

Sermon Notes

Prayer Diary

Sunday 24th April

Pray we would be encouraged to live in light of our eternal hope. "Therefore my dear brothers and sisters, stand firm. Let nothing move you. Always give yourselves fully to the work of the Lord because you know that your labour in the Lord is not in vain" (1Cor 15:58)

Monday 25th April

Pray for our Girls' and Boys' brigade children, that they enjoy meeting together and listen to the Bible stories, hear the Gospel and respond. Pray friendships will be formed with the parents/carers and leaders.

Tuesday 26th April

Pray for our Connect groups. As they study the Passion for Life series, pray they will feel confident to invite friends and family along to church. Pray the Connect group members care for one another, offer support to each other, growing closer together and to Christ.

Wednesday 27th April

Pray for Helen Sheridan in Ireland. Pray the work she is doing with children and women bears fruit and she sees people saved for God's glory.

Thursday 28th April

Pray for those in our church family who are mourning. Pray they know 'The Lord is close to the broken hearted and saves those who are crushed in spirit.' Psalm 34:18, pray for comfort and peace.

Friday 29th April

Pray for those in our church family who are struggling with illness, fear, and anxiety. Pray for healing and comfort. Pray they 'trust in the Lord forever, for the Lord, the Lord himself, is the Rock eternal.' Isaiah 26:4

Saturday 30th April

Pray for our Christian brothers and sister in Ukraine as they meet tomorrow. Pray for protection, pray they are encouraged and comforted as they hear God's word preached and can keep pointing each other to Jesus.

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& ST JUDE
WITH ALL SOULS

W E L C O M E

Sunday 24th April 2022

9.15am & 11.00am
Communion Service
1 Corinthians 15:50-58

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. Should you wish to wear mask 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 (9.15am) 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

**"GROW to know and love God so *that* we
GO to live and speak for Jesus"**

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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 for a link to watch the service live. To catch up on a missed sermon, head to our website or YouTube channel.

A PASSION FOR LIFE 2022 **UPDATE**

**A month of mission.
A lifetime of evangelism.
A passion for life.**

Jesus said that he had come so that his people "may have life and have it to the full" (John 10:10). This June we want to take the opportunity to offer life through Jesus to those we know and love.

On Sunday 5th June we'll be holding a **Jubilee celebration, with a Jubilee picnic lunch** afterwards. It's a chance to invite people to celebrate the life of Her Majesty the Queen, who herself finds life in Jesus.

On Sundays 12th, 19th and 26th June our services will include interviews, testimonies and talks aimed at showing the goodness of life with Jesus and how we receive it. We'll make a special effort to make those services easily accessible to the person coming along for the first time.

Watch this space for more details about Men's & Ladies nights, children's and youth events and over-60s.

Feel free to speak to the Passion for Life team (Gemma Cummins, Lydia Johnson, Andy Liggins & Ian Singleton) to find out more or share some ideas.

Visit www.apassionforlife.org.uk to find out more about what's happening around the UK and Ireland.

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 1st May – Titus 1:1-4 – "You can change"

9:15am Communion service

11.00am Morning service (with groups for 0-16s)

BASSENFELL WEEKEND AWAY

Friday 2nd September to Sunday 4th September

Adults £70; 5-16s £35; and under 5s £10. For more information and to book pick up a leaflet and speak to Alex Swarbrick 07762 440311 or Clare Singleton 07855600759

DATES FOR THE DIARY

Saturday 7th May Teaching morning: Revival!

Once a term the North West Gospel Partnership host Saturday training morning's which are open to all. May's training morning is an opportunity to explore biblical teaching about revival and study some of the occurrences of revival in church history with the aim of inspiring in us a renewed hunger for a true, powerful gospel-centred work of God in our nation.

When? 9.30am-1pm. **Where?** St Andrew's Leyland.

Cost? £5

Sunday 8th May Church Family Prayer Meeting

6.45-8pm. A chance to gather together to sing and pray for the work God is calling us to at St Simon's. We'll be particularly focussing on praying for A Passion for Life.

Please note:

From this term Andy Liggins will be having Saturday as his day off instead of Wednesday.



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 4-16s 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.