**URGENT!!** support needed for one of the schools in Kibera, Nairobi, Kenya. Kanzi Kibera Friends have launched an appeal for Cana School (informal and not government run) which was devastated by fire only 3yr ago, now facing a government demolishion of 1/3 of the building to make way for a new road. The community is desperately poor, and having had to close for a year due to C19 are keen for their children not to lose out yet again. Our church has been wonderfully generous in the past -- can we help again? Let's pray to our Lord and theirs, and respond from the bottom of our hearts. Leaflets are available in church ; cheques & donations should be made payable to

Kanzi Kibera Friends Ltd and Helen will bank them. THANK YOU.



**FOODBANK** With the church now open please support the Foodbank by leaving items in the basket in the porch. The Southport Foodbank is now located at St Peters Centre. St Peters Road, Birkdale PR8 4BY If you wish to support financially, please send cheques to the above address, or <u>https://southport.foodbank.org.uk/</u>Online to Sort-code:40-42-30 A/c no. 42087391

Last year's delayed celebrations of the 40yr dedication of the present All Saints church are now taking shape in our gardens, after the clearing of much old wood last autumn. Six rose bushes to remember those from All Saints who died last year, have been planted in front of church - see details in church porch.





The 'round' bed in front of Park Rd car-park is also replanted - thanks to the hard work of our new gardeners - BUT - in the next couple of months we need some volunteers, **twice weekly** (on a rota) to water the shrubs

& plants if they are to survive. We have buckets and watering cans, but they need filling and carrying!! **CAN YOU HELP?** please speak to Bob or the Lloyds a.s.a.p.

Cast all your anxieties on Him, for He cares about you. 1 Peter 5:7



## BULLETIN JUNE 2021



Bless the Lord, all birds of the air bless the Lord all that swim in the waters sing his praise and exalt him for ever

### SUNDAY SERVICES

10:00am Holy Communion Morning Worship 3:30pm Holy Communion 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays 2<sup>nd</sup>, 4<sup>th</sup> & 5<sup>th</sup> Sundays 2nd and 4th Sundays

# WEDNESDAY

9:45am Church open for prayer 10:30am Holy Communion (BCP)

#### DEAR FRIENDS

I feel that we are slowly beginning to feel the release from the months of lockdown. We are steadily beginning to see a return to the congregation size we enjoyed before the lockdown, as folk have had their second jabs and feel safe to worship again. This is great news to be able to mix, catch up, and have fellowship around the communion table.

We are now in the season of Trinity, having just celebrated Pentecost, the birthday of the church, but also the coming of the Holy Spirit. We look in our mission to glorify God, to know and speak of Jesus, but we also need the Holy Spirit to empower us.

In thinking of the way ahead as a church, we need the guidance of the Holy Spirit, but we also need the direction of that same Holy Spirit. Too often churches in this country have made their plans on what seemed a good idea or because something was successful in another church.

Times have changed. We cannot go back to the way things used to be but we need God's direction through the Holy Spirit to lead us into the plans that God has for a future All Saints

Alan Buckley, Lay Minister

Due to the Coronavirus, all special calendar social events, are on hold. We will endeavour to keep you updated on changes that might happen, subject to Government and Bishop's directives.

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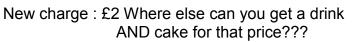
**N.B. Fr. Tom** is always available to offer private prayer, particularly in cases of illness, or times of distress, both to members of the congregation, and also all who live in this parish.

## WHAT'S ON IN JUNE

ALL Services subject to Government Directives, when church is open, as advertised on the front page.

We have looked forward to the easing of the lockdown from May 17th, to be able to enjoy tea and coffee after the morning service.

WATCH this space for the date when we can resume our FRIDAY 's COFFEE & CAKE. It will take place in the Hall at first to give suitable distancing.



ALSO - there will be a Strawberry Tea afternoon in July - watch for the details!

# FOR OUR PRAYERS .....

- Remember all medical workers and scientists as they continue working to end the pandemic of Coronavirus. Give thanks for the success of the vaccination programme.
- □ Those recovering from recent sickness or undergoing long-term treatment.
- $\hfill\square$  Those who are housebound and their carers.
- Members of the congregation who are vulnerable in this present situation; or being cared for in residential homes.
- □ For recently bereaved families and friends as they face a future without their loved ones.
- Father Tom, Alan and the leadership team as they seek God's plan for the way forward for the Church, and seek to support the congregation at present and develop opportunities for mission.
- Our Prime Minister, his Cabinet and special advisors for wisdom to minimise the suffering of the nation, and how to cope with handling the situation for those who have caught the virus, and to stop its spread.
- □ For those in business and work as things open up again: pray for wisdom and commonsense in maintaining health and safety for all, especially for children and staff in all the schools in Southport.
- □ For our new Mission Partners, Marc, Helen and family, now returned to North Africa, as they resettle after six months in the UK.
- For our previous partners Chris & Suzy Wilson who are seeking God's guidance for a possible ministry in Northern Ireland.