

SERMON NOTES

PRAYER DIARY

Monday 28th July

Pray that whatever our circumstances, we live wholeheartedly for Christ. Pray that we might value singleness as a gift from God, given to serve him (1 Corinthians 7v17-40).

Tuesday 29th July

Pray for Andy, Annie, Josh, Micah and Sophie as they head off on their holidays. Pray for good weather and for lots of fun. Pray they are refreshed and renewed by their time together in creation.

Wednesday 30th July

Pray we reach our community with the good news of the Gospel. Pray we seek to contact with those we live amongst and show them Jesus. Pray we make the most of every event or group we organise to love, care and comfort.

Thursday 31st July

Pray for Daniel and Abigail as they prepare to move. Pray we help and support them so they feel welcome.

Friday 1st August

Pray for Wellfield Church in Leyland. Pray for their Big Week Out starting on 6th August. Pray lots of people attend and friendships are made. Pray for fine weather, and for those looking into the Christian faith come along to get to know the church family and hear about Jesus.

Saturday 2nd August

Pray for all who live on Roe Lane. Pray they hear and accept the Gospel, experiencing the joy and security that comes from following Jesus

Sunday 3rd August

Pray our worship is pleasing and acceptable to God. Pray we see worship not just as singing together or being at church together but that every part of our lives is worship to God.

USEFUL CONTACTS

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ST SIMON
& ST JUDE

WITH ALL SOULS

WELCOME

SUNDAY 27TH JULY

1 CORINTHIANS 7:17-40

Being single-minded

9.15AM COMMUNION SERVICE

11AM MORNING 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 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 @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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SUMMER READING

Summer is a great chance to **make the time to read a Christian book** that helps us grow as a follower of Jesus. On the website (Resources > Summer Reading 2025) are a selection of books which are available on the St Simon's bookstall.

MINISTRY COORDINATOR

Laura Arch has begun her role as **part-time Ministry Coordinator**. She is also being employed to do some pastoral work with women.

Laura will be working on **Mondays and Wednesdays**. Her email address is laura.arch@stsimonsouthport.org.uk. Give thanks for Laura and pray for her as she begins her role.

WELCOMING DANIEL & ABIGAIL

Daniel and Abigail will be joining us mid-August as Daniel begins his time as Children, Youth and Families Worker. To help welcome them we will be **offering "vouchers"** for things like gardening, DIY help, meals, coffee etc. Blank vouchers are available in the foyer or speak to Annie Liggins

SOUTHPORT TOGETHER

On Tuesday 29th July, a year on from the tragic attacks, some church buildings and other public spaces will be **open for prayer and reflection**.

In consultation with **Canning Road Evangelical church**, we are directing folk to their church building on the 29th July, which will be open between 11am and 3pm for prayer.

NEXT SUNDAY

SUNDAY 3RD AUGUST: PSALM 3

****ONE SERVICE****

10:30AM COMMUNION

with children's activities for 3-10s

SUMMER SERVICES

From Sunday August 3rd there will be **one service at 10.30am**.

Each service will include some **teaching for children**, with 3-10s heading out during the sermon for their own activities. The creche room will be set up for parents to use with under 3s.

The 9.15am and 11am services will resume again from Sunday 14th September.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tue 29th July	Canning Road Church open for prayer 11am-3pm
Sun 3rd Aug	Summer services begin 10.30am
Sun 31st Aug	Church picnic 1pm Devonshire Road Park
5th - 7th Sept	Weekend Away The Quinta, Shropshire

Andy Liggins will be on holiday from Monday 28th July until Tuesday 12th August. If you need to contact someone at St Simon's urgently about a pastoral matter, please be in touch with Elaine Killick (01704 225583)

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.