon formally commissions Churchwardens and Sidespeople for the coming year. Car sharing is advisable due to parking limitations.