

Parish Diary

Monday, 16th

- 09:30 - St John's Community Centre 🕒 Shine Toddler Group

Tuesday, 17th

- 13:00 - St Stephen's ☩ Funeral for W. Pointon
- 19:30 - St Stephen's Pillar Room - One Voice 🎵

Wednesday, 18th (Ash Wednesday)

- 10:15 - Holy Trinity - 🕒 🍷 Holy Communion
- 19:30 - St Stephen's - 🕒 🍷 Holy Communion Lent Course Intro

Thursday, 19th

- 11:00 - Holy Trinity ☩ Funeral R. Gibson
- 11:00 - Christine T - Bible and Brew - Life Group 📖
- 13:15 - Chappell Centre - Mossley Mothers Union 👩👧
- 18:00 - Online Prayer Meeting on Zoom 🌐 🙏

Friday, 20th

- 12:00 - St John's Community Centre - Luncheon Club 🕒

Sunday, 22nd. See Notice sheet.

Lent Information

The Lent course is on Wednesdays at 19:30 in St Stephen's Pillar Room from Ash Wednesday through to Holy Week. The course booklet is available at <https://bit.ly/ASCLent26>

Lectio 365 Lent Series, plus church resources, The Desert Fathers and Mothers. Lent resources from Lectio 365 and 24-7 Prayer. Can also be found on the Lectio 365 App or Link

https://lectio365.com/desertresources/?utm_source=lectio-365&utm_medium=app&utm_campaign=lent-2026

Parish Events, Notices, Messages & Congratulations

The 2026 season of coffee mornings at St. Stephen's Church

will start on Saturday, 7th March, 10 am - 1 pm. There will be a raffle, cake and book stalls, and the proceeds are to be donated to Ruby's Fund. Any donations of cakes and raffle prizes would be greatly appreciated. Janet Casey

Jesus: the evidence - a free event at New Life Church, West Road, Congleton CW12 4EY

Friday 20th February 7 pm.

Accessible to non-Christians and Christians alike. This presentation draws upon historical, textual and archaeological research to present the evidence pointing to Jesus being the Son of God in a clear, rational manner.

Lent Prayer Walking

Lent begins on 18th Feb.

Over Lent, there is an opportunity to pray for your neighbours, either by prayer walking the streets around you or from the comfort of your own home. The aim is to cover the whole Parish in prayer intentionally.

Each week of Lent, set aside half an hour or so to walk and pray for your local area.

If possible, ask someone you know to walk the area with you.

There are sign-up sheets at the back of the church.

Sign up for the streets you aim to pray for, and as the week goes on, keep checking the list to fill the gaps.

Speak Out Stay Safe - Sean Augustin will be visiting St Barnabas Church, Crewe, CW1 3HX, on **Tuesday, March 3rd at 7 p.m.** He will be presenting the diocesan campaign 'Speak Out, Stay Safe' and answering any questions, providing further advice, or offering support within our church communities





Prayer Corner

PRAYING for you, praying for everyone.



#candleofhope

★ If you know of someone who would appreciate prayer during one of our services and has given their permission, please let a welcomer/church warden/reader know on arrival so the person leading intercessions can add the name to the prayers that day. Spread the word because prayer is important.

Please Pray...

Fiona has asked that we pray, Father God. We pray that things be set up as well as possible in the Parish. And that adjustments to a new place and quieter pace of life will go as smoothly as possible. AMEN

Other News

St Stephen's Wi Fi. Situated in the Pillar Room on the notice board through the double doors on the left-hand side above the radiator, you can find this QR code and Password, or scan here.



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Requests for notices need to be received by 17:30 on **Wednesday**

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Website: <https://www.allsaintscongleton.org.uk>

All Saints – All Week - From Sunday 15th February

Second Sunday Before Lent

Sunday 15th Feb

(Theme - The Dreamer Legacy, not Limitation)

Genesis 50:15-26

Matthew 17:1-9

09:15-09:25 St Stephen's - 🙏 Prayer in the Lady Chapel

09:30-10:20 St Stephen's - 🍷🕊️ One Service Holy

Communion

10:30-11:00 St Stephen's - ☕🍪 Refreshments

11:00-12:00 St Stephen's Morning Worship

11:00-12:00 St Peter's - Space & Time (Acceptance)

16:00

St John's Community Centre Messy Church

Lent 1

Sunday 22nd Feb

(Theme - Call to repentance)

Joel 2:12-17

Matthew 4 1-11

09:15-09:25 St Stephen's - 🙏 Prayer in the Lady Chapel

09:30-10:20 St Stephen's - One Service

10:30-11:00 St Stephen's - ☕🍪 Refreshments

11:00-12:00 St Stephen's – Holy Communion 🕊️🍷

11:00-12:00 St Peter's - Space & Time (Despair)

15:00 St Stephen's Baptism Prep Session 1

16:30 St Stephen's Baptism Prep Session 2