



St Paul's Warton

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'Serving Christ, Serving the Community'

21st September 2025

Mission Weekend – St Matthew's Day

Welcome to Bishop Jill who is leading our service today.

Please stay for free refreshments and a chat after the service.

Remember in your prayers:

Those who are sick: Mike Hartley, Matthew Liver, Paul Bradbury, Shirley Dollman, Jillian Bassom, Linda Langstran, John and Margaret Jacob, Sue Parkin, Christine Watts, Gloria Birdsall, Alan and Georgina Waite, Jackie Shurr, Margaret Scott, Jim McAfee, Sheila Swindells, Fred Taylor, Ian Moxham, Rev Mo Baldwin, Danny Potts

Those who have died: Margaret Needley
Anniversaries: Richard Platt, Bruce Walker

Diocesan Prayers

Vision 2026: Pray for the Growing Leaders team, and Bishop Jill who oversees this work. Ask for God to guide them in their work and to direct their steps as they work to support Christian leadership in Blackburn Diocese.

Diocese: Lancaster Christ Church, Rev Carol Backhouse, Rev Kaarina Leong, Dr Pat Allen (Ilm); also in this Benefice, Lancaster Christ Church C of E Primary School

Link Diocese: Liwolo – Pray for God's forgiveness upon the sins of this generation and those before. For a restoration of peace, an end of the cycle of wars and refugee life and for the return and resettlement of refugees. Pray for a nation rebuilt with love and fear for God. For healing of wounds and unity and for righteous leaders that rule with justice, compassion, understanding and knowledge.

Anglican Cycle of Prayer: Province of the Episcopal Church of South Sudan

Meetings: Bishop's Appointments Team meeting

Event: Parish Mission event held at Warton St Paul and Freckleton Holy Trinity;

Parish Mission event held at Feniscowles Immanuel and Fenisccliffe St Francis

Pendle Deanery Week of Prayer



FYLDE FOODBANK

Baked Beans, Cereals, Corned Beef, Honey, Hot Dogs, Jam, Ketchup, Mayonnaise, Milk, Pasta Sauces, Pot Noodles, Tinned Chicken, Tinned Soup, Tinned Spaghetti, Deodorant, Shampoo, Washing Pods, Washing Up Liquid



NEWS & EVENTS

Please pray for the following:

22nd 4pm Evening Prayer – Holy Trinity

24th 8.30am Morning Prayer St Paul's

9.30am Eucharist St Paul's

25th 3.30pm Funeral of Margaret Needley direct to Lytham Crematorium

27th 10am Holy Trinity Coffee Morning

CHRISTCHURCH OXFORD CONFERENCE

Rev Tracy is away from Monday 22nd September to Wednesday 24th September at a conference in Christ Church Oxford, followed by annual leave until Sunday 5th October.

ALL SOULS DAY SERVICES

Wednesday 29th October 7pm Holy Trinity

Thursday 30th October 7pm St Paul's

There is a list at the back of each church to add names of loved ones who have died that you wish to remember at these services.

PEARL OF AFRICA CHILDREN'S CHOIR CONCERT

Friday 3rd October 6.30pm Freckleton School

Admission free donations to support the work of the Pearl of Africa School welcome. Ugandan craft sales, refreshments

HARVEST FESTIVAL

October 12th we will be collecting tinned goods for local causes and financial donations will be given to the Bishop's Harvest Appeal which is supporting various projects in our link diocese of The Free State.

GROWTH PRAYER

God of Mission who alone brings growth to your Church. Send your Holy Spirit to give vision to our planning, wisdom to our actions, joy to our worship 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

Please take this sheet home with you today