

SERMON NOTES

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PRAYER DIARY

Monday 29<sup>th</sup> April

Pray we continue to humble ourselves, willingly and joyfully putting Jesus first (Luke 14v11).

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April

Pray for all those who live on Fosters Close. Pray they have an opportunity to hear the gospel and respond. Pray for believers to come alongside them to show them Jesus.

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May

Pray for Rob Johnson and Keith Knapton our wardens. Give thanks for their willingness to continue in the role for another year. Pray they set time aside for private prayer and bible study. Pray they can support, challenge, and help Andy in his ministry.

Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> May

Pray for the PCC, especially for new members Lorna Norcross and Julie Rowlandson. Pray for godly wisdom, and prayerful consideration. Pray God is glorified and everything possible is done to work together for the spread of the Gospel.

Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May

Pray for all on the Hope Explored course on Monday night. Pray people come. Pray they see the wonderful hope Jesus offers to all those who accept Him as Lord and Saviour.

Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> May

Pray for Helen Sheridan working with Crosslinks in Ireland. Pray for her and for the church as they face many trials and feel under attack. Pray they continue to look to God for all they need, trusting in his mercy, his power and sovereignty.

Sunday 5<sup>th</sup> May

Give thanks for Andy, Annie, Josh, Micah, and Sophie. Pray they continue to grow in love and in knowledge of God. Pray the children make the decision to follow Jesus and live their lives for him. Pray Andy continues to teach the Bible faithfully. Pray for strength for him as he stands firm for the truth of the Gospel.

ST SIMON  
& ST JUDE  
WITH ALL SOULS

W E L C O M E

SUNDAY 28<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2024

BIBLE READING:

LUKE 13:22-14:11

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 etc. 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

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## EVENTS CALENDAR 2024

St Simons Events calendar for the whole of 2024 is now available on same website page as the notice sheet or you can ask Erin or Annie for a printed version on Sunday mornings.

This calendar will be kept up to date on a monthly basis as new details emerge.

## CLEANING PLEDGES

Thank you to those who pledged their service or some money for the cleaning. We have now revised our rota and have sub-contracted more cleaning with the funds raised.

Please could those who pledged money either pay through their regular giving or pass cash to Ian Singleton.

## CHURCH WEEKEND AWAY

The Church Weekend Away is happening **15<sup>th</sup> 17<sup>th</sup> September** at the Quinta Centre in Shropshire.

Thank you to all those who have booked on to the weekend. If you've not yet done so and would like to come, please pick up a form and return it as soon as possible.

## NEW TO ST SIMON'S?

If you're new to St Simon's or thinking of joining us, then please fill in a welcome card from the table in the entrance hall. You can return it to Andy or someone in the kitchen over coffee. This will ensure you're kept up to date with what happens at St Simon's, as well as making sure you receive the information you want about the different groups and activities here.

## NEXT SUNDAY

### SUNDAY 5<sup>TH</sup> MAY 2024 – LUKE 14:12-24

9.15AM COMMUNION SERVICE

11.00AM SERVICE - WITH GROUPS FOR 0-16s

## CHURCH PRAYER MEETING – 5<sup>TH</sup> MAY

A chance to gather together to sing and pray for the work God is calling us to at St Simon's.

Arrive for a hot drink at 6.45pm, with the prayer meeting starting at 7pm and finishing by 8pm.

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

<b>Sun 5<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Church Prayer Meeting
	6.45-8.00pm

<b>Wed 8<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Coffee & Chat – Over 60s
	10.30-11.45am

<b>Wed 15<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Community Lunch
	12.15-2.00pm

<b>Thu 16<sup>th</sup> May</b>	PCC Meeting
	7.30-9.30pm

<b>Wed 29<sup>th</sup> May</b>	Monthly Maintenance Meeting
	7.00-9.00pm

## 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, 8-11s & 12-16s run during the 11am service. Kids leave for their groups after about 15mins. We also have a supervised creche for our 0-3s.

### Hearing difficulties?

A hearing loop is installed.

### Livestream

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