



Welcome to St. Peter's

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PRAYERS FOR THE WEEK:

We pray for:

The Bible Society & BRF Ministries
Our Bible Study Groups & Faith Committee

For the residents of: Wrigleys Lane, Wrigleys Close and Canterbury Close.

For the sick: Andrew, Becky, Enid, Fred, Harvie, Ian, Jack, Kate, Lyra, Mabel, Margaret, Maureen, Mervyn, Ray, Robert, Sarah, and those in hospital and our parishioners who are housebound or living in Care Homes.

For the recently departed: Judy Holroyd, Helen Duerden, Keith Hunter, Ron Gore and those whose anniversary of death falls at this time, especially remembering Richard and Enid Lund, Oonagh Killen and Edna Bean.

Parish of St Peter, Formby

The 21st Sunday After Trinity

Bible Sunday

25th October 2026

Services for Today:

8.30am Eucharist (CW)

10am Parish Eucharist

This service will be live streamed

Gathering

387 Rise and hear! The Lord is speaking

Gradual

389 Spirit of God, unseen as the wind

Offertory

671 I will sing the wondrous story

Motet Hummel *Incline thine ear*

Post Communion

507 We have a gospel to proclaim

6.30pm Choral Evensong

This service will be live streamed

Hymn

391 The prophets spoke in days of old

383 Lord, thy word abideth

546 O Lord my God, when I in awesome wonder

Psalm: 119:89-104 p285

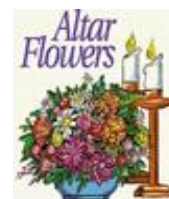
Readings: Isaiah 55:1-11 / John 5:36b-47

Readers: Andrew Kellaway and Irene Kershaw

Please ask for a children's puzzle sheet or help yourself to children's books & toys. The Bier House is open if anyone needs a break & there is a fun box to use.



This Sunday's altar flowers have been sponsored by Anne Scarrott in loving memory of her parents Richard & Enid Lund and her sister Oonagh Killen.



This Sunday's altar flowers have been sponsored by Jane and Ray Jones in loving memory of Edna Bean.

The October Magazine is available.
Gluten free wafers are available. please ask the Vicar

The Collect;

Blessed Lord, who caused all holy Scriptures to be written for our learning: help us so to hear them, to read, mark, learn and inwardly digest them that, through patience, and the comfort of your holy word, we may embrace and for ever hold fast the hope of everlasting life, which you have given us in our Saviour Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen**

Epistle Reading; Colossians 3:12-17 read by Peter Shaw

As God's chosen ones, holy and beloved, clothe yourselves with compassion, kindness, humility, meekness, and patience. Bear with one another and, if anyone has a complaint against another, forgive each other; just as the Lord has forgiven you, so you also must forgive. Above all, clothe yourselves with love, which binds everything together in perfect harmony. And let the peace of Christ rule in your hearts, to which indeed you were called in the one body. And be thankful. Let the word of Christ dwell in you richly; teach and admonish one another in all wisdom; and with gratitude in your hearts sing psalms, hymns, and spiritual songs to God. And whatever you do, in word or deed, do everything in the name of the Lord Jesus, giving thanks to God the Father through him.

Gospel Reading; Luke 4:14-21 Keith Millington

All: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Choir: The word of the Lord endures for ever:
 the words of the Lord is good news announced to you.

All: Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia, Alleluia.

Then Jesus, filled with the power of the Spirit, returned to Galilee, and a report about him spread through all the surrounding country. He began to teach in their synagogues and was praised by everyone.

When Jesus came to Nazareth, where he had been brought up, he went to the synagogue on the sabbath day, as was his custom. He stood up to read, and the scroll of the prophet Isaiah was given to him. He unrolled the scroll and found the place where it was written:

'The Spirit of the Lord is upon me, because he has anointed me to bring good news to the poor. He has sent me to proclaim release to the captives and recovery of sight to the blind, to let the oppressed go free, to proclaim the year of the Lord's favour.'
And he rolled up the scroll, gave it back to the attendant, and sat down. The eyes of all in the synagogue were fixed on him. Then he began to say to them, 'Today this scripture has been fulfilled in your hearing.'

Intercessions

Steve Edwards

Post Communion Prayer

God of all grace, your Son Jesus Christ fed the hungry with the bread of his life and the word of his kingdom: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your true and living bread; who is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen.**

POPPY APPEAL Formby Royal British Legion is in need of help this year. Contact Ken Ward 871927



YOU ARE NEW TO THE PARISH WE WARMLY WELCOME YOU.

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

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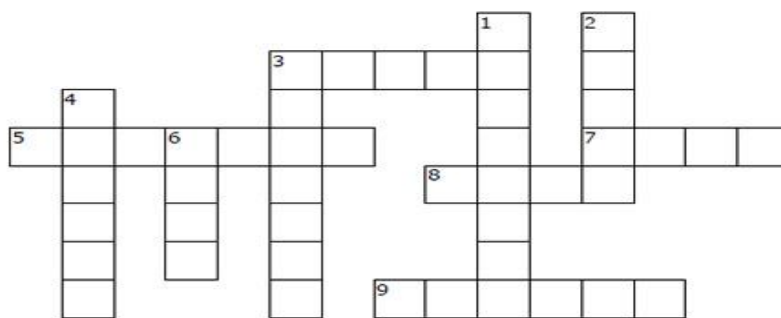


Saturday Crew will be running a Pop Up Stall in the Bier House today after Church to raise funds for the Christmas Shoe Box Appeal.

God's Promises Fulfilled

"The Spirit of the Lord is on me, because he has anointed me to preach good news to the poor."
Luke 4:18a (NIV)

Based on Luke 4:14-21



ACROSS

3. Something you do to help someone
5. A person who speaks for God
7. Information about recent events or happenings; previously unknown information
8. The opposite of bad
9. A long roll of paper with writing on it

DOWN

1. A person who is kept in jail
2. Unable to see
3. To be allowed to do whatever you want to do
4. To deliver a sermon
6. Having little or no wealth and few or no possessions

PRISONER
BLIND

FAVOR
FREEDOM

GOOD
NEWS

PROPHET
PREACH

POOR
SCROLL

DIARY FOR THIS WEEK

Monday 26th October

9.00am Morning Prayer
7.30pm Study Series 'Faith in a Nutshell'

Tuesday 27th

9.00am Morning Prayer
No Junior Choir – half-term

Wednesday 28th

11.00am Eucharist *followed by refreshments*

Thursday 29th

9.00am Morning Prayer

Friday 30th

9.00am Morning Prayer & on live stream
No Little Fishes – half-term

Saturday 31st

9.00am Morning Prayer

Sunday 1st November All Saints' Day

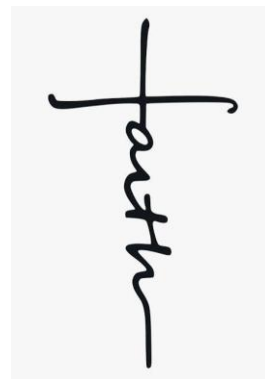
8.30am Eucharist (BCP)
10.00am Parish Eucharist *followed by refreshments*
12noon Baptism Service – Oakley Hatch
6.30pm Gabriel Fauré Requiem Mass

Friday 6th November

12noon Funeral of Helen Duerden

Monday 9th November

11.00am Service of Thanksgiving for the Life of Judy Holroyd



Bier House
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Song Room

Church

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FOODBANK ITEMS needed are:- Savoury crackers, Pasta sauce, Tinned meat e.g. corned beef, ham, Tinned fruit, Tinned potatoes, Instant noodles, Tomato sauce, Mayo, Longlife juice and cordial, UHT milk and 'Free from' items.

The Church Porch is open 10am to 4pm each day. Many thanks for your help.

UNPACKING THE BASICS

This year's Autumn Study series has, we hope, something of interest for most people. We've entitled it **UNPACKING THE BASICS** and the remaining sessions are what is baptism all about, what do we mean when we say the Creed and God's multi-faceted plan for our lives. Each session will be held in the Bier House at 7.30pm. While each evening is a stand-alone session, you are invited to come along to all of them!

Monday 26th Oct: **Faith in a Nutshell** – Toni Ashcroft

Monday 2nd Nov: **Grabbed by the Collar** – Jane Morgan



The Scout Group are looking for volunteers to help run their Bonfire and Firework fundraiser on Saturday 7th November.

If you can help please speak to one of the Leaders or email Angela Hughes (Group Lead Volunteer) angelah038@aol.com

Help is particularly required for Marshalling and serving in the food tent between 5.30pm and 8.30pm. All help greatly appreciated.