



St Peter's Birkdale

St Peter's Road, Birkdale PR8 4BY

3rd Aug 2025

7th after Trinity

11.15am Communion

Bible Reading: Colossians 3:1-11 & Luke 12:13-21

HYMNS AND SONGS

Please remember that the words on the screen are not always exactly the same as in Mission Praise

MP 329	In Christ there is no east or west
MP 50	Be still for the presence of the Lord
MP 1261	Brother, sister, let me serve you
MP 631	Tell out my soul

Church diary for the week ahead & Church events

Mon 4 Aug	10.30am	Bible Study, in lounge
Tues 5	10.00am	Foodbank in Parish Centre
Wed 6	10.00am	Short Communion in Side Chapel
Thurs 7	10.00am	No Footprints
Sun 10	11.15am	Communion

Praying for those who are ill or in other need

Margery Wilcock, June Parry, Dot Burrows, Pam Abraham, Gordon Macleod, Maggie & Roy Jenkins, Margaret and Brian Edmunds, Olga Wilson, Barbara & Dennis Whalley, Brenda Baker, Steven Searle, Beryl Reedman, Stuart Clarke, Lucy Rootes. Please contact the office after 1 month to confirm the need for a person to remain on the list

This week we pray for the people living in
Vaughan Road & Viking Close

Isaiah 40:31



but they that wait upon the Lord shall renew their strength. They shall mount up with wings like eagles. They shall run, and not be weary. They shall walk, and not be faint.

Baby change and toilet facilities are available in the church hall, through the door at the back of the church



COFFEE MORNING - Last Friday of every month, 10.30am - 12noon in the Parish Centre. Come and join us this month on **FRIDAY THE 29TH AUGUST**.



Currently, the majority of our guests are males. Please can you donate men's toiletries, not anything that comes in an aerosol. Thank you for your ongoing support. God bless, Robin.



Rev Sam will be off for an unknown while. The family all really appreciate your ongoing prayers and gestures of kindness.

PCC

Your PCC met Monday 7th and a summary of the discussions will be on the notice board shortly. Please see one of us if you have thoughts or concerns. Thank you and God bless, Robin.

Cards - now located nearer to the main Church door. These hand-made cards, for every occasion (with a blank inner for your personalised message) are available at only £1 each.



All Proceeds go to St Peter's. An attractive new batch of birthday cards for younger children are now available. Lesley S.



Please prayerfully consider if you can donate to the purchase of Light and Pipes. A jar is at the back of Church. Thank you.

Upcoming Events:

Upcoming events: Fun Day 31st Aug, Barn Dance 27th Sept & Alistair Lee 13th Dec



Fit for Mission: The Liverpool Diocese is proposing that all the 15 Churches in the North Meols Deanery become One Large Parish. St Peter's is one of the 15. The PCC is currently considering the advantages and disadvantages of joining. You can read all about it by typing in Diocese of Liverpool on your browser on the phone or computer, then search for Fit for Mission. There will be a summary sheet in Church in the next couple of weeks ...and a question and answer time after the Sunday Service on August 17th. Please get as much information as you can about this ...it's important! Robin and Pam. Phone with any questions in the meantime: 07985 203 226. Pam

MINI BREAK at St James -TUESDAY 5TH AUGUST

The following activities are suitable for all adults and teenagers who should be accompanied by a responsible adult. Morning: VIKING GOLF, a ride on the miniature railway, and a trip on Southport's Big Wheel - all for the incredible price of £10. Alternatively, morning coffee, craft and music in the church hall for no charge.



Afternoon: Both groups will then join together for lunch and games - both indoors and outdoors. There is no charge for the afternoon activities but there will be a bowl for donations. There is a limit for lunch and early signing up is recommended. Money for tickets for the morning golf, railway and big wheel experience will be collected in July, please pay Di Harrison or Allan Salisbury.



FAMILY FUN DAY 31st AUGUST 1.30-4pm.

Can you help on the day? Can you bake a cake? If you can help, please see Ailsa or Marg.

PRAYER AND PASTORAL TEAM

We have many people in our fellowship who live alone. We are offering to keep names, phone numbers and emergency contact numbers to enable us to contact anyone we are concerned about. This is completely voluntary and you need only take part if you think it will be helpful. Also, we will be setting up a pastoral visiting team. If you would like to be part of this, or if you know anyone who would benefit from a visit, please let us know. For more detailed information please talk to David or Lesley Shambrook, Sue Hiley or Ailsa Haigh



We've had a letter from the local Christian Aid Committee informing us that this Christian Aid week we raised **£479**. This was from the residents of Alma Road - and the coffee morning held at 34 Alma Road on May 17th. Thanks to all those who supported us. This is a magnificent total for such a worthy cause. Eddie and Ruth Loxham

On the occasion of their Ruby Wedding on the 14th of September June and Bill Blackwell will be renewing their marriage vows. This will take place during morning service. Refreshments will follow after. All are welcome to join June and Bill.

Giving to St Peter's - Thank you, everyone who continues to support us.
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~~Tuesday~~ & Friday 9.30 -12.30

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