

SERMON NOTES

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PRAYER DIARY

Monday 14th October

Thank God that out of the ruin of our sin and through judgement, God brings hope of restoration with him (Isaiah 3-4).

Tuesday 15th October

Pray for our wardens Keith and Rob. Pray for Godly wisdom as they work with Andy to help lead our church and care for our people. Pray they continue to keep their eyes on Jesus.

Wednesday 16th October

Pray for everyone living on Tarleton Road. Pray they have an opportunity to hear the Gospel and respond. Pray for Christians in the area to come alongside them to show them Jesus.

Thursday 17th October

Pray for Open Doors working with persecuted Christians around the world. Pray for Christians in China, it is illegal to buy and sell bibles online, laws have become much stricter. Pray those in prison will be released, laws will be changed and Bibles will become readily available.

Friday 18th October

Pray for the Men's curry and darts evening, pray friends come along. Pray for good conversations that show the difference Jesus makes.

Saturday 19th October

Pray for Robert & Linda's connect group. Pray they keep encouraging each other to remember God is in control, He is the same everyday and will provide. Pray they care and support each other well.

Sunday 20th October

Pray our worship this morning and everyday of our lives is pleasing to God. Pray we live and speak for Jesus.

ST SIMON
& ST JUDE
WITH ALL SOULS

WELCOME

SUNDAY 13TH OCTOBER 2024

BIBLE READING: ISAIAH 3:1-4:6

"WHEN HOPE RISES FROM THE ASHES"

9:15AM COMMUNION SERVICE

11:00AM SERVICE WITH GROUPS

FOR 0-16S

Thank you for coming

- we're delighted to have you with us!

We would love you to stay around for tea and coffee, served at the back of the church (9.15am) or in the hall (11am).

Our 11am service is livestreamed for those who cannot make it in-person due to ill health.

Search for @stsimonandstjudewithallsouls on YouTube.

We have weekly church activities for all ages. To be kept up to date, please pick up and fill in a blue welcome card, which can be found in the entrance hall.

OUR VISION STATEMENT

GROW to know and love God

so that we

GO to live and speak for Jesus

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HARVEST & GIFT DAY

Today is our Harvest & Gift Day. The money given will go to support the work of Children For Christ Ministries in Malawi and also towards buying a building for Central Church Warrington.

If you've not already, please collect a Gift Day pack, which contains more information both about what the money given will support and also how to respond. We'll be receiving responses up to and including **Sunday 3rd November**.

LIGHT PARTY

A free event for all the family, with sweets, games, crafts and 'how we can find light in the darkness'. Hot dogs available for £1. Under 12s need to be accompanied by an adult.

A really easy event to invite friends and family along to.
Thursday 31st October, 6-7.30pm in the church building.

SIERRA LEONE TRIP 2025

International Aid Trust are currently planning a visit to our mission partner, New Hope Church in Sierra Leone, for **14th-25th February 2025**. If you want to know more and would be interested in going, please speak to Julie Rowlandson

PARISH SAFEGUARDING OFFICER

We're very grateful to Lorna Norcross who has now fully taken on the role of Parish Safeguarding Officer from Helena Knapton. If there are any safeguarding concerns or questions, please now talk to Lorna or email her at:
safeguarding@stsimonsouthport.org.uk

If you feel unable to talk to Lorna or she is unavailable for an urgent conversation, please speak to Andy Liggins instead.

NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY 20TH OCTOBER - ISAIAH 5

9.15AM SERVICE OF THE WORD

11.00AM COMMUNION SERVICE

with groups for 0-16s.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Wed 16th Oct	Community Lunch 12.15-2.00pm
Fri 25th Oct	Men's Curry & Darts 7.30pm in the church hall
Thu 31st Oct	Light Party 6-7.30pm
Sun 3rd Nov	Monthly Prayer Meeting 6.45pm-8pm
Sun 10th Nov	Remembrance Sunday 9.15am & 11am services
	Memorial & Thanksgiving 7.30pm service
Sun 17th Nov	Visit from Helen Sheridan Crosslinks mission partner.
Wed 20th Nov	Central Teaching Evening 7.30pm in the church building
Sat 30th Nov	Christmas Market 1pm-4pm

Here for the first time?

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

Need anything?

Ask our welcome team who will be happy to help.

Children & Teens

Junior church groups for 3-5s, 5-7s, 8-10s & 10-16s run during the 11am service. The kids leave for their groups after about 15 minutes. We also have a supervised creche for our 0-3s.

Hearing difficulties?

A hearing loop is available on request.

Livestream

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