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SUNDAY 14 June 2026

2nd Sunday after Trinity

10.00 am Holy Communion, Archdeacon S Fisher, Rev. E Stonier
Reading Matthew 9:35-10:7
Collect Faithful Creator, whose mercy never fails: deepen our faithfulness to you and to your living Word, Jesus Christ our Lord.

THIS WEEK'S DIARY

Wed 17 June 10.00 am, Holy Communion
11.30 am, Prayer Time
5.45 pm, Pilates
Thu 18 June 5.30 pm, Pilates
7.00 pm, Music Group Practice
Sat 20 June 4.00 pm, Messy Church

NEXT SUNDAY 21 June 2026

3rd Sunday after Trinity

10.00 am Morning Worship, D. Tanner
Reading TBC
Collect God our saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

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Prayer Topics

- ▶ The Church. We thank you for sending Emma to St. Mary's to serve and walk alongside us. Bless her ministry with wisdom, strength, and joy. May we, as a congregation, support and encourage her, working together in faith, love, and unity to build your Kingdom. Please guide us and help us to use our time, talents, and money wisely and generously, so that the life and mission of our church may continue to grow and serve our community.
- ▶ The World. Lord of peace, we pray for our troubled world and all those affected by war, violence, fear, and division. Comfort those who have lost their homes, loved ones, and hope. Guide world leaders with wisdom and compassion, and strengthen all who work for justice, healing, and reconciliation. Help us to be peacemakers in our own communities, showing compassion, kindness, and love to one another. May your peace, which passes all understanding, fill our hearts and our world.
- ▶ The Community. We pray for those who live and work at Holbrook Close, Hood Lane, Huntley Street, Keith Avenue, Kingston Avenue, and Kintore Drive.
- ▶ The Sick.
- ▶ Those who have died.



Garden Team needs your help!!!

Eric, David and Kate urgently need help in keeping the church gardens in good order. We are unable to cope with the amount of work required. We usually meet on Thursday mornings, 9.30 am to 12 noon, but would be thankful for assistance at any time. If you are able and willing to help, please contact Eric, David, or Kate. The photo shows David recently clearing tree cuttings from the front lawn.



✿ **St. Mary's Summer Fair** will take place on **Saturday, 4th July**. Collection boxes for the donations of chocolates, sweets, bottles, and toiletries are available at the back of the Church.

AND we would also be very grateful for any helping hands on or before the day. If you are able to help at the Fair, please speak with Joan.

In-person Safeguarding Training Session for members of all our churches within the Parish of Warrington. The details are as follows:



📅 Date: Tuesday, 30 June 2026

🏠 Location: St Andrew's Church, Orford

🕒 Time:

- 10 am - midday: Safeguarding Basic Awareness training
- 1 pm - 3 pm: Safeguarding Foundation training
- Lunch: Not provided - please bring your own lunch if staying for both sessions

✍ Please sign up by clicking [👉 this link 👈](#)



Deanery Sunday Afternoon Walk on Sunday 28th June

Meet at 2 pm for a 2:15 pm start at the far end of Larkfield Avenue, off Manchester Road, WA1 3NE. Plenty of on-street parking. As a special treat, we have engaged 2 local guides who can tell you anything you want to know about the site, its wildlife, flora and fauna. Afterwards, we will drive or walk to The Dog and Partridge for refreshments. All are welcome, including well-behaved dogs on leads!



Could Your Child Become a Liverpool Cathedral Chorister?

The Choir is currently recruiting:

- Boys in Years 2-6
- Girls in Years 5-6

No previous choir experience is required – just enthusiasm, potential and a love of singing.

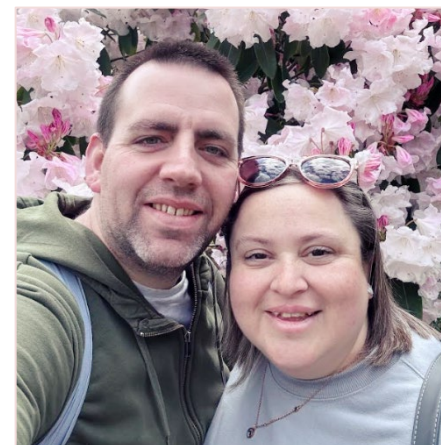
Auditions: Friday 27 June. Click [👉 this link 👈](#) to find out more.

Message from Emma & Isaac

Hi there!

My name is Emma, and my husband, Isaac and I are delighted to be joining you in service and worship at St Mary's, Great Sankey.

I am part of the Parish of Warrington Team and moved to Warrington when I was ordained in 2024. Originally from Huyton, I'm enjoying getting to know the area and the wonderful people who call it home.



Isaac works as a baker at Sainsbury's in Chapelford, so some of you may even spot him there - do feel free to say hello!

We both love spending time outdoors and enjoying God's creation. I especially love the seaside and will take any excuse to visit the coast. We also have a dog called Benny, who is now the grand age of 12½ and still loves a trip to the beach just as much as his mum.

When I get a bit of spare time, I enjoy different craft activities, and I usually have several projects on the go at once! We also enjoy settling down together to watch a good crime drama - recommendations are always welcome!

We're looking forward to getting to know you all, sharing in the life of St Mary's, and discovering what God has in store for us together.

With every blessing,

Emma and Isaac