FOODBANK

At present stocks are low due to greater demand; please continue support by leaving toiletries & food in the porch basket.
NO fresh goods, please.

Southport Foodbank is now at Victoria Centre, 197a Sussex Rd.

Don't be left off !!

If you are not yet signed up on the
ELECTORAL ROLL
(enabling you to vote, be a church official / PCC member etc .)
Do ask for a form and return it by Easter Sunday, April 5th.

MAY BULLETIN DEADLINE
Sunday, 19th April
Info to the Lloyds, please

Upcoming Events

throughout the summer can only happen if church members get together to plan something.....
Could YOU be part of this group ?

OUR CHURCH NEEDS YOU !

Several areas are VACANT within our church fellowship, especially as June's & Lesley's terms as Wardens end shortly .... we need two new **CHURCH WARDENS** --- people who can be responsible and committed to serving as part of a team both on Sundays and / or midweek.....

PCC members; Wardens' Assistants ;
Bulletin Editor ; Social events group ;
Welcomers; Team for Maintenance;

maybe YOU have some skills to share ??
PLEASE SIGN UP NOW

The present Church Council

Elected Wardens: (2)
June Foulds, Lesley Mackintosh,
Elected members: (9)
Martin Unwin, Carron Howard, Helen Lloyd, Geoff Barton, Mel & Viv Borsbey, Paul Lawrance, Vera McGibbon;
Deanery Synod members: (3)
John Lloyd, Rosanna Cousins, Bob Ford,
and
Treasurer : John Roberts.

BIBLE VERSE for 2026

We know that in all things God works for the good of those who love him, who have been called according to his purpose.
Romans ch.8 v.28

Please remember our church family in your daily prayers

All Saints Parish Church

Rawlinson Road / Park Road PR9 9JR
www.allsaintschurchsouthport.org.uk

BULLETIN FOR APRIL 2026

GOOD FRIDAY

2pm An Hour of Meditation at the Cross - Canon Rod Garner

SUNDAY SERVICES at 10am

EASTER DAY COMMUNION - Preacher & Celebrant : Canon Roger Wikeley
April 12th Morning Worship led by The Readers
19th Holy Communion - Preacher : Canon Rod Garner
26th Morning Worship - followed by Annual Church Meeting in Hall

WEDNESDAYS

9.30am BCP Communion (in lounge)

Dear Friends,

In John's Gospel account of Mary at the tomb, meeting the Risen Christ, she supposes him to be the gardener - until he speaks her name - "Mary". It is impossible to say that name with all the depth of feeling that Jesus puts into it.
The whole meaning of the Resurrection is contained in that one word.
It brings the tragedy of Good Friday and the joy of Easter Day together and Hope is born afresh. Life is given meaning and purpose and we can say,

"Here we have no abiding city, but we seek one to come."
(Hebrews 13, v 14)

The Universe is a vast and awesome place - yet we are among the tiniest of its parts. The Christian gospel, with Christ's resurrection at the centre , offers us an assurance of hope and a personal relationship with a loving God; a relationship that is not a matter of wealth or privilege, of physical or mental excellence, but of our experience now of the Risen Jesus; something which even death cannot break, any more than it broke it for Jesus, the Christ.

Eddie Loxham

ALLELUIA !
Christ is risen!

ALLELUIA !
Jesus is alive!

Contacts :

Wardens: June Foulds 07425 159548
Lesley Mackintosh 07403 653622

Treasurer & Planned Giving Secretary : John Roberts 07729 995967
treasurerallsaintssouthport@gmail.com

Hall Bookings : Martin Unwin 01704 530178

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

Steve Hosker 01704 211625
John Lloyd 01704 533530

WHAT'S ON IN APRIL

Thur.2nd 6.30pm - Maundy Communion within Supper with Friends (essential booking with Lesley)
Fri. 10th 10 - 11.30 Chat, Coffee & Cake in the Lounge
Tues.7th & 21st 9 - 9.30am Prayer-time on ZOOM (ask Lloyds for link access code.)

ADVANCE NOTICE :
Sunday April 26th at 11am, following the Morning Service… .**Annual Parochial Church Meeting**…..essential for ALL members to attend as we plan the coming year and seek elections for wardens and other leaders.

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.
Our regular Prayer-time has changed to ZOOM … see above.

Pray for King Charles III, may God grant him good health, wisdom & strength.
Pray for our bishops and clergy that they be faithful in their calling, with wisdom and integrity; esp. remember the new Archbishop, Sarah Mullally.
Pray for our Prime Minister and government as they, with other world leaders, seek peaceful solutions in the Middle East, Ukraine and elsewhere.
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.
Pray for 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 others to come forward, especially to serve as church wardens.
Remember those amongst our families and friends undergoing medical treatment…. Also pray for medical staff working under pressure.
Remember 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.

Luke 18:1 "Then Jesus told his disciples a parable to show them that they should always pray and not give up".

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