



Welcome to St. Peter's
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PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:

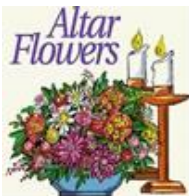
We pray for; .

Those preparing for Confirmation
Refugee Welcome Day

For the residents of; Wicks Green, Wicks
Crescent and Wicks Green Close

For the sick; Alastair, Betty, Ethel, Irene, Kate,
Louise, Pat, Simon, Trevor and those in hospital
and our parishioners who are housebound or
living in Care Homes.

For the recently departed; Tom Harrison, Ian
Edmondson, Jim Drewe, Hollick Matthews,
Christine Calcutt and those whose anniversary
of death falls at this time.



This Sunday's altar flowers are in
thanksgiving of Rev Ted Woods' 56
years of ordained ministry. Ordained
Deacon on St Barnabas' Day 1967 in
St Patrick's Cathedral, Armagh.

Parish of St Peter, Formby

Barnabas the Apostle

11th June 2023

Service for Today:

8.30am Eucharist (CW)

10.00am Parish Eucharist

This service will be live streamed

Prelude: Mendelssohn *Sonata 4, Allegretto*
Gathering

296 omit vs 5&6 For all the saints who from their
labours rest

Gradual

Printed in the bulletin - For all your saints in glory

Offertory

304 Let saints on earth in concert sing

Motets: Nixon *Blest are you, O God, Creator*
Gjeilo Ubi caritas

Post Communion:

308 Rejoice in God's saints, today and all days!

Organ: Mendelssohn *Sonata 4, Allegro maestoso*

12.45pm Service of Interment - Stewart Burns

6.30pm Choral Evensong

This service will be live streamed

Prelude: Mendelssohn *Sonata 3, Andante*
Tranquillo

Introit: *Tye Hail, glorious spirits, heirs of light*

Hymns:

827 Ye servants of God, your Master proclaim

300 Glory to you, O God

780 Soldiers of Christ, arise

Anthem *Gjeilo Ubi caritas*

Psalm 1 & 15 pages 144 & 155

Readings: Isaiah 42:5-12 / Acts 14:8-28

Readers: Herbert Blundell and Les Hannah

Voluntary: Mendelssohn *Sonata 3, Con moto*
maestoso

Please ask for a children's puzzle sheet or help yourself to children's books and toys.

Please take this bulletin home for your diary and prayer.

Please take a free copy of the June Parish Magazine.

The Collect

O God, the strength of all those who put their trust in you, mercifully accept our prayers and, because through the weakness of our mortal nature we can do no good thing without you, grant us the help of your grace, that in the keeping of your commandments we may please you both in will and deed; 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; Acts 11:19-30

Our reading today is read by;

Elaine Almond

Now those who were scattered because of the persecution that took place over Stephen travelled as far as Phoenicia, Cyprus, and Antioch, and they spoke the word to no one except Jews. But among them were some men of Cyprus and Cyrene who, on coming to Antioch, spoke to the Hellenists also, proclaiming the Lord Jesus. The hand of the Lord was with them, and a great number became believers and turned to the Lord. News of this came to the ears of the church in Jerusalem, and they sent Barnabas to Antioch. When he came and saw the grace of God, he rejoiced, and he exhorted them all to remain faithful to the Lord with steadfast devotion; for he was a good man, full of the Holy Spirit and of faith. And a great many people were brought to the Lord. Then Barnabas went to Tarsus to look for Saul, and when he had found him, he brought him to Antioch. So it was that for an entire year they associated with the church and taught a great many people, and it was in Antioch that the disciples were first called 'Christians'.

At that time prophets came down from Jerusalem to Antioch. One of them named Agabus stood up and predicted by the Spirit that there would be a severe famine over all the world; and this took place during the reign of Claudius. The disciples determined that according to their ability, each would send relief to the believers living in Judea; this they did, sending it to the elders by Barnabas and Saul.

Gospel Reading;

John 15:12-17

Tricia Shaw

Jesus said to his disciples: 'This is my commandment, that you love one another as I have loved you. No one has greater love than this, to lay down one's life for one's friends. You are my friends if you do what I command you. I do not call you servants any longer, because the servant does not know what the master is doing; but I have called you friends, because I have made known to you everything that I have heard from my Father. You did not choose me but I chose you. And I appointed you to go and bear fruit, fruit that will last, so that the Father will give you whatever you ask him in my name. I am giving you these commands so that you may love one another.

Intercessions

Paul McHenry

Gradual Hymn

Tune: Cruger

For all your saints in glory, for all your saints at rest,
to you, our Lord and Saviour, all praises be addressed;
apostles, martyrs, prophets, who served you in their day,
have left us their example of following your way.

The 'Son of Consolation' was Barnabas by fame,
his loving care and mercy brought honour to your name.
Grant us his sense of caring, and help us all to give
encouragement to neighbours that they may fully live.

All praise to God the Father, all praise to God the Son,
and God the Holy Spirit, eternal Three in One;
till all the ransomed number fall down before the throne,
and honour, power, and glory ascribe to God alone.

Post Communion Prayer

Eternal Father, we thank you for nourishing us with these heavenly gifts: may our communion strengthen us in faith, build us up in hope, and make us grow in love; for the sake of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Christian Aid Envelopes Thank you to everyone who donated to Christian Aid. We collected a total of £378.00. Irvine Rawcliffe

THE FOODBANK – an update on items needed

The items needed are: cereal, biscuits, tinned hot meat, tinned Cold meat, mayonnaise, savoury crackers, sweets and confectionary, pasta sauce, shampoo and conditioner, deodorant (male/female), washing up liquid.

The Church Porch is open 10am to 5pm each day. Many thanks for your help.

Donations via Card Machine, Yellow Envelopes, QR or on the Plate

For card payments, a contactless card-reader is situated near the main door. For cash donations, there is a plate near the main door.

If you are a taxpayer, please use a yellow envelope and complete the Gift Aid declaration. (This increases the value of your donation by 25%). Or you may want to use the QR code to make a donation. Thank you for your gifts.



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If you would like our magazine delivered, or have recently moved to the parish, changed your address, would like added to the email list or would like a parish visit, will you please hand this slip to the Vicar or churchwardens. Thank You.

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DIARY FOR THIS WEEK


Monday 12th

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
7.30pm	Time Out Meeting - Men, Beer & Topics <i>Speaker - From Golf Pro to Vicar – Revd Gordon MacLeod</i>	Bier House

Tuesday 13th

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
10.00am	Bible Study with Ken Ward	Bier House


Wednesday 14th

9.30am	Refugee Welcome Day	
11.00am	Eucharist <i>followed by refreshments.</i>	
6.30pm	Confirmation Class	Bier House
7.30pm	Archdeacon's Visitation Service	Holy Trinity Church

Thursday 15th

10.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
2.00pm	Singing's Good for the Brain	Church Hall

Friday 16th

9.30am	Little Fishes pre-school group	
12.30pm	Wedding of Andrew Hardaker & Kate Quinn	

Saturday 17th

9.00am	Morning Prayer	Bier House
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Sunday 18th 2nd Sunday after Trinity – Revd Gordon MacLeod's Farewell

8.30am	Eucharist (BCP)	Church
10.00am	Parish Eucharist & Sunday Club <i>followed by refreshments.</i>	Church
4.00pm	Deanery Confirmation Service & Eucharist <i>No Choral Evensong this evening</i>	Church

Paul and Barnabas in Antioch

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Preach	God	Salvation
Gentiles	Barnabas	Paul
David	King	Wilderness
Sabbath	Synagogue	Antioch