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**PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:**

**We pray for;**

The churches of Maghull & Melling and All Saints with St Frideswyde during interregnum

**Banns;** Elliot Ketteringham & Lauren Towle

**Wedding;** Phillip Porter & Amy MacDonald.

**For the residents of;** Wicks Crescent, Wicks Green, Wicks Green Close, Harington Green

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

**For the recently departed;** and those whose anniversary of death falls at this time. remembering especially Jeremy Smith, Rusty Jackman and Ann Belford.

Today's altar flowers are sponsored by John Smith in memory of his younger brother Jeremy Smith 1947-1992.

Flowers also sponsored by Alison Belford in loving memory of her mother Rusty Jackman and her mother in law Ann Belford



**Parish of St Peter, Formby**  
**St Michael & All Angels**

**18<sup>th</sup> Sunday after Trinity**

**3<sup>rd</sup> October 2021**

**Services for Today:**

**8.30am Eucharist (BCP)**

**10.00am Parish Eucharist & Sunday Club**

*This service will be live streamed*

**Prelude** Vivaldi/Bach *Concerto in A minor / i*  
**Gathering**  
**362** Come, let us join our cheerful songs  
**Gradual**  
**322** Around throne of God  
**Offertory**  
**826** Ye holy angels bright  
**During Communion**  
**Motet:** Gjeilo *Ubi caritas*  
**Post Communion**  
**589** Angel-voices ever singing  
**Organ** Bruhns *Prelude & Fugue in E minor*

**12 noon Wedding – Phillip & Amy**

**6.30pm Choral Evensong**

**Prelude** Howells *Master Tallis' Testament*  
**Introit:** Rutter *A Prayer of St Patrick*  
**Hymns:**  
**15** Glory to thee, my God, this night  
**324** Jesus calls us o'er the tumult  
**476** Forth in thy name, O Lord, I go

**Choir Anthem:** Howells *My eyes for beauty pine*

**Psalm – Psalm 125 & 126, page 293**

**Readings** Joshua 3:7-17 / Matthew 10:1-22

**Readers** – Sue Jacques and Matt Parkes

**Organ** Telemann *Allein Gott in der Höh sei Ehr*

**The Collect;**

Everlasting God, you have ordained and constituted the ministries of angels and mortals in a wonderful order: grant that as your holy angels always serve you in heaven, so, at your command, they may help and defend us on earth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, 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; Revelation 12:7-12**

*Our reading today is read by;*

**Tricia Barrett**

And war broke out in heaven; Michael and his angels fought against the dragon. The dragon and his angels fought back, but they were defeated, and there was no longer any place for them in heaven. The great dragon was thrown down, that ancient serpent, who is called the Devil and Satan, the deceiver of the whole world—he was thrown down to the earth, and his angels were thrown down with him. Then I heard a loud voice in heaven, proclaiming, Now have come the salvation and the power and the kingdom of our God and the authority of his Messiah, for the accuser of our comrades has been thrown down, who accuses them day and night before our God. But they have conquered him by the blood of the Lamb and by the word of their testimony, for they did not cling to life even in the face of death. Rejoice then, you heavens and those who dwell in them! But woe to the earth and the sea, for the devil has come down to you with great wrath, because he knows that his time is short!’

**Gospel Reading; John 1:47-51**

**Keith Millington**

When Jesus saw Nathanael coming towards him, he said of him, ‘Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!’ Nathanael asked him, ‘Where did you come to know me?’ Jesus answered, ‘I saw you under the fig tree before Philip called you.’ Nathanael replied, ‘Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!’ Jesus answered, ‘Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these.’ And he said to him, ‘Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man.’

**Intercessions**

**Matt Parkes**

**Post Communion Prayer**

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. **Amen.**



## DIARY FOR THIS WEEK:

### Monday 4<sup>th</sup>

10.00am	Churchyard Clean Up Group (see notice)	Churchyard
8.00pm	Time Out – men, beer and topical issues	Bier House

### Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup>

10.00am	Bible Study Group – Ken Ward	Bier House
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### Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup>

11.00am	Eucharist with Mothers' Union Prayers followed by refreshments)	Church/Bier House
7.30pm	Ask the Curate (a new group)	Bier House

### Thursday 7<sup>th</sup>

2.00pm	Mothers' Union Service in church	Church / Bier House
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### Friday 8<sup>th</sup>

9.30am-11.30am	Little Fishes Baby and Toddler Group	Church Hall
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### Sunday 10<sup>th</sup>

8.30am	Eucharist (CW)	Church
10.00am	Parish Eucharist	Church
1.30pm	Wedding – Elliott Taylor & Amy Ralston	Church
6.30pm	Choral Evensong	Church



## St Peter's Church – Plan to Removing Restrictions – NEXT STEP

We are asking that you continue to wear **face masks** at the 10am Sunday service. This service has the highest number of people attending and a mix of age groups. We wear masks for the peace of mind of others and we do not want anyone to be discouraged from attending. It is possible to socially distance at the 8.30am Eucharist and at Evensong so masks are optional and this includes the Wednesday Eucharist. It has been wonderful to see so many coming back to our services and we want to make this as easy as possible for everyone. We ask that you continue use the **hand sanitiser** while attending services.

*The Clergy, Churchwardens & PCC*



### Children in Church

We love to have children in church but

we don't want them to be bored. There are boxes with books, toys etc for the children. Please do help yourself or ask the welcome team for help. Also the Bier House (beside the church gate) is open during services in case anyone needs a toilet break please do not worry about coming in and out. The service is also relayed onto a screen in the Bier House.

**Timeout returns!** – an opportunity to share ideas and a pint in the Bier House also known as Ted's Bar! Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October at 8.00pm. Matt Parkes will share his journey in training to be a Reader and what this means. All welcome.



### AMADEUS CONCERT

**Mozart Mass in C Minor and  
John Rutter's Feel the Spirit**

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October 7.30pm in Church. The Amadeus Choir will be performing a concert in Church to raise funds for the Church's Uganda Project.

Please come and support this and help to raise money for a good cause.

**Please take a free copy of our October Parish Magazine**

## Calling All Gardeners – or those who can brush!

We are asking anyone who would like to help keep the churchyard tidy to meet on the **first Monday morning of the month at 10am** (weather permitting). This is to tidy borders, brush paths, collect leaves and generally help keep the churchyard tidy. Please bring your own rakes, brushes etc and gloves. There will be refreshments. Come along on Monday 4<sup>th</sup> October between 10am and 12noon. All welcome.

## Ask the Curate!

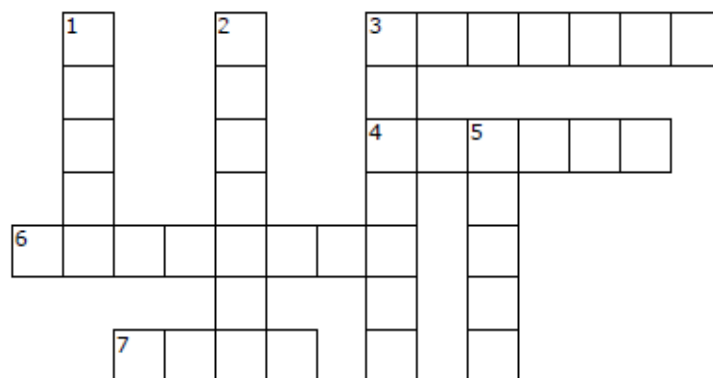
Whether you are new to church or have been coming to St Peter's since you were child you may have questions. Maybe there is something that you have always wondered but have never had the opportunity to ask. Well, now you have the chance to ask any church related questions you have and I will do my very best to answer. Starting on **Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> October at 7.30pm** in the Bier House for a friendly chat over coffee. The first meeting will be a general session on any church related topic, and an opportunity to ask questions which can be looked into at later sessions. Future sessions are planned around specific subjects such as: Services and worship, The Bible, What is the Church of England?

A very short service of Compline will end each session. Please do come along and remember - there is no such thing as a stupid question! *Simon*

**FOODBANK** The Church Porch is open everyday from **10am to 5pm** for donations. The items needed are: Coffee, Jam, UHT Milk, Crackers & Savoury Snacks, Timed Milk and Tinned fruit. Thank you for your support.

## Crossword Puzzle

Mark 10:13-16



### ACROSS

3. Bringing happiness, pleasure, or contentment to someone
4. Small in size
6. Sons and daughters, young people
7. The parts of the body which connect the hands to the shoulders

### DOWN

1. A statement accepted as fact
2. A country or territory ruled by a king or queen
3. To be a member of a group, such as a club or organization
5. To come in contact with or to feel with your fingers

LITTLE	TOUCH	KINGDOM	BLESSED
CHILDREN	TRUTH	BELONGS	ARMS