



Welcome to St. Peter's Green Lane, Formby L37 7DL

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PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:

We pray for;

Leaders of our uniformed groups.

Baptisms; Mia Catherine Drinkwater being baptised today.

Weddings; George Rourke & Crystal Varey who will be married here today.

For the residents of; Smithy Close, Moss Side, Fallowfield Close, Watchyard Lane

For the sick; Ann & Kevin, Barbara, Catherine, David, Paul, Sheila, Simon, Tina, those in hospital and our parishioners who are housebound or living in Nursing Homes.

For the recently departed: Philip Poulton and those whose anniversary of death falls at this time.

Today's altar flowers are sponsored by Eleanor Gibson to commemorate her Wedding Anniversary on the 5th July.



Parish of St Peter, Formby

5th Sunday after Trinity

4th July 2021

Services for Today:

9.00am Eucharist

10.30am Parish Eucharist

This service will be live streamed

Prelude: Ireland *Sursum Corda*

Hymns sung by the Choir

652 Guide me o thou great Redeemer

422 Alleluia sing to Jesus

507 We have a gospel to proclaim

During Communion

Choir Motet: Iverson *Spirit of the Living God*

Organ: Mendelssohn *Toccata, Organ Sonata 6*

12noon Baptism Service

1.30pm Marriage Service

6.30pm Evensong in Church

This service will be live streamed

Prelude: Wesley *Largo*

Choir Introit: Wesley *Lead me, Lord*

Hymns sung by the Choir

300 Glory to you, O God

505 Tell all the world of Jesus

24 The day thou gavest

Choir Anthem: Arcadelt *O Lord my God to thee*

Psalm – Psalm 31: 1-6 page 173

Readings – Habakkuk 2:1-4

John 20:24-29

Readers – Andrew Kellaway and Sue Jacques

Organ: Bach *Toccata in C, BWV 564*

The Collect;

Almighty and everlasting God, by whose Spirit the whole body of the Church is governed and sanctified: hear our prayer which we offer for all your faithful people, that in their vocation and ministry they may serve you in holiness and truth to the glory of your name; through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

The Liturgy of the Word;

Epistle Reading; 2 Corinthians 12:2-10

Our reading today is read by;

Mike Barrett

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven - whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person - whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows - was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, "My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness." So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Gospel Reading; Mark 6:1-13

David Poole

He left that place and came to his hometown, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, "Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?" And they took offense at him. Then Jesus said to them, "Prophets are not without honor, except in their hometown, and among their own kin, and in their own house." And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, "Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them." So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

Post Communion Prayer

Grant, O Lord, we beseech you, that the course of this world may be so peaceably ordered by your governance, that your Church may joyfully serve you in all godly quietness; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

We ask that you continue to observe social distancing, use the hand sanitiser, wear a face mask and avoid 'mingling'. We will stagger the congregation leaving church to avoid the bottle neck of the porch being an issue. Please take this Bulletin home and return the service booklet to the box provided at the door. Thank you.

The Parish Office remains open but please phone, email or use the post box rather than call in person if possible. Tel: 01704 871171 office@stpetersformby.co.uk

Please save any **used stamps** for the Bone Cancer Research Trust box in the porch, remembering to leave a 1cm border. Many thanks for all your support.

The next Churches Together in Formby Altcar & Hightown meeting will be the AGM on Wednesday 7th July at 7.30pm on Zoom. All Welcome

Here are the joining details: Join Zoom Meeting

<https://zoom.us/j/92344188519?pwd=ZXRYb0dodlYvS3M4NWduRGtBWEtVWQT09>

Meeting ID: 923 4418 8519 Passcode: 968374

Grace and peace, Geraldine Foster, Chairperson

VOLUNTEER



Thank you to those who have come forward to help with Baptisms, we now have a Baptism Team.

FOODBANK The Church Porch is open everyday from 10am to 5pm for donations. The items needed are: **Ladies & Gents razors, Ladies & Gents deodorant Coffee, Hot Chocolate, Mug Shots, Marmite, salt, pepper & vinegar, Sweets, Apple juice.** Thank you for your support.

CHILDREN'S SERVICES

Sunday Club by Zoom 4th July at 10am.

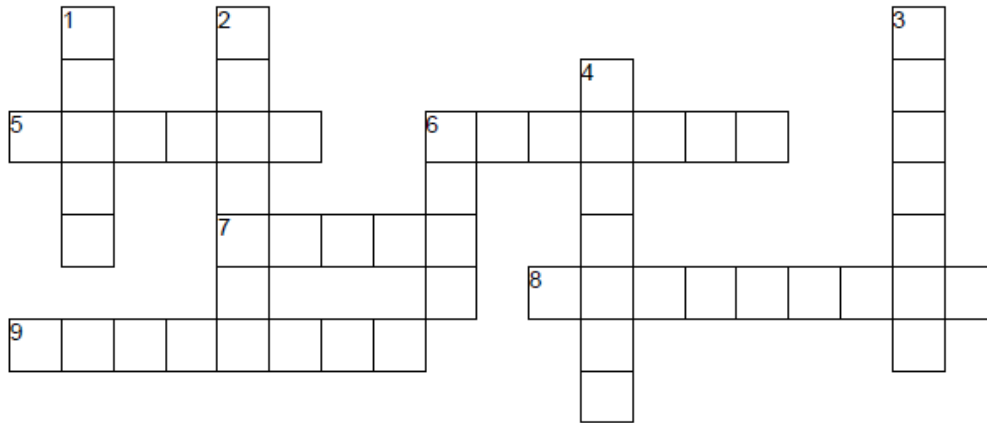
Children's Service and Picnic Sunday 11th July at 4.30pm.

Teddy bears are welcome too.



Crossword Puzzle

Mark 6:1-6



HORIZONTAL

5. The ability to judge what is true or right
6. An event that can only be done through the power of God
7. To treat with great respect
8. A person whose job is making and repairing things made from wood
9. The town or city where a person was born or grew up

VERTICAL

1. To have great trust or belief in something or someone
2. One who is a spokesman for God to man
3. A man or boy with the same parents as another person
4. The seventh day of the week, the day of rest and worship for the Jews
6. The mother of Jesus

HOMETOWN

MIRACLE

CARPENTER

SABBATH

HONOR

MARY

FAITH

WISDOM

PROPHET

BROTHER

