

PRESCOT PARISH NEWSLETTER



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. SHARING THE LOVE & LIGHT OF CHRIST IN PRESCOT, THROUGH WORD & ACTION .

Sunday 27 June 2021—Fourth Sunday after Trinity

'For you know the generous act of our Lord Jesus Christ, that though he was rich, yet for your sakes he became poor, so that by his poverty you might become rich.'

2 Corinthians 8.9

Preacher

Revd Jeff Engel

Intercessions

Dyane Basinger

Reader

Diana Crompton

Reading

Old Testament 2 Samuel 1.1,
17-27
Psalm 130
New Testament 2 Corinthians
8.7-15
Gospel Mark 5.21-43

Collect

O God, the protector of all who trust in you, without whom nothing is strong, nothing is holy: increase and multiply upon us your mercy; that with you as our ruler and guide we may so pass through

things temporal that we lose not our hold on things eternal; grant this, heavenly Father, for our Lord Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Post-Communion Prayer

Eternal God, comfort of the afflicted and healer of the broken, you have fed us at the table of life and hope: teach us the ways of gentleness and peace, that all the world may acknowledge the kingdom of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

For your prayers:

- Anniversaries: Marjorie Sedskie, Ricky Landers, Albert Grough
- Baptism: George Willis

NOTICES

THE 17TH ANNUAL PRESCOT FESTIVAL OF MUSIC & THE ARTS

ends today, Sunday 27 June. Thank-you to everyone who has contributed to the past 10 days of online and in-person events. You can still catch up at facebook.com/prescotfestival or prescotfestival.co.uk. Highlights have included a fabulous compilation of

vintage clips—showing more than a century of Prescott life—artwork from Bluebell Park School, performances from the Liverpool Cathedral Festival of Music and an exclusive glimpse of what lies ahead for the Shakespeare North Playhouse, with Laura Collier and Ian Tabbron.



WELCOME TO PRESCOT PARISH CHURCH if you have joined us at our Sung Eucharist as part of the Prescott Festival. The music today includes our own Robert A Howard's choral setting of *Ave verum corpus* and the Finale from Guilman's *First Organ Sonata*. At the end of the service, please remain seated as organist Tim Hall plays the concluding organ voluntary. A sidesperson will usher you out.

PLEASE GIVE A WARM WELCOME TO THE REVEREND KAREN BECK, who has joined the Revd Kim and Fr Jeff on our clergy team. Karen has retired to Prescott and has been licensed by the Bishop of Liverpool to us as an assistant priest, having graciously chosen to share her ministry with us. See the next Prescott Parish Magazine to learn more about her, as she has penned the July 2021 Clergy Letter.

NOTICES YOU MAY HAVE MISSED...

PLANTED PATIO POTS, JAM & MARMALADE are now on sale, as well as a range of fair-trade treats and groceries, and all proceeds go towards church funds. Please contact Ann Capewell on 07561170114 to place your orders.

TIPS FOR STAYING COVID-SAFE IN CHURCH

1. Check in by scanning the QR Code (if you have a smartphone)
2. Pop on your mask & sanitise your hands on entering
3. Give in your name & collect your service sheet

5. Wait for the team to show you to your place, then remain seated
7. Go up for Communion only when asked, keep 2m from the person in front, remove your mask to receive, then replace it, sanitise your hands & follow the one-way system back to your seat
10. Stay seated at the end, & wait to be asked to leave
12. Stay masked & socially distanced as you say your goodbyes outside

THANK-YOU for using the booking system to reserve your place at the Sunday Eucharist. As well as booking online, please be sure to cancel if you find out you can't make it, as this frees up space for others to attend. Details of upcoming services are at prescotparish.eventbrite.co.uk and booking opens at 11am on the Sunday before. If you have any issues using the website or don't have internet access, please call Dave on **07835090752**.

HUYTON DEANERY invites you to take part in 'Living in Love and Faith,' the Church of England's five-week course of sharing, learning and listening around issues of identity, sexuality, relationships, singleness and marriage. Sessions, led by the Revd John Davis, take place from 7pm to 9pm on Tuesdays 15, 22 and 29 June, and 6 and 13 July at St Gabriel's Church, Huyton Quarry, and all are welcome. If you'd like to reserve a place, please email brenda.edwards@huytondeanery.org.

PARKING NOTICE: Please park between the church and the Meeting Room *only* if you're infirm or have a disability, and when parking, please be considerate and leave enough room for others to manoeuvre if they have to leave before you. Parking is permitted on nearby streets and in the shopping centre car park for those who can walk the short distance. This makes a big difference to those who have no alternative but to use the limited parking available outside the west doors.

HOW TO BOOK USING EVENTBRITE

1. Go to prescotparish.eventbrite.co.uk
2. Click the event, then click 'Register'
3. Select the number of people, then click 'Register' again
4. Type in your contact details & those of each attendee (note that Registration 1 is you, so you will fill in your details again)
6. Click 'Register' again
7. Your screen will say 'Thanks for your order,' & if you've entered an email address, you'll receive a confirmation email.

PRESCOT FOODBANK is open 12pm-2pm every Wednesday at the Salvation Army (Ash Grove/Warrington Road). You can leave donations of imperishable foods and toiletries at Prescott Tesco Extra.

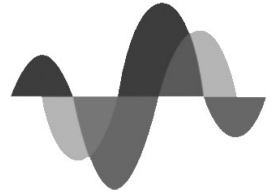
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If you're struggling & need pastoral support or practical help, please contact someone: Revd Kim Mannings—073059223920, revkimberleymannings@gmail.com; David Kernick—07835090752, kernick@gmail.com; Churchwardens: Marian Piert—01512890248; Val Sugden—01514939081, Steve Martin—07921835823. There is also a Knowsley Community Support and Volunteer Line open 9am-5pm Monday-Friday on 08000730043.

LISTENING EAR—SOMEONE TO TALK TO: If you're struggling with any of the following issues and feel you need to talk to a professional counsellor, Listening Ear can help.

Bereavement · Loss · Separation · Depression ·
Anxiety · Low Mood · Anger · Social Isolation
Loneliness · Phobias · Panic Attacks · Stress
Low Self-esteem · Health Anxiety
Domestic Abuse · Financial Worries



Call 0151 488 6648 in confidence, and leave your name and number, and say you found out about the service through a parish church in the Huyton Deanery. They'll call back to arrange an appointment. Visit www.listening-ear.co.uk to find out more.