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PRAYER DIARY

Monday 6th October

Pray we keep on taking temptation seriously and avoid falling into complacency, instead looking to Christ to daily strengthen and help us. (1 Corinthians 9:24-10:13)

Tuesday 7th October

Pray for the 3-2-1 course tomorrow. Pray hearts will be gripped by the Gospel. Pray the course doesn't just help people to understand Gods word but enables them to love Jesus more.

Wednesday 8th October

Pray for coffee & chat happening today. Pray for friendships to deepen and for Jesús to be spoken of.

Thursday 9th October Pray for Zambesi Mission in Malawi. Give thanks for the new pastors ordained this month. Pray they faithfully preach Gods word and love their church family well. Pray they have access to a bike so they can travel between churches. Pray they are supported financially and are able to provide for their families.

Friday 10th October

Pray for Andy Liggins speaking on the Central Church Warrington weekend away, looking at Ephesians and what it means to 'pray big'. Pray that the fruit might be deeper and richer prayer lives for all.

Saturday 11th October

Pray for all who live on Tarleton Road. Pray they hear and accept the gospel, experiencing the joy and security that comes from following Jesus

Sunday 12th October

As we meet today pray we spur one another on towards love and good deeds. Pray God uses our words and example to bear fruit in the lives of others.



WELCOME

SUNDAY 5TH OCTOBER 1 CORINTHIANS 9:24 - 10:13

Avoiding complacency 9.15am COMMUNION SERVICE 11am MORNING SERVICE & with creche and children's groups 6.45pm Church Family Prayer meeting

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

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

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

Search for estsimonandstjudewithallsouls 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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PRAYER MEETING *TONIGHT*

Join us **6.45pm - 8pm this evening**, for our monthly church f amily prayer meeting. As well as praying for the regular church p rogramme we'll be praying for: the Beacon Church; a mission p artner; and raising up leaders for the next generation.

HOSTING STUDENTS FOR LUNCH

St Simon's attended the Edge Hill University "Church Search" event (2nd Oct) to help students there find a church..

For any students who join us we would like **to offer them a lunch once a month** in a local home. If that's something you would consider committing to, please email Daniel Armond (daniel.armond@stsimonsouthport.org.uk)

CHURCH PARTNERSHIP EVENING

ReNEW is a national movement seeking to grow a nation of healthy, gospel-focused Anglican churches. St Simon's, St Philemon's Toxteth and Central Church Warrington are all churches within Liverpool Diocese linked to ReNEW.

On **Sunday 19th October at 7pm**, Central Church are hosting an evening for these churches to come together to worship, pray and hear updates on how we can continue to partner together for God's glory. Come along to be encouraged!

LIGHT PARTY: 31ST OCTOBER

A free event for all families in the community, with sweets, games, crafts and all-age talk. Under 12s need to be accompanied by an adult. 6-7.30pm in the church building.

Invites available to give out and sign up required to help care well for those who come.

NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY 12TH OCT: 1 CORINTHIANS 10:14-30

9.15am Service of the Word

11am Service with groups for 0-16s

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Sun 5 th Oct	Chamble Family Draws Manting
Sun 5 Oct	Church Family Prayer Meeting 6.45pm-8pm
Wed 8 th Oct	Coffee & Chat 10.30am - 11.45pm
Wed 15 th Oct	Community Lunch 12.15pm – 2pm
Sat 18 th Oct	Ladies night Chat, Connect & Chill 7.30pm church hall
Sun 19 th Oct	Harvest & Gift Day 9.15am and 11am services
	ReNew Churches Partnership Evening 7pm Central Church Warrington
Fri 24 th Oct	Men's night Curry & Chat 7pm church hall
Sun 2 nd Nov	Church Family Prayer Meeting 4pm **New time**
Sun 22 nd Nov	Christmas Market 1pm - 4pm
Sun 30 th Nov	Hush before the rush 7pm

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.