

All Saints with **St Frideswyde**

*A church which welcomes you in Jesus' name,
to grow and share in his love*

Sunday, 28th July

Today	9am	Holy Communion	Kath
	10.30am	All Age Service and Christening of Lewis Smith	Kath
	12noon	Christening of Florence Harman	Kath
4th Aug	9am	Healing Holy Communion	Kath & Andrew
	10.30am	All Age Haling Communion	
11th Aug	9am	Holy Communion	Kath & Audrey
	10.30am	Service of the Word	
	6.30pm	Open Table	Kath & Jen

Morning Prayer **Mondays, Tuesday & Wednesdays at 9.15am**
Monday & Wednesday in the MTS room Tuesdays in the Vestry



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Collect

Creator God, you made us all in your image: may we discern you in all that we see, and serve you in all that we do; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Diocesan Prayer

Loving Father, by your grace we long to see more people knowing Jesus, and more justice in the world. Help us to live as your disciples in the power of the Spirit and to work to your praise and glory. Amen.

Reading Acts 16: 11-15

From Troas we put out to sea and sailed straight for Samothrace, and the next day we went on to Neapolis. From there we travelled to Philippi, a Roman colony and the leading city of that district of Macedonia. And we stayed there several days. On the Sabbath we went outside the city gate to the river, where we expected to find a place of prayer. We sat down and began to speak to the women who had gathered there. One of those listening was a woman from the city of Thyatira named Lydia, a dealer in purple cloth. She was a worshipper of God. The Lord opened her heart to respond to Paul's message. When she and the members of her household were baptised, she invited us to her home. 'If you consider me a believer in the Lord,' she said, 'come and stay at my house.' And she persuaded us.

Reading Matthew 28: 16-20

Then the eleven disciples went to Galilee, to the mountain where Jesus had told them to go. When they saw him, they worshipped him; but some doubted. Then Jesus came to them and said, 'All authority in heaven and on earth has been given to me. Therefore go and make disciples of all nations, baptising them in the name of the Father and of the Son and of the Holy Spirit, and teaching them to obey everything I have commanded you. And surely I am with you always, to the very end of the age.'

Notices

↪ **Can you help?** *Over the past 3 years we have invested a great deal of time and money in improving our buildings for our community. It is important that we maintain standards. During the summer holidays we plan to clean, maintain and improve them. If you can help with painting, cleaning or DIY tasks, you will be most welcome. Please let Alan Mears or one of the wardens know. Help is needed particularly on 7th – 9th and 21st – 30th August but work at other times is possible.*

- ↪ **Eco church:** as part of our responsibility to care for God's creation the PCC have decided to apply for an Eco Church award and continue our efforts to be environmentally responsible. Many of you will have seen how beautiful our wild life garden is becoming and how well the grounds are looking. We are looking for a volunteer to help develop a wild life feeding station for birds and bird boxes and bat boxes bug hotels and hedgehog boxes. If you would be interested in leading this can you please let Kath know.
- ↪ **Summer Concert for Palestine:** Saturday 3rd August from 6pm onwards at St Bride's Church Percy Street, Liverpool L8 7LT. Featuring Amy Winehouse tribute band and the Greenwich Harpist Glenda Alloway. In aid of St Bride's Building Fund and Medical Aid for Palestine including neonatal projects in Gaza. Tickets £7/5 at the door. Refreshments included.
- ↪ **Beach Life activity at Crosby Marina:** with Scripture Union and NWBA (North West Baptist Association). Please spread the word and come and find us! Tue 6th - Thurs 8th August, 2-4pm at Crosby Marina
- ↪ **Threads of Grace** – St Michael's Church Hall, 12th August, 12noon to 2.30pm. An illustrated talk on lace making and a chance to make a small item yourself. Everything provided – cost is £5. To book, ring Nerys at the Church Office on 0151 924 0561.
- ↪ **Bishop's charge Pray/read/learn - small groups:**
Learn starting 11th September, 7.30pm Wednesday evening "The Bible Course" will run. This is an excellent introduction to the bible and will be followed by a bible study group led initially by Audrey and Kath based in the MTS room.
Read starting 27th September, 11am weekly in the Hub and/or church, Andrew will lead Lifewords, a form of reflective bible study.
Pray Saturday 5th October 10-1pm there will be an introduction to centring prayer; the use of silence in prayer followed by a monthly Sunday evening prayer time from 27th October to be run the fourth Sunday in each month. All three opportunities are going to be great; come along!
- ↪ **McMillan Coffee Morning: Saturday 28th September** – we need help for stalls and cakes. Please see Diane or Barbara if you can help.
- ↪ **Garden Party:** Barbara Thomas is holding a garden party in aid of the Alzheimer's Society on 28th September, 2-4pm. Cost is £5 and includes afternoon tea. There will be a raffle, tombola, crafts, plants, books and bric-a-brac.
- ↪ **PCC away day:** please reserve November 24th in your diaries for the PCC away day. Please bring lunch to share and we will finish at 4pm. The focus will be on mission.

↪ **Shoebox Appeal:** if anyone has any empty shoeboxes and wool to knit hats and adult scarfs, for the Christmas shoe box appeal, please pass to Ailsa.

↪ **Foodbank:** the latest shortages are: LONG LIFE MILK, TINNED TOMATOES, TINNED RICE PUDDING, TINNED FRUIT, TINNED FISH, COFFEE, FRUIT JUICE CARTONS and DILUTABLE ORANGE JUICE. Thank you to all who contribute to this charity. Sadly, the need is greater than ever.

Diary for Next Week

↪ **Monday:** 9.15am -12noon Café Drop; 9.15am Morning prayer; 1.30pm Armchair exercises.

↪ **Tuesday:** 9.15am -12noon Café Drop In & Advice Centre; 9.15 Morning Prayer in the Vestry.

↪ **Wednesday:** 9.15am Morning prayer.

↪ **Friday:** 9.15am – 12noon, Café drop in. 10.30 am Bereavement Course.

Prayer

We remember in our prayers, those who are unwell and with continuing care needs

Dave Rogers	Mark Isherwood	Eric Anderson	Helen Mannion
Don Wylie	Peter Halliwell	Phyllis Bell	Ted Meighen
Frank Kelly	Ken Rimmer	Marion Johnston	Steve Cook
Janet Eastwood	Lisa Hickey-Davies	baby Sonny Campbell	Jess Bruford

We remember family and friends of the bereaved.

We pray for our mission: for our Treasurer and for wise stewardship,

for our mission partners: Church | Pastoral Aid Society,

for world mission: for the children of Yemen where this year, 39,812 suspected cases of cholera have been recorded and at least 193 children have died.

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