

Notices

Pink Afternoon Tea is being held on Monday 10th August at 2pm in the Mary Bass Room in support of Prevent Breast Cancer—All our welcome!

Coffee, Cake and Crochet is on the second Saturday of each month, 10am to 12 noon. Charge is £5.

The Home Group continues to offer a hybrid delivery, both in person and online. Every Wednesday evening, starting at 6:30pm, online or meeting at the Deanery Office at 6:15 pm in person. Refreshments available, hope to see you there. For more information, please contact via email at BibleStudy@allsaintsholbeach.org.uk

There is a display of **sixth form art work** in the church, inspired by visits the students have made to the church in the past few weeks. There is a small notebook by one of the boards for any comments you may wish to make. The work you see is part of their work for final exams and hopefully the display will be kept in the church for a few months.

The church will only be open for 2 hours each weekday during the school summer holidays. There is a list of opening hours on the gate in the North Porch and details below.

Due to antisocial behaviour within the building when it is unattended the PCC regret that the church will now only be open for visitors and private prayer at the following times:

Summer Holidays

Monday, Tuesday and Thursdays 2-4pm

Wednesdays 10.30am-12.30pm

Friday and Saturdays 10am-12pm

Term Time

Weekdays 9am-3pm

Saturdays 10am-12pm

Sundays for Services Only

We are sorry for any inconvenience that this reluctant decision has caused.

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All Saints Church, Holbeach Trinity 9 2nd August 2026



We are an inspiring and inclusive place of worship at the heart of the community. We hope and pray that you will find this place a blessing to you, a place of worship, a place to encounter God, a place of community and above all, a place of welcome.

Gluten free wafers available on request.

Do join us for refreshments after the 10.30 service.

Today

11.00am Café Church

Leader and Preacher ALMs

Hymns 147 Deep Within My Heart

298 I Am A New Creation

212 God Forgave My Sin

830 I'm Accepted, I'm Forgiveness

695 To God Be The Glory

18.30pm Holy Communion (BCP)

Leader and Preacher Revd Paul Carey-Slater

Hymns 588 Praise And Thanksgiving

491 O God Of Bethel

172 Fill Your Hearts With Joy & Gladness

Please note: This church has a hearing loop installed. Please place any donations to the church in the plate on the way into church.

For your Prayers

For the Sick Ruth, Raymond & Anastasia Winter, Matti Corrado, Sarah Abiss, Roger Qusted, Harry Pollard, Ann Onyett, John Bambury, Andrew Dean, Nicki Thomson, Sallyanne Sudlow, Janusz Slawinski, Margaret Mears, Val Abiss, Jeff Evans,

The Recently Departed Dawn Ladbroke

In Memoriam David Duncan, Gordon Howes, Raymond Le-Mann

The week ahead

Tues 4th - 6.30pm - M&O Meeting

Weds 5th - 09.30am - Morning Prayer

Fri 7th - 9.00am - Morning Prayer followed by Open Prayer

Services for 9th August - Trinity 10

10.30am Holy Communion - Revd Nick Nawrocki

COLLECT

Almighty God,
who sent your Holy Spirit
to be the life and light of your Church:
open our hearts to the riches of your grace,
that we may bring forth the fruit of the Spirit
in love and joy and peace;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

FIRST READING Isaiah 55.1-5

Ho, everyone who thirsts,
come to the waters;
and you that have no money,
come, buy and eat!
Come, buy wine and milk
without money and without price.
Why do you spend your money for that which is not
bread,
and your labour for that which does not satisfy?
Listen carefully to me, and eat what is good,
and delight yourselves in rich food.
Incline your ear, and come to me;
listen, so that you may live.
I will make with you an everlasting covenant,
my steadfast, sure love for David.
See, I made him a witness to the peoples,
a leader and commander for the peoples.
See, you shall call nations that you do not know,
and nations that do not know you shall run to you,
because of the Lord your God, the Holy One of Israel,
for he has glorified you.

PSALM 145.8-9, 15-end

⁸ The Lord is gracious and merciful,
slow to anger and abounding in steadfast love.
⁹ The Lord is good to all,
and his compassion is over all that he has made.
¹⁵ The eyes of all look to you,
and you give them their food in due season.
¹⁶ You open your hand,
satisfying the desire of every living thing.
¹⁷ The Lord is just in all his ways,
and kind in all his doings.
¹⁸ The Lord is near to all who call on him,
to all who call on him in truth.
¹⁹ He fulfils the desire of all who fear him;
he also hears their cry, and saves them.
²⁰ The Lord watches over all who love him,
but all the wicked he will destroy.
²¹ My mouth will speak the praise of the Lord,
and all flesh will bless his holy name for ever and
ever.

SECOND READING Romans 9.1-5

I am speaking the truth in Christ—I am not lying; my
conscience confirms it by the Holy Spirit— I have
great sorrow and unceasing anguish in my heart. For I
could wish that I myself were accursed and cut off
from Christ for the sake of my own people, my kindred
according to the flesh. They are Israelites, and to
them belong the adoption, the glory, the covenants,
the giving of the law, the worship, and the
promises; to them belong the patriarchs, and from
them, according to the flesh, comes the Messiah, who
is over all, God blessed for ever. Amen.

GOSPEL Matthew 14.13-21

Now when Jesus heard this, he withdrew from there
in a boat to a deserted place by himself. But when the
crowds heard it, they followed him on foot from the
towns. When he went ashore, he saw a great crowd;
and he had compassion for them and cured their
sick. When it was evening, the disciples came to him
and said, 'This is a deserted place, and the hour is
now late; send the crowds away so that they may go
into the villages and buy food for themselves.' Jesus
said to them, 'They need not go away; you give them
something to eat.' They replied, 'We have nothing
here but five loaves and two fish.' And he said, 'Bring
them here to me.' Then he ordered the crowds to sit
down on the grass. Taking the five loaves and the two
fish, he looked up to heaven, and blessed and broke
the loaves, and gave them to the disciples, and the
disciples gave them to the crowds. And all ate and
were filled; and they took up what was left over of the
broken pieces, twelve baskets full. And those who ate
were about five thousand men, besides women and
children.

POST COMMUNION

Holy Father,
who gathered us here around the table of your Son
to share this meal with the whole household of God:
in that new world where you reveal the fullness of
your peace,
gather people of every race and language
to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our
Lord.