



Invite your friends to join us for our

# Pimms and Strawberries Afternoon

with musical entertainment at the Hall and Gardens on Sat. 14th June at 3p.m.

Tickets: £10
BOOK NOW with Lesley



#### **FOODBANK**

please support by leaving items, in the porch basket. NO fresh goods, please.

# The Southport Foodbank is now at Victoria Centre, 197a Sussex Road, PR8 6DG

If you wish to support financially, please send cheques payable to "Compassion Acts"

or Online to Sort-code:40-42-30 A/c no. 52071665

https:southport.foodbank.org.uk/

# Upcoming Events

Over the next few months watch out for details of a Cheese & Wine Evening; a Pub-Lunch and Churchtown Village Trail; a Country Ramble; Sunday Lunch; Poetry afternoon; Christmas concert. There will also be a summer Study Group.

Did you find him ?!

[see last month's Bulletin]

The Rev. Dr. Porter was the first vicar of All Saints in 1892

After the Fire in 1977, the carved relief was removed from the old Porch and eventually placed on the wall by the carpark entrance in Park Rd. It was rediscovered in the recent garden tidy up.



# Don't you just love the things our children say ?!!

"When I'm as old as you, Grandma, will my hair be really silver?"

Sunday lunch Gran's house. When Johnny started eating right away, his mother said, "Johnny! Please wait until we say grace."

The child replied, "That's at our house, but this is Gran's house and she knows how to cook!"

## **BIBLE VERSE for 2025**

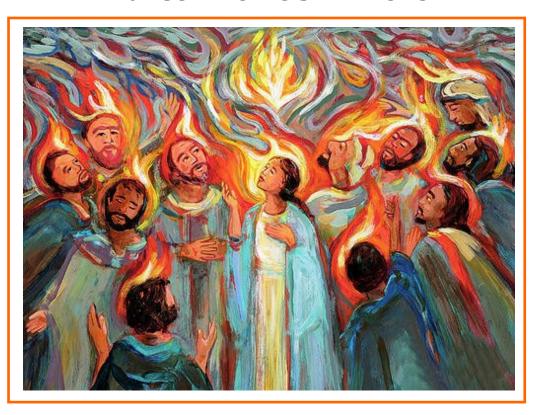
Be joyful in hope, patient in affliction, faithful in prayer

Share with the Lord's people who are in need.

Practice hospitality. [from Romans 12: 12-13]

# All Saints Parish Church

## **Bulletin for JUNE 2025**



## SUNDAY SERVICES

June 1st 10am Holy Communion & Baptism - Canon Rod Garner

" 8th 10am Holy Communion for Pentecost - Canon Roger

" 15th 10am Morning Worship for Trinity Sunday

' 22nd 10am Holy Communion - Canon Roger Wikeley

" 29th 10am Morning Worship

### WEDNESDAYS

9.30am - BCP Communion (lounge)

## DEAR FRIENDS.

This year marks the tenth anniversary of Thy Kingdom Come (TKC) – a worldwide prayer movement inviting Christians around the world to intentional prayer from Ascension (29th May) to Pentecost (8th June)

Since its launch by the Archbishops of Canterbury and York in 2016, Christians from 172 countries and more than 85 different denominations and traditions have taken part in praying for friends and family to come to faith in Jesus Christ.

As the Lord Jesus ascended, he promised the gift of the Holy Spirit to enable the disciples to be witnesses. At that first Pentecost, none of it happened in a vacuum. During the previous days the disciples had been devoting themselves to prayer and waiting. Having been taught the Lord's Prayer by Jesus, this would surely have been the bedrock on which Pentecost was founded. The Holy Spirit fills us also and sends us out of the comfort and security of our metaphorical upper room and expands our horizons.

So, the renewed call across the church is to set these days apart to pray, and for each individual to pray for five people you know to come to know the love and peace of Jesus Christ.

Every person, household and church is encouraged to pray during the eleven days in their own way, that those who have not yet truly heard the Good News of Jesus Christ and his love for the world, will hear it for themselves and respond and follow him.

Specifically, we are invited to pray that God's Spirit might work in the lives of five people who have not responded with their 'Yes' to God's call.

If you have a mobile phone or a tablet you can download the *Thy Kingdom Come* app from Google Play (android phone) or The App Store (Apple) which will give you a daily reading and prayer.

May our Lord strengthen us all each day in this task of witness.

John.

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**N.B.** The ministry team are always available to offer private prayer, particularly in cases of illness or times of distress.

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# WHAT'S ON IN JUNE

Tues. 3rd 2pm P.C.C. (lounge)

Thurs.5th 2 pm Bereavement Group (lounge) Fri. 6th 8.45-9.45 Prayer Breakfast (lounge)

10 - noon Coffee & Cake morning (lounge)

Wed. 11th 7:30 pm Archdeacon's Visitation at St Peter's Church, Birkdale

for all Welcomers & PCC members.

Sat.14th 3pm Strawberry & Pimms afternoon (Book with Lesley)

ADVANCE NOTICE: July 6th : Archdeacon Pete Spiers will be celebrant & preacher



Our regular Prayer-time on Fridays twice a month, starts with a short slot for Tea/Coffee/Juice and Toast.

Prayer is an essential part in everyone's faith journey, so if you are unable to be physically present, do join us 'in spirit' to pray for the needs of our church, the world and those we know and love, who need the Lord's peace and strength in their lives.

Pray for our King Charles III, Queen Camilla and all members of the royal family, may God grant them wisdom, strength. and good health

Pray for our bishops, esp.Diocesan Bishop Ruth in her new appointment; that they be faithful in their calling; with wisdom and integrity for the process of appointing a new Archbishop.

Pray for our Prime Minister and government as they seek solutions for peace in Israel and Ukraine, and how to deal with the cost of living crisis.

Pray for our CMS Mission Partners, Marc, Helen & family, in North Africa, and for the Wilson family in Ethiopia, also for the work of Kanzi Kibera Friends in Nairobi's slums.

Remember those amongst our families and friends undergoing medical treatment.... Also pray for medical staff working under pressure.

Those who are housebound and their carers, and those being cared for in residential homes.

Pray for recently bereaved families and friends as they face a future without their loved ones.

Remember our church leadership as they seek God's plan for the way forward for the Church during the Interregnum, seeking to support the congregation at present and develop opportunities for mission; and for other church members to take up new active responsibilities on the Church Council.

Pray for North Meols Deanery as a new Area Dean will be needed due to Rev.Dr.Tom Carpenter's imminent move to the Chichester Diocese.

(Lots of little jobs need willing hands...speak to the Wardens - join the crew!)