



Welcome to St Nicholas' Church, Blundellsands

SUNDAY 4th February

Second Sunday before Lent

<p>Services: 8.30am – Eucharist. Welcome to Brenda Noble who is on placement with us as part of her Ordination training 10.30am – Eucharist with Prayer Ministry 5.00pm – Soul Food 6.30pm – Janet takes the Eucharist at St Michael's 7.00pm – The Bridge</p>	<p>Hymns: 716 We have a gospel 361 Jesus stand among us 463 My song is love unknown 104 Christ triumphant</p>
<p>Please remember the following in your prayers:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Maria Heptonstall, Amy Flowerdew, Daisy Hennessey, Ethel Hesketh, Baby Eva, Vera Johnson, Ben Blanchflower, Stephanie Cater, Nicky Kirby, Janet Humphries, Margaret Williams, & William Dobie • Bereaved families of David Southern, Ethel Duckers and Linda Maxwell <p><i>If you would like us to pray for someone, please put their name in the book by the Prayer Tree at the back of church</i></p>	<p>Readers: 8.30am – Stephen Bailey 10.30am – Peter Batey</p> <p>Prayers: 8.30am – Clergy 10.30am – Shirley Fairclough</p> <p>New Chairs & Tables for the Back of Church Once the restoration work is finished, we would like to buy some new tables and chairs for the back of church. The chairs will cost £39.60 each (inc VAT), tables work out at £206.40 each. Donations would be much appreciated and the proceeds of the Promise Auction will go towards this.</p>
<p>This coming week: Mon 5th Card Class 7.30pm Heart & Soul planning meeting Tues 6th/Wed 7th Ravi is on Curacy training Wed 8th 9.00am Church open 10.15am Eucharist in the hall 1.30pm JUICE playgroup Thurs 9th 9.00am Morning Prayer Next Sunday 8.30am Eucharist 10.30am Eucharist 5.00pm Toddler Church</p>	<p>Thank you to all who attended the Auction, to Peter for being the auctioneer and to Steve Bailey for setting up.</p> <p>Capernwray Visit. Feb 23rd to March 4th URGENT HELP NEEDED! We have a team of 4 coming to help us at the end of the month. We need help with: 4 offers of bed and breakfast; various meals through the week; someone to take them back to Capernwray after lunch on March 4th; deliver leaflets with the team; cake making for an Afternoon Tea on Thurs 1st March. Please speak to Janet or sign up at the back of church TODAY if possible!!</p>
<p>Quiz Night and Supper – Saturday 3rd March at 7.30pm Tickets available today. Adults £5, Children £1. Supper included but bring your own drinks and glasses. Raffle prize donations to Steve Bailey please. Proceeds to be shared with St Nicholas' School to help pay for an all-weather running track.</p>	<p>On Monday 26th Feb at 8pm, there will be a meeting in the church hall about setting up a Well being group. This will be to help those who have experienced mental health issues or have a family member who struggles. Kathy Smith will share her experiences and explore some things that may help.</p>
<p>Lent Group: 'Churches Together' This year, we are trying something different. Each church will host a session, to which we are ALL invited. Two or three members of the church will speak about their faith and there will be a question and answer time as we try to understand the different ways we express our faith</p> <p>Tues 20th Feb 7.00pm St Joseph's Tues 27th Feb 7.00 pm St Nicholas' Tues 6th March 7.00 pm Eshe Rd URC Tues 13th March 2.00pm St Michael's Tues 20th March 7.00pm Blundellsands Methodist Tues 27th March 7.00pm Warren Rd URC</p>	<p>An Evening with Noel & Tricia Richards A concert featuring songs and conversation about life, love, friendship and faith from the writers of 'All Heaven Declares'. 'By Your Side', 'You Laid Aside your Majesty and many more... at St John's C.E. Church, 627 Liverpool Rd, Ainsdale PR8 3NG, Saturday 10th March at 7.30pm (doors open at 7pm). Tickets £8 via the website: www.stjohnsainsdale.org.uk</p> <p>Greatest Story Ever Told Launch Night (In Another Place) For the event which will take place in July. Thurs 8th February from 7pm to 8.30pm, St Luke's Crosby Everyone is invited to be involved in some way!</p> <p>The Apprenticeship Hub invites you to Lakeside Centre, Fairway, Southport PR9 0LA for a free event aimed at helping you to explore opportunities to train and develop in such things as Apprenticeships. Sat 10th Feb from 10am to 3pm – registration /coffee from 9.30am</p>