



The Parish of St Margaret, Holyrood, Prestwich

St. Margaret's, Prestwich & St. George's, Simister

**Sunday 28th June - The Third Sunday after Trinity
(Anniversary Sunday)**

Collect

God our Saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power; hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ. **Amen.**

A Reading from the Book of Samuel

Now the boy Samuel was ministering to the Lord under Eli. The word of the Lord was rare in those days; visions were not widespread. At that time Eli, whose eyesight had begun to grow dim so that he could not see, was lying down in his room; the lamp of God had not yet gone out, and Samuel was lying down in the temple of the Lord, where the ark of God was. Then the Lord called, "Samuel! Samuel!" [a] and he said, "Here I am!" and ran to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call; lie down again." So, he went and lay down. The Lord called again, "Samuel!" Samuel got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." But he said, "I did not call, my son; lie down again." Now Samuel did not yet know the Lord, and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. The Lord called Samuel again, a third time. And he got up and went to Eli, and said, "Here I am, for you called me." Then Eli perceived that the Lord was calling the boy. Therefore, Eli said to Samuel, "Go, lie down; and if he calls you, you shall say, 'Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.'" So, Samuel went and lay down in his place. Now the Lord came and stood there, calling as before, "Samuel! Samuel!" And Samuel said, "Speak, for your servant is listening." 3: 1-10

Hear the gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew.

Whoever welcomes you welcomes me, and whoever welcomes me welcomes the one who sent me. Whoever welcomes a prophet in the name of a prophet will receive a prophet's reward; and whoever welcomes a righteous person in the name of a righteous person will receive the reward of the righteous; and whoever gives even a cup of cold water to one of these little ones in the name of a disciple—truly I tell you, none of these will lose their reward.' 10:40 - end

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Dear friends, I hope that you are keeping well and safe especially with the easing of lockdown and all the changes accompanied with this. The one thing that we can be sure of is that God does not change and is with us always.

Today is our 'Sunday School Anniversary Sunday'. Please look at our website at the photographs that have been sent in. Today we are having a picnic (weather permitting) in our own gardens instead of the usual BBQ in the vicarage gardens. There are some activities for our children to engage in and the opportunity to meet up electronically at 1.00pm. Details will be sent to the parents of the children involved.

There is a service of wholeness and healing today, Sunday 28th June, at 4.00pm, led by Carol on facebook.com/StmaggieP. Please do join us, especially if you have never been to one of these services before.

Private Prayer will take place on Monday evenings from 7.00-8.00pm and Thursday 9.30-10.30 at St. Margaret's Church. You are warmly welcome. But under no pressure to come along. Please ensure that it is safe for you to do so and follow the guidelines.

PCC meeting will take place on Wednesday 1st July 7.30pm, electronically.

If you are interested in confirmation, or know someone who is, please let me or Sue know & we can sort out the practicalities of preparation.

We are collecting food for porch boxes to support those struggling financially. Items can be dropped off at the church door on Thursday, 9.30-10.30am.

Greetings have been sent from St. Andrew's, Cullompton, Devon.

Thank you to Laurel and David for organising the private prayer and all who have contributed to Anniversary Sunday. Thank you to all of you for the love and support that you have given each other and the local community. Every blessing, Deborah

Current news.

Having just adapted to re-opening church for private prayer, the government has now said that places of worship can open for public worship. We are awaiting guidelines both from the government, the Church of England and the Diocese of Manchester. Wardens and clergy are invited to attend a webinar next Thursday led by archdeacon Jean outlining guidelines. Our public worship may be very different to what we are familiar with, but we will keep you informed. For further information, please see attached sheet.

ON-LINE SERVICES

Live-streamed services go out on our Facebook page ONLY:

<https://www.facebook.com/StMaggieP/>

Recorded services go out on many different platforms, including:

<https://www.facebook.com/StMaggieP/>

<https://stmargaretsprestwich.com/blog/>

<https://www.facebook.com/Deborah-says-Hello-754066195096001/>

<https://twitter.com/StMaggieP>

Can't wait for 4th July and a haircut? What about a one-off donation to church with some of the money saved through not going to the hairdressers? Please place gifts in an envelope labelled 'cut and blow' and drop it off at church

NON-ON-LINE SERVICES

Sun 3.00pm afternoon services- Fortnightly from June 7th. Details from Rev Sue. DAILY HOPE is a free phone line of hymns, reflections & prayers- 0800 804 8044

Please Pray For:

The Sick



Nicola Aylett, Barbara Chafer, Joyce Danso, Joan Horgan, David Latham, Robert Lyne, Joan McGeecham Millie Meeley, Alex Orr, Sylvia Plenderleith, Musa Rashid, Leslie Sharpe, Matthew Simmons, Maude Warren, Yvette Wilton.

Ongoing Prayers for Healing & Wholeness

Elizabeth Ann Beck, Dorothy Birtwistle, Laraine Darlington, Philip Dawson, Becky Ginn, Audrey Handley, Peter Henry, Marion Dixon, The Gittins Family, Sheila Harrison, Rev Paul Joyce, Joan Knight, Matilda, Lauren Pott, Martine Rammell, Bill Potts, Susan Rowan, Julie Webster, Alice White, Rev Pauline Whitmarsh, Rev Deborah.

Recently Departed

Joyce Turner

Anniversaries of Death

Neville Dawson, Mary Fitzsimmons, Derek Johnson, Irene McConville, Christina Warrell.

Columbarium Flowers

Mary Fitzsimmons

July 1st

Hymns

Int 819 He's got the whole world in his hands

Comm 814 Hallelu, hallelu

Rec 901 This little light of mine

IF YOU NEED ANY HELP OR SUPPORT PLEASE CONTACT REVD DEBORAH ON 01617732698, REVD SUE ON 07761565428 OR VIA ST. MARGARET'S WEBSITE.

Collections: If you have envelopes, please continue putting into the envelopes as usual & when you return, please bring them to church. Alternatively, if you wish to set up a standing order, please speak to Hedley. We now have a donate button on our website as an additional way of giving.

All notices for next week's Service Sheet to be sent to **David McConville** no later than Tuesday please send to mconvillefamily@uwclub.net

A Prayer for the Re-opening of Church for Private Prayer
Almighty God, we praise you for the many blessings that you have given us through our churches. As we open our doors for private prayer and welcome those who enter, may we recognise you in all who enter. We pray that all who seek you at St. Margaret's and St. George's will find you and be filled with your peace and love. Amen