

Sermon Notes

Prayer Diary

Sunday 28th November

Pray we seek to live lives empowered by the Spirit. Pray we would repent of the times when we try to change by ourselves and without Jesus' help.

Monday 29th November

Pray for our Connect group leaders: Julie, Tom, Bea, Pete, Cuan & Laura, Mike, Lydia, Andy, Robert & Linda, and Rebecca. Pray God will equip them as they help their group understand God's word.

Tuesday 30th November

Pray for Ladies Christian Fellowship. Pray friendships will grow and pray the ladies will encourage each other as they follow Christ.

Wednesday 1st December

Pray for those in our church family who are struggling with illness and bereavement. Pray for healing and comfort. Pray they 'Look to the Lord and His strength; seek his face always.' 1 Chronicles 16:11

Thursday 2nd December

Pray for Helen Sheridan, our Crosslinks mission partner. Pray for the friendship she has with ladies from the community in Castlebar, Ireland. Pray she will have more opportunities to read the Bible with them.

Friday 3rd December

Pray for those in our parish who are feeling under pressure due to the expensive expectations of Christmas. Pray they will be able to budget and plan and not overstretch themselves. Pray they will seek the real meaning of Christmas and find their joy in Jesus.

Saturday 4th December

Pray that we use this period of advent to spend more time with God, reading the Christmas narrative and being awed by God's redeeming grace and refreshed by the hope of Gods promised king.

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ST SIMON
& ST JUDE
WITH ALL SOULS

W E L C O M E

Sunday 28th November – Advent Sunday

9am Communion

11am Morning Service

Nehemiah 13 – Dealing with Failure

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 feel free to stay around for tea and coffee, served at the back of the building (9am) or in the hall (11am).

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 for a link.

Our Vision Statement

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

www.stsimonsouthport.org.uk

CHRISTMAS AT ST SIMON'S

Join with us in celebrating and sharing the hope of Jesus this Christmas!

You can find more details of all the following services and events in our Christmas leaflet and on our website.

Nativity Service

Sunday 12th December, 11am.

Children's Activity Afternoon

Saturday 18th December, 2pm.

Carols by Candlelight

Sunday 19th December, 6.30pm

Christingle

Christmas Eve, 4pm

Midnight Communion

Christmas Eve, 11.15pm

Christmas Day

10.30am all age service

Boxing Day

10.30am, recorded online service

NORTH WEST PARTNERSHIP ANNUAL CONFERENCE 2022

Saturday 22nd January 2022 10.00am – 4:30pm

“**Delighting in Christ**” – a whole family event with teaching, singing and prayers, alongside children's groups for 5-16s and a parent-led creche for 0-4s.

Venue: The Edge, Wigan

Speaker: Ray Ortlund

Tickets: under 16s free, £15 for over 16s

More details and booking information

www.northwestpartnership.com

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 5th December

Luke 1v1-25

9am Service of the Word

11am Communion (with groups 0-16)

CAROL SINGING IN THE PARISH

Sunday 5th December, 6.00pm

Thursday 9th December, 7.00pm

Join us to sing carols and help deliver our Christmas leaflets around the parish. Meet at the church building for the start time - we'll sing and deliver for about an hour.

The vast majority of the Christmas leaflets will need delivering outside of these times. Please take a bundle from the back of the church building to deliver this week and next

SHOE BOX APPEAL

If you have any empty shoeboxes, spare wrapping paper or items to go in shoeboxes you would like to donate Youthy would be very grateful! Please see Julie (07707 011280)

ADVENT READING



The Dawn of Redeeming Grace

By Sinclair Ferguson

Only £6

Each daily reflection is full of insight and application and will help you to arrive at Christmas Day awed by God's redeeming grace and refreshed by the hope of God's promised King. This book is easy to read, the reflections are short and each one ends with a prayer and a hymn. Copies are available on our bookstall, or you can contact Cuan Arch on 0789411727 and he can deliver a copy to you.



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.