



The Parish Church of St. Peter, Chorley



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3rd July 2022 3rd Sunday after Trinity

THIS WEEK AT ST PETER'S

Sun 3 July: Said Eucharist 8am
Parish Eucharist 10am

Weds 6 July: Said Eucharist 10am

Thu 7 July: Morning Prayer 9am

Sun 10 July: Said Eucharist 8am
Parade Eucharist 10am

CAN YOU HELP?

Chorley Foodbank: URGENT

Donations of EVERYTHING are desperately needed: ideas include **Tinned Tomatoes, Tinned Veg, Tinned Meat/Hot dogs, Tinned Puddings/Rice Pudding, Tea, Coffee, UHT Milk, Biscuits/Crisps/Snacks, Breakfast Cereal, Fray Bentos Pies, and other easily preserved/tinned foods and meals.** Please put any donations at the back of church. Thank you!!

Activity packs for hospitalised children: Please check the collection box at the back of church for more information of what is required. All donations gratefully received.

Stamp collection: Please bring any used stamps to church and put them in the box marked at the back – these go towards raising money for Multiple Sclerosis charities. **Note: please include 1cm of the envelope around the stamp!**

NOTICES

West Wall Restoration Works: These are due to end on Friday 22nd July. All usual church activities continue throughout – please see Rev Rebecca with any questions. Thank you for your patience!

Summer Garden Party: We're all invited to the St Laurence's Rectory Garden for a fantastic garden

TELEPHONE NUMBERS

Pastoral emergency – emergency anointing/communion/baptism (24/7): 07572 901345

Curate in charge: Rev' d Rebecca Feeney
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party! Come along on Sunday 17th July – everything kicks off at 3pm. Don't miss out!

REMEMBER IN YOUR PRAYERS:

Ukraine, Afghanistan, Syria, and all areas of the world experiencing particular violence or turmoil;

those preparing for holy baptism;

those ordained this Pentecost, especially in our Deanery: Jordan Bentliff (deacon, St George's Chorley), Amy Bland (priest, Euxton Parish Church)

those who are sick, remembering particularly: Derek Morgan, Derek Draper, Brenda Feeney, Alison Feeney, John Lowe, Eileen Downs, Dean Haddon Sarah Alice (Sally) Price, Michael Hunter

all the recently departed, especially those known to us;

those whose anniversary of death falls this week:

Jul 3: Thomas Rigby, Robert Ellis Holland
Jul 4: James William Holland, Sarah Wilkinson
Jul 5: Harold Morris, Betty Berry, Stanley Ollerton
Jul 6: James Paul Brandwood
Jul 7: Marjorie Yates
Jul 8: Alf Clare, John Arnold, Dorothy Gaskell

Please email chorleystpetersvicar@gmail.com if you would like to include an anniversary of death in our memorial book, or if you would like us to pray for a person or intention, publicly or privately.

HYMNS

428 / 552 / 327, 738, 448 / 205

Collect

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

First Reading: Isaiah 66.10-14

Rejoice with Jerusalem, and be glad for her, all you who love her; rejoice with her in joy, all you who mourn over her—that you may nurse and be satisfied from her consoling breast; that you may drink deeply with delight from her glorious bosom.

For thus says the Lord: I will extend prosperity to her like a river, and the wealth of the nations like an overflowing stream; and you shall nurse and be carried on her arm, and dandled on her knees. As a mother comforts her child, so I will comfort you; you shall be comforted in Jerusalem.

You shall see, and your heart shall rejoice; your bodies shall flourish like the grass; and it shall be known that the hand of the Lord is with his servants, and his indignation is against his enemies.

Psalm 66.1-8

[R]: *All the earth shall worship you, O Lord.*

Be joyful in God, all the earth; sing the glory of his name; sing the glory of his praise. Say to God, 'How awesome are your deeds! Because of your great strength your enemies shall bow before you. 'All the earth shall worship you, sing to you, sing praise to your name.' **[R]**

Come now and behold the works of God, how wonderful he is in his dealings with humankind. He turned the sea into dry land; the river they passed through on foot; there we rejoiced in him. In his might he rules for ever; his eyes keep watch over the nations; let no rebel rise up against him. **[R]**

Bless our God, O you peoples; make the voice of his praise to be heard, Who holds our souls in life and suffers not our feet to slip. **[R]**

Second Reading: Galatians 6. 7-16

Do not be deceived; God is not mocked, for you reap whatever you sow. If you sow to your own flesh, you will reap corruption from the flesh; but if you sow to the Spirit, you will reap eternal life from the Spirit. So let us not grow weary in doing what is right, for we will reap at harvest time, if we do not give up. So then, whenever we have an opportunity, let us work for the good of all, and especially for those of the family of faith.

See what large letters I make when I am writing in my own hand! It is those who want to make a good showing in the flesh that try to compel you to be circumcised—only that they may not be persecuted for the cross of Christ. Even the circumcised do not themselves obey the law, but they want you to be circumcised so that they may boast about your flesh. May I never boast of anything except the cross of our Lord Jesus Christ, by which

the world has been crucified to me, and I to the world. For neither circumcision nor uncircumcision is anything; but a new creation is everything! As for those who will follow this rule—peace be upon them, and mercy, and upon the Israel of God.

Gospel: Luke 10.1-11, 16-20

After this the Lord appointed seventy others and sent them on ahead of him in pairs to every town and place where he himself intended to go. He said to them, 'The harvest is plentiful, but the labourers are few; therefore ask the Lord of the harvest to send out labourers into his harvest. Go on your way. See, I am sending you out like lambs into the midst of wolves. Carry no purse, no bag, no sandals; and greet no one on the road. Whatever house you enter, first say, "Peace to this house!" And if anyone is there who shares in peace, your peace will rest on that person; but if not, it will return to you. Remain in the same house, eating and drinking whatever they provide, for the labourer deserves to be paid. Do not move about from house to house. Whenever you enter a town and its people welcome you, eat what is set before you; cure the sick who are there, and say to them, "The kingdom of God has come near to you." But whenever you enter a town and they do not welcome you, go out into its streets and say, "Even the dust of your town that clings to our feet, we wipe off in protest against you. Yet know this: the kingdom of God has come near."

'Whoever listens to you listens to me, and whoever rejects you rejects me, and whoever rejects me rejects the one who sent me.'

The seventy returned with joy, saying, 'Lord, in your name even the demons submit to us!' He said to them, 'I watched Satan fall from heaven like a flash of lightning. See, I have given you authority to tread on snakes and scorpions, and over all the power of the enemy; and nothing will hurt you. Nevertheless, do not rejoice at this, that the spirits submit to you, but rejoice that your names are written in heaven.'

Post-communion prayer

O God, whose beauty is beyond our imagining and whose power we cannot comprehend: show us your glory as far as we can grasp it, and shield us from knowing more than we can bear until we may look upon you without fear; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. **Amen**