

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

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PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:

We pray for;

Flood victims in Pakistan

Our Churchwardens, Sarah & Gill

The new school year

Baptisms; Evelyn Margaret Stephenson and

Oliver Leo Starr-Roberts

For the residents of; Moss Side, Fallowfield

Close and Watchyard Lane

For the sick; Irene, Oonagh, Simon, Trevor and those in hospital and our parishioners who are housebound or living in Care Homes

For the recently departed; Mike Barrett, Marie Crocker, Mary Foote, Jim Banks and those whose anniversary of death falls at this

time

Parish of St Peter, Formby The 12th Sunday after Trinity

4th September 2022

Services for Today:

8.30am Eucharist (BCP)

10.00am Parish Eucharist

This service will be live streamed **Prelude**: Howells: Psalm Prelude Set 1, no 1

Gathering

796 The Lord is King! Lift up thy voice

Gradual

135 Take up thy cross

Offertory

748 omit v2 O Jesus I have promised

Motets: Stanford: O for a closer walk with God

Dudley Smith: I lift my eyes

Post Communion

475 Forth in the peace of Christ we go

Organ: Stanford: Postlude in D minor

12noon Service of Baptism for

Evelyn Margaret Stephenson Oliver Leo Starr-Roberts

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Prelude: Stanford: Prelude on Song 34 **Introit:** Tye: O come, ye servants of the Lord

Hymns:

584 All my hope on God in founded

Lord, I have made thy word my choice

702 Lead us heavenly Father lead us

Psalm 120 & 121 - pages 290-291

Choir Anthem: Dudley Smith: I lift my eyes **Readings:** Isaiah 43: 14-21 / John 5: 30-47 **Readers:** Andrew Kellaway and Gill Holroyd

Organ; Stanford: Prelude on Song 22

The September Parish magazine is available – please take a free copy Children's Puzzle Sheets and activity bags are also available.

The Collect;

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us: remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Epistle Reading; Jeremiah 18: 1-11

Our reading today is read by;

Sue Gillam

The word that came to Jeremiah from the Lord: 'Come, go down to the potter's house, and there I will let you hear my words.' So I went down to the potter's house, and there he was working at his wheel. The vessel he was making of clay was spoiled in the potter's hand, and he reworked it into another vessel, as seemed good to him. Then the word of the Lord came to me: Can I not do with you, O house of Israel, just as this potter has done? says the Lord. Just like the clay in the potter's hand, so are you in my hand, O house of Israel. At one moment I may declare concerning a nation or a kingdom, that I will pluck up and break down and destroy it, but if that nation, concerning which I have spoken, turns from its evil, I will change my mind about the disaster that I intended to bring on it. And at another moment I may declare concerning a nation or a kingdom that I will build and plant it, but if it does evil in my sight, not listening to my voice, then I will change my mind about the good that I had intended to do to it. Now, therefore, say to the people of Judah and the inhabitants of Jerusalem: Thus says the Lord: Look, I am a potter shaping evil against you and devising a plan against you. Turn now, all of you from your evil way, and amend your ways and your doings.

Gospel Reading; Luke 14: 25-33

David Poole

Large crowds were travelling with Jesus; and he turned and said to them, 'Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, saying, "This fellow began to build and was not able to finish." Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? If he cannot, then, while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace. So therefore, none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions.

Intercessions; Peter Shaw

Post Communion Prayer

God of all mercy, in this eucharist you have set aside our sins and given us your healing: grant that we who are made whole in Christ may bring that healing to this broken world, in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

We have a contactless payment machine for donations situated near the door of the church.

Please use a Yellow Envelope - if placing cash on the plate if a yellow envelope is used then we can claim Gift Aid.



Pakistan Disaster Relief Fund – we have sent £500 from the St Peter's Horizon Charity Fund to aid relief in Pakistan. If you would like to send further donations and can add Gift Aid please go to - www.dec.org.uk/appeal/pakistan-floods-appeal

FOODBANK ITEMS THAT ARE URGENTLY NEEDED

Urgently needed items- Tinned tomatoes, Tinned potatoes / peas / carrots, Tinned fruit, Tinned fish, Mayonnaise and tomato sauce, Savoury crackers, UHT milk, Cordial / long-life juice Plastic shopping bags are needed. The Foodbank has plenty of Soup and Beans. The church porch is open everyday from 10am to 5pm for your donations. Many thanks.

DIARY FOR THIS WEEK

Monday 5th

9.00am **Morning Prayer** Bier House Funeral of Mary Foote Southport Crem 2.00pm

7.15pm Timeout – visit to Southport Lifeboat

Tuesday 6th

9.00am Morning Prayer Bier House Bier House 10.00am Bible Study with Ken Ward Woodlands Care Home Eucharist Woodlands CH 11.00am

Wednesday 7th **Refugee Welcome Day**

11.00am Eucharist with Mothers' Union prayer followed by refreshments Church

Thursday 8th

9.00am **Morning Prayer** Church

Friday 9th

9.30am Parish Hall Little Fishes starts again Bier House 2.00pm Bible Study with Peter Paine

Saturday 10th

9.00am Church Morning Prayer

The 14th Sunday after Trinity Sunday IIth

Eucharist (CW) 8.30am

Parish Eucharist followed by refreshments 10.00am

12noon Pet Service

Service of Wholeness 6.30pm



Church Church Church Church

Soft Toy Appeal by the Saturday Crew

We urgently need new or pre-loved soft toys for our Christmas shoeboxes. They need to be smal enough to fit in a shoe box. Please leave in the silver box in the church porch. Many thanks for your continued support. Anne Scarrott

Vergers needed

Would you like to be a verger helping at Baptisms, Funerals and Weddings? We do have a small team already, but we do need additional people. If you would like to join the team of Vergers then please contact Caroline in the Parish Office on 871171 or speak to the Clergy



Pet Service

Sunday 11th September at 12noon

A service for all the family!

All pets GREAT and small are very welcome whether

four-footed, two-footed or no-footed!

Collection for Little Legs Rehoming





HARVEST CARDS TO DELIVER - VOLUNTEERS NEEDED

Are you free to deliver Harvest Cards to the houses in our parish? Please let the Caroline in the our Parish Office know - office@stpetersformby.co.uk 01704 871171

The Cost of Discipleship

And anyone who does not carry his cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. Luke 14:27 (NIV)

The puzzle is based on Luke 14:25-33 (NIV).



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