

Sunday 14th June 2026

The Second Sunday after Trinity

'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few'

Welcome to everyone in church today and to those joining us online for our services. Please join us for refreshments after the service in the Church Hall. Please place your offering in the plate at the back of church before the service begins or use the QR code on each pew or use the card machine.

Hymns	St Thomas	St James
Processional	532	486
Before the Gospel	137	408
Offertory	235	334
During Communion	167	SHEET
	27	Amazing Grace
		461
Final	518	485

The Week Ahead & Information

- Mon-Fri** 9am Morning Prayer *on St Thomas' Facebook*
10.30am Funeral of Cynthia Moore *at St Thomas'*
- Tuesday** 9.30am Thomas Tots *at St Thomas' Hall*
10am Eucharist *at St James*
12-2pm Eat and Meet *in St James' Hall*
- Wednesday** 1.30 Hazel's Social Group *in the Refectory*
- Thursday** 10am Eucharist *at St Thomas'*
11-1pm Refectory Café open.

Next Sunday – 21st June: Third Sunday after Trinity

- 9:15 All Age Parish Eucharist *at St Thomas'*
10:45 All Age Parish Eucharist *at St James*

Thank You!

To all our wonderful lay volunteers for all they contribute to our churches. A lot of what they do is unseen and unheralded but is absolutely vital. A special mention to our Churchwardens Helen, Gary, Miriam, Bryn and Kaye following their admission to their office for the year ahead. Please support and pray for them during this coming year. Without them the churches would not run. There remains a vacancy at St Thomas' for a churchwarden so please do speak to Fr Simon or Helen if you might be interested in filling this important role.

Thank you also to all those who contributed to yesterday's wonderful "Count on Nature" event.

Diocesan Renewal Programme

A reminder to keep the programme, and the participation of both parishes, in your prayers. Please pray the LyCiG prayer for growth as often as you can! Thank you to those who have returned their survey forms. Any other forms still out there will be gratefully received.

Email Scam – be careful!

The email account of Wendy Papworth has recently been hijacked. A number of emails were sent out, supposedly in her name, asking for money. Please do not respond to these e-mails. They are not from Wendy!

In general, any email asking for money should be treated with suspicion, especially so if it includes requests for Amazon vouchers and makes reference to urgency and a sob story.

New All Age Service at St Thomas' 3pm Sunday 14th June

We are trying out something new at a time that might help attract those with young families and those who prefer a less formal style of service. The service will be non-eucharistic and will include a more modern style of hymn or worship song. Please let people know. All ages are welcome!

Sing, Move Laugh is back at St Thomas' Hall 10:00am – 11:30am Mondays. Next session 15th June

£5 contribution per session. Every penny taken from session contributions will go directly back into Sing Move Laugh with the aim of continuing beyond the initial funded 12-week block. Every Monday from 1st June, but NOT including 8th June.

"East Lancs Down's Syndrome Support Group members, including Rachel Shatliff, are taking part in a 17 hour, 50 mile walk around Barden Track in Burnley from Dawn til Dusk on 18th June.

The charity is reliant on fundraising events such as these to keep providing their services for local families. Any support and encouragement for this challenging walk would be much appreciated. Lucas is also joining for part of the day, walking as long as he can. If you would like more information please speak to Rachel, Phil or Lucas at St Thomas', or follow the QR code for the Justgiving Link. Thank you! "



Funeral of Eric Mizon: St James 10:30am Wednesday 24th June

St Thomas' Church History

'A Church and its People: A History of St Thomas Musbury' is available at the Potato Man and Neary's 7 days a week and at the Museum.

Royal British Legion Coffee Morning at St Thomas' Hall 10:30-12:30 27th June

£2 entry. Cake and tombola stalls and plenty of raffle prizes. History of the Legion will be on display.

Hymns and Pimms: 2-4pm Sunday 28th June St Thomas' Hall Gardens

A date for your diary. Why not start thinking about your favourite hymns and be ready to add them to the list at the back of church.

Coach Trip to Chester Cathedral Monday 3rd August

There appears to be sufficient interest in this trip and arrangements are in hand at the time of printing for the trip to take place on Monday 3rd August. Places are limited and extra details will be available soon, but if you expressed an interest please sign up at the back of church with your phone number and an emergency contact number.

Blister Pack Recycling

Please keep your blister packs coming. They can be left at the back of both churches. Please note that some packs are now all metal and can be recycled from home with other metal products. The mixed plastic and metal packs can still be brought to church.

Bell Ringing Opportunities

Bell ringing is a fun and satisfying pastime. If you would like to learn a new skill and be part of a good social gathering please speak to Linden or Tim.

Thursday Refectory at St Thomas

Our refectory cafe offers soup, sandwiches, a hot meal and cakes. We are open 11am to 1pm on Thursdays 18 June, 2 & 16 July. We don't open in August.

Come along for good food and company or just call in for a drink and chat. We also do takeaways.

Thomas Tots Needs You!

The Tots group need some extra hands to help with the little ones. Could this be you? Please speak to Lin or Fr Simon if you feel that you could help. All help is hugely appreciated.

St Thomas' Hall

Speaking of working as a team, Lin has stood down as Hall Manager but remains as part four-part team. Mary will be the contact for bookings, Lin will ensure supplies of disposables are maintained and the cleaning team will continue in their tasks. There is one final role which is currently vacant, that of maintenance and repair. Would anybody interested in giving up some time to look after this important aspect of keeping the hall in good order and full use please speak to Fr Simon.

With many thanks to Lin for her years of devoted service as manager.

Inclusive Church

The Inclusive Church Group is always looking for ways to make St Thomas' more accessible for everyone. We have large print hymn books, Order of Service sheets, pew sheets as well as magnifying glasses both with and without lights. For anyone with any SEND needs, we have a wheelchair at the back of the church which can be used plus sensory toys and ear defenders to help anyone with sensory issues. Don't forget that, if you need to use the ramp at the back door, to ring the doorbell and someone will let you in. If you have any ideas or issues please mention them to Jo, Rachel, Phil or Tricia.

Food Support

Please keep your kind gifts coming. We have undertaken a stock review and we have plenty of pasta for the time being. However, we are short of the following items: Pasta sauce, Long life milk, Tins of meat, Sugar, Soup, Tins of fruit, Toiletries and Toilet Roll.

Tricia says thank you

For all your contributions for the Motherless Baby Unit in India and a special thank you to Bernard for his excellent and enjoyable quiz. We are delighted to announce that a donation of £ 1800 has been made to the home via John and Mary Salvation Army who many of you have met. Thank you too to friends and family for your very hefty contributions and to our church community for their support and monetary donations.

Weekly Prayer List for the sick

Please contact Revd. Judith to include a name on the weekly prayer list.

For your prayers

Charley, Lizzie, Rachael, Quentin, John, Mother Mo, Sophie, Joyce, Andrew, Anthony, Roz, Sara, Catherine, Christine, Kathleen, Arnold, Alicia, Jacqueline, Vivienne, Adrienne, Sylvia, Fr Roger Smith, Neville, Kenneth, Leo, Carl, Eric.

For all who have recently died, including Cynthia Moore and Eric Mizon, and remembering all whose anniversaries fall in the coming week. *Rest eternal grant unto them, O Lord.*

Please also let us know when someone is unwell or goes into hospital.

LyCiG Prayer for Growth

God of Mission,
Who alone brings growth to your Church,
Send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning,
Wisdom to our actions,
And power to our witness.
Help our church to grow in numbers in spiritual commitment to you,
And in service to our local community,
Through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen.