

WEEKLY NOTICES 28th July 2019

Tues. 30 th	8.00a.m.	Morning Prayer
	11.30 a.m.	Holy Communion Service
	5.00p.m.	Evening Prayer
Wed. 31 st	8.00a.m.	Morning Prayer
Thurs. 1 st Aug.	8.00a.m.	Morning Prayer
	5.00p.m.	Evening Prayer
Fri. 2 nd	8.00a.m.	Morning Prayer
	5.00p.m.	Evening Prayer
Sat. 3 rd	8.00a.m.	Morning Prayer
	5.00p.m.	Evening Prayer
Sun. 4 th		7 th Sunday after Trinity
	7.30a.m.	Morning Prayer
	8.30 a.m.	Holy Communion
	10.15 a.m.	Parish Communion
	6.30p.m.	Evening Service

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH SOUTHPORT



28th July 2019
6th Sunday after Trinity



WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

Practising members of other Christian denominations are invited to receive Holy Communion. If you are not confirmed but would like to receive a blessing please come forward with other communicants and place your hands below the altar rail. We hope you will join us for refreshments in the Parish Centre after the Service.

8.30 a.m.	HOLY COMMUNION
10.15 a.m.	PARISH COMMUNION
Setting:	Sunsion in F
Introit:	103
Epistle:	Colossians 2. 6 - 15
Gradual:	391
Gospel:	Luke 11. 1 - 13
Address:	Mrs Sue Palmer
Offertory:	273
Motet:	Panis angelicus - <i>Casciolini</i> Teach me O Lord - <i>William Byrd</i>
Recessional:	205
Voluntary:	Processional - <i>William Mathias</i>
6.30 p.m.	EVENING SERVICE

Collect

Merciful God you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding; pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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

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EVENING SERVICE - tonight at 6.30p.m. in the Lady Chapel.

CONTACTING THE VICAR - It has been a quiet week at the Vicarage this week, for the most part because my email address and telephone number have not been very widely known!

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I think a lot of priests end up chained to their desks, answering emails as they arrive. I hope to be out and about a good deal, getting to know the parishes and their people. So, I will begin my ministry here intending to read and reply to emails once a day. Please don't worry if you don't have a reply immediately, I will aim to reply to parishioners' emails within 24 hours.

I meant what I said last week: the cure of your souls is my priority. This cure is often most deeply needed in serious illness and at the point of death. Please contact me immediately by telephone if you know a parishioner who is suffering greatly, or whose life is ending, so that they can be offered the ministry of the church. It might also be worth thinking of letting your family or friends know the number, should anything happen to you. I will always make every effort to be there quickly, or arrange for another priest to come instead.

I intend to take Mondays off, and won't answer emails on that day. I would be grateful if I were only telephoned on Mondays in an emergency of the kind just described. With my love and prayers, *Father Tom*

Morning Prayer will be held on Tuesday s - Saturday at 8a.m. & 7.30 on Sundays;

Evening Prayer will be held on Tuesdays - Saturday at 5p.m. except on Wednesdays!

THANK YOU - Philip and Roger are extremely grateful to all of you who contributed to their "thank-you" gift at the end of the Parish Eucharist on the 14th July. It is always encouraging to be appreciated. However, it has also been a privilege and a pleasure for us to be able to help out at the church we have both made our spiritual home, and we simply echo Luke 17.10: "we have only done what was our duty".

GIFT DAY - Many thanks to everyone who has already returned their envelope.

We are still happy to accept gifts for the next few weeks and a final total should be available in early autumn.

HOLY TRINITY CHURCH 100 CLUB DRAW was held in the Parish Hall Sunday 21st July 2019 and the winners were:

21/07/2019 1 27 GUY TUDOR

21/07/2019 2 17 TONI ASHCROFT

21/07/2019 3 22 HORACE JONES

Please note that new members are always welcome to join, so please see Paul Williamson if you are interested. All money raised goes to the church fund.

THANK YOU - Henry, one of our choir boys, would like to thank everyone who bought his cakes recently in the Parish Centre he raised £46 for the charity 'Be Free Cambodia'. Well done!

FOR YOUR PRAYERS: Brian Castree, Ray Foster, Lucy Dunning, Sandra Dacre, Doreen Blagbrough, Elsa Dowling, John Munro, Evelyn Shacklady, Doug England, Bill Stead, June Howarth, Stephen Hartles, Arthur Roberts, John Poulton and our young people: Jessica May Ruston, Noah Cunningham.

NORTHERN PHILHARMONIC ORCHESTRA (DEBUT CONCERT) - Will be performing in Holy Trinity Church as part of its debut season! On Saturday 17th August at 7p.m. Founded by conductor Joshua Quinlan (an ex chorister of our church choir), the orchestra has become renowned for combining the high standard expected of any professional ensemble with an incredible 'spark' that one achieves from a young group of players. The concert presents Mendelssohn Violin Concerto with soloist Xander Croft, along with Beethoven's First Symphony and Bartok's Romanian Folk Dances. Tickets £10 /£7.50 concessions/£5 students under 10 free are available from Sue Palmer or by phoning 02036276295 or emailing boxoffice@northern-philharmonic.com

BOOK OF REMEMBRANCE Gladys Parr (29th) Norman Butterworth (30th)

AUGUST: Gladys Phipps (1st) Maude Mary Marston (1st) Ian Cooper Caton (2nd)
Edith Margaret Clark (3rd) Muriel Loveridge (5th) Edith Southworth (6th)
Jenni Sutton (7th) Evelyn Riley (9th) Bill Brookes (11th)
Edith Winifred Hegarty (11th) James Harold Jackson (12th) Des Bunch (12th)
Hugh Barker (15th) June Mary Thomas (15th) Judy Bunch (16th)
George William Barlow (17th) Irene Jackson (18th) Geoffrey S Wilkins (21st)
Brian Ritchie (23rd) Mary Elizabeth Oulton-Lee (23rd) John William Hart (24th)
Barbara Ware (25th) William Shuttleworth (*priest*) (26th) Mary Parker (27th)
Alexander Borland (28th)

NOTES FROM THE PCC MEETING - July 22nd

There was an almost full house of members on Monday for the first PCC attended by our new Vicar. The first action was to help Father Tom understand what we considered were good points about how we operate as a PCC and to reflect on what could be improved. There was plenty of food for thought! Other points included

- Treasurer's report including recent expenditure and one or two minor income streams.
- Information for members about proposed Parish Share revision and consideration of our response to the Deanery.
- Members noted receipt of the Quinquennial report – no immediate urgency as HLF project has taken care of much of the work from previous report. Several minor works which may be able to be done in-house.
- Members approved £2250 plus VAT for electrical safety work. This was highlighted in Gift Day literature and will be a rolling programme of checking each distribution board for safety following receipt of the safety report indicating unsatisfactory elements. Work will start in the song room which is also where the main cable enters church.
- Members received the bi-monthly safeguarding report. Most members, as trustees for the church as a charity, now compliant with Charity Commission safeguarding rules. The risk assessment for the choir visit to Blackburn cathedral was approved. Still some work required to ensure other risk assessments are completed for youth groups and parish centre lettings.
- Mrs Ashcroft presented a review of the first year of Trinity Tots and Toddlers.
- Mrs Banham presented a paper outlining how the Mission, Justice and Peace Group want to change the way the group operates.

The meeting concluded with drinks and nibbles. *Anne (PCC Secretary)*

CHOIR NEWS – We say good luck to our choir as they head for Blackburn Cathedral next week-end – singing Evensong on Friday (5.15pm); Evensong Saturday (3.30pm); Cathedral Eucharist – Sunday at 10.30am and concluding with Evensong at 4pm. They will return, refreshed and ready for the new term, on Sunday 8th September.

Weekly Newsletter – is also having a well-deserved summer break. Many grateful thanks to Hilary who beavers away diligently in the background to collect and co-ordinate everything. It will return on September 8th, too!

Bible Readings for July 2019

28th Colossians 2. 6 - 15 Betty Glasgow
Luke 11. 1 - 13

Elements - July

28th Mark & Val Warren

Coffee Rota (Parish Centre) - July

28th D.Sharrock, S.Henderson, P.Appleby

The Mayor of Sefton's Charity Committee

Invites you to a

Summer Coffee Morning

On

Wednesday 7th August - 10.30 -12noon

Floral Hall on the Promenade

***Organ music with the famous Charles Mitchell,
card bola, bring & buy, raffle***

Admission £2.00 including coffee & biscuits

Epistle

Colossians 2. 6 - 15

A reading from the letter of Paul to the Colossians.

Brothers and sisters, as you have received Christ Jesus the Lord, continue to live your lives in him, rooted and built up in him and established in the faith, just as you were taught, abounding in thanksgiving. See to it that no one takes you captive through philosophy and empty deceit, according to human tradition, according to the elemental spirits of the universe, and not according to Christ.

For in him the whole fullness of deity dwells bodily, and you have come to fullness in him, who is the head of every ruler and authority. In him also you were circumcised with a spiritual circumcision, by putting off the body of the flesh in the circumcision of Christ; when you were buried with him in baptism, you were also raised with him through faith in the power of God, who raised him from the dead. And when you were dead in trespasses and the uncircumcision of your flesh, God made you alive together with him, when he forgave us all our trespasses, erasing the record that stood against us with its legal demands. He set this aside, nailing it to the cross. He disarmed the rulers and authorities and made a public example of them, triumphing over them in it.

Gospel

Luke 11. 1 - 13

Jesus was praying in a certain place, and after he had finished, one of his disciples said to him, 'Lord, teach us to pray, as John taught his disciples.' He said to them, 'When you pray, say: Father, hallowed be your name. Your kingdom come. Give us each day our daily bread. And forgive us our sins, for we ourselves forgive everyone indebted to us. And do not bring us to the time of trial.' And he said to them, 'Suppose one of you has a friend, and you go to him at midnight and say to him, "Friend, lend me three loaves of bread; for a friend of mine has arrived, and I have nothing to set before him." And he answers from within, "Do not bother me; the door has already been locked, and my children are with me in bed; I cannot get up and give you anything." I tell you, even though he will not get up and give him anything because he is his friend, at least because of his persistence he will get up and give him whatever he needs. So I say to you, Ask, and it will be given to you; search, and you will find; knock, and the door will be opened for you. For everyone who asks receives, and everyone who searches finds, and for everyone who knocks, the door will be opened. Is there anyone among you who, if your child asks for a fish, will give a snake instead of a fish? Or if the child asks for an egg, will give a scorpion? If you then, who are evil, know how to give good gifts to your children, how much more will the heavenly Father give the Holy Spirit to those who ask him!'