

## Sermon Notes

### Prayer Diary

#### Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> October

Pray we would be those who live our lives in reverence before God our saviour, and therefore are willing to lay down our rights for the sake of others in the church family.

#### Monday 11<sup>th</sup> October

Pray for the family and friends of Ian Moss as they grieve. Pray especially for his daughter & son, Sharon & Andrew. Pray for his church family to grieve but grieve as those who have hope in Christ.

#### Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October

As we meet to pray this evening pray God will be glorified through our prayers and pray, we feel united together as we pray for the mission of our church, our mission partners and for the wider world.

#### Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October

Pray for the community lunch today. Pray everyone attending will enjoy themselves. Pray for those coming on their own, pray they will have people to talk to and start building friendships.

#### Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> October

Pray for Open Doors working with persecuted Christians. Pray for believers in Afghanistan. Pray they persevere in their faith. Pray for safety, security, strength, and opportunities to speak of their faith.

#### Friday 15<sup>th</sup> October

Pray for those in our church family who are struggling with illness and bereavement. Pray for healing and comfort. Pray they know 'God is our refuge and strength, an ever-present help in trouble.' Psalm 46:1

#### Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> October

Pray our harvest service tomorrow will be a great celebration of thankfulness as we reflect on all God has done for us through Jesus. Pray we respond with grateful hearts in worship to Him.

### Useful Contacts

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ST SIMON  
& ST JUDE  
WITH ALL SOULS

W E L C O M E

**Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> October**

**9am Service of the Word**

**11am Communion**

**Nehemiah 5-6 'The enemy within'**

**COVID-19 & Services**

Thank you for coming - we're delighted to have you with us!

We've done everything we can to make our services as safe and welcoming as possible. The wearing of mask is optional but there are disposable ones by the door if you have forgotten yours.

We ask that windows remain open and if you require more space, please put this notice sheet on the seat next to you. Please follow the one-way system and leave by the Fire Exit at the front of the building. Please stay around for a chat afterwards in the car park.

Our 11am service is livestreamed for those who cannot make it in-person due to ill health etc. You can email [admin@stsimonsouthport.org.uk](mailto:admin@stsimonsouthport.org.uk) for a link.

*Our Vision Statement*

**"To call people into a loving  
community that follows Jesus Christ"**

[www.stsimonsouthport.org.uk](http://www.stsimonsouthport.org.uk)

## LIFE LIVED TOGETHER IN COMMUNITY

One of the great blessings of the Christian life is that God has designed life to be lived in community. We want to make the most of that at St Simon's and encourage everyone to commit to coming to church to meet in-person, week-by-week. (Hebrews 10v24-25). However, we recognise for a few of us, ill-health or unavoidable work patterns make that hard. If that's you, please email [admin@stsimonsouthport.org.uk](mailto:admin@stsimonsouthport.org.uk) for a link to watch the service live.

Connect groups are also a great way to "do life" together, as we seek to encourage one another to be whole-hearted disciples of Jesus. We have groups that cater for everyone of any age and stage: single-sex groups and mixed; daytime groups and evening groups: a group for 18-30s and a group with a creche. Please let Andy Liggins know if you'd like to know more.

## MISSED A SERMON RECENTLY?

All our sermons are available to listen to via our website, [www.stsimonsouthport.org.uk](http://www.stsimonsouthport.org.uk). Or you can watch a video of the sermon, available from a Monday morning on our YouTube channel (search YouTube for "St Simon and St Jude with All Souls").

## ADMIN CHANGES

We're grateful to Lorna Norcross who is now helping Laura Arch with the admin. She can be contacted through the usual admin email address.

## HARVEST THANKSGIVING & GIFT DAY

**Sunday 17<sup>th</sup> October - Nehemiah 6:15-7:73**  
**'Thankful giving'**

**9am Communion**

**11am Service (with groups for 0-16s)**

This year our Gift Day will go towards both supporting a church building project, via Helen Sheridan (Crosslinks mission partner), and covering the cost of new Bible's for St Simon's. Please read the letter enclosed with this notice sheet for more information and details of how to give. If you need another copy, please contact [admin@stsimonsouthport.org.uk](mailto:admin@stsimonsouthport.org.uk)

There will also be a harvest food collection, with items given going to the work of the Food Pantry & Foodbank

## NEW WEEKLY PRAYER MEETING

**Thursday mornings – 8am**

We'll be meeting every week in the Jude Room and finished by 8.30am. If you would like to join via Zoom or if a different time might suit better, please let us know.

## PRAYER MEETING

**Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> October – 7.30pm**

This month we'll be meeting in the building to pray for the work of St Simon's and for our mission partners around the world.

## COMMUNITY LUNCH

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> October - 12.30pm.**

Do you know anyone who is on their own and would appreciate an invitation to join us for a good lunch with friends? All are welcome and there is no charge. Ring Gina Abram 01704 228814 or 07761532762 for more information.



## Is this your first time?

Hello & welcome!  
Thank you so much for joining with us

## Need anything?

Ask one of our welcome team who will be happy to help.

## Young Children

Groups for 3-16s are held in the hall during the 11am service. Children will leave for their groups after about 10minutes. We also run a supervised creche for under 3s.

## Hearing difficulties?

A hearing loop is installed.

## Mobile Phones

Please turn them off or to silent.

## Livestream

Please note that anyone appearing at the front of church will be seen on the livestream.