

Inspiration sheet

your weekly update of what is happening at St Anne's

SUNDAY SERVICES



This Sunday - 24 May

10 am Pentecost: The birth of the church - and the gift of the Holy Spirit; we also witness the baptism of two adults - James and Jessica - and share holy communion.

12 noon Christening: Penelope Oakley-Fryer is welcomed into the church.

Next Sunday - 31 May

10 am Trinity Sunday: We celebrate the three-fold nature of God in our service of Holy Communion.

JUNIOR CHURCH runs during the service in church.
All our services are live streamed; watch via our YouTube

NEWS

Church Memorial Garden: Our thanks and appreciation to Margaret Ward and Louise Pickford, and others, for looking after the young plants and planting them around our Memorial Garden. The old box hedging was removed and now lavender and rosemary plants bordered the place where ashes are buried. It looks lovely.

Hugh Beggs funeral: *Bridget Beggs writes:* Can I say a big thank you to all members of our St Anne's family for the love and support that I and the family have received following Hugh's death last week. We have been overwhelmed with lovely cards saying lovely things about him. Thank you. The funeral will be at St Anne's church on Tuesday 16 June at 12.15 pm followed by cremation.

eSpire magazine: The deadline for your contributions for our monthly church magazine is Sunday 24 May. Please email Howard:
howard.mason1@btopenworld.com

PRAYER & THANKSGIVING

Please email the vicar (alisoncox19@hotmail.com) with prayer requests. Deadline for inclusion in the Inspiration Sheet is 9 am on Saturday.

For those in any kind of need:

- Doreen Cropper; David and Ruth Getgood, the Revd Dr Colin Greene, Darren Armstrong, Eunice Wright, the Revd Julian Heaton, Gemma Tingay, and Head teacher Polly Knight.

For those who have died: For the friends and family of Hugh Beggs has died; Cliff Webb, Christine (cook from our Wednesday lunch club) and Jackie Daniels who died recently.

Adults to be baptised: We pray for James Strachan and Jessica Pullan who will be baptised on Whit Sunday (Pentecost) on Sunday 24 May during the main 10 am service.

For peace: for the conflicts in Iran, Ukraine, Gaza, Israel, and South Sudan.

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EVENTS THIS WEEK:



Bank Monday 25 May

Tuesday 26 May

6 pm Eco Group
6.45 Choir practice
7b pm PCC meeting

Wednesday 27 May

10 am Holy Communion

Thursday 28 May

1.30 pm Craft and chat in the hall

Friday 29 May

Saturday 23 May

9.30 am Morning Prayer via zoom (please email the vicar for the code)

Retreat Day at Whalley Abbey

Come and join us for a peaceful day of prayer in the beautiful environment of Whalley Abbey on **Thursday 11 June** leaving St Anne's at 9.30 am. Sign-up sheet at the back of church; please indicate if you can offer a lift in your car. Costs £37 per person for refreshments and lunch (pay on the day via contactless card reader).

Archdeacon's Visitation: this year's Visitation takes place on Thursday 11 June at 7.30 pm in St Cross Church, Knutsford.

Wedding of Nicole and Darren (who joined us last week with their children) takes place at St Anne's church on Saturday 13 June; do please pray for them.

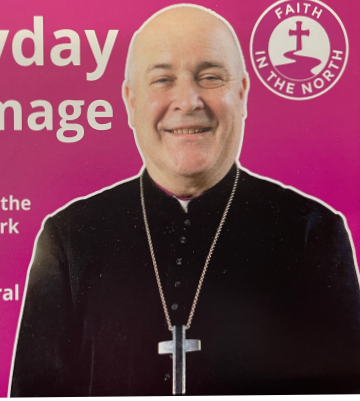
School sports day takes place on the church field on Wednesday 17 June.

Everyday Pilgrimage



An evening of celebration with the Archbishop of York Stephen Cottrell

Chester Cathedral
2 June 2026 7:00pm
All are welcome



EVERYDAY PILGRIMAGE

You are invited to join the Archbishop Stephen, Bishop Mark and Christians of all ages as we celebrate the saints who have shaped

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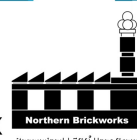
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