

Notices

On Thursday 13th August there will be a service and tea party for residents and staff of **Holbeach Hospital** in church.

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 10 9th 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

10.30am Holy Communion

Leader and Preacher Revd Nick Nawrockyi

Hymns 352 Jesus Is Lord! Creations Voice

347 Jesus Calls Us: O'er The Tumult

144 Dear Lord And Father of Mankind

Anthem **Be Still My Soul**

Hymns 576 Put Thou Thy Trust In God

153 Eternal Father, Strong To Save

***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 Quested, 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 Brian Robinson, Ron Henderson

The week ahead

Mon 10th - 2.00pm - Charity Afternoon Tea

Weds 12th - 09.30am - Morning Prayer

Thurs 13th - 12.00pm - Holbeach Hospital Service

Fri 14th - 9.00am - Morning Prayer followed by Open Prayer

Services for 16th August - Trinity 11

10.30am Holy Communion - Revd Mike Ongyerth

COLLECT

Let your merciful ears, O Lord,
be open to the prayers of your humble servants;
and that they may obtain their petitions
make them to ask such things as shall please you;
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 1 Kings 19.9-18

At that place he came to a cave, and spent the night there.

Then the word of the Lord came to him, saying, 'What are you doing here, Elijah?' He answered, 'I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.'

He said, 'Go out and stand on the mountain before the Lord, for the Lord is about to pass by.' Now there was a great wind, so strong that it was splitting mountains and breaking rocks in pieces before the Lord, but the Lord was not in the wind; and after the wind an earthquake, but the Lord was not in the earthquake; and after the earthquake a fire, but the Lord was not in the fire; and after the fire a sound of sheer silence. When Elijah heard it, he wrapped his face in his mantle and went out and stood at the entrance of the cave. Then there came a voice to him that said, 'What are you doing here, Elijah?' He answered, 'I have been very zealous for the Lord, the God of hosts; for the Israelites have forsaken your covenant, thrown down your altars, and killed your prophets with the sword. I alone am left, and they are seeking my life, to take it away.' Then the Lord said to him, 'Go, return on your way to the wilderness of Damascus; when you arrive, you shall anoint Hazael as king over Aram. Also you shall anoint Jehu son of Nimshi as king over Israel; and you shall anoint Elisha son of Shaphat of Abel-meholah as prophet in your place. Whoever escapes from the sword of Hazael, Jehu shall kill; and whoever escapes from the sword of Jehu, Elisha shall kill. Yet I will leave seven thousand in Israel, all the knees that have not bowed to Baal, and every mouth that has not kissed him.'

PSALM 85.8-13

8 Let me hear what God the Lord will speak,
for he will speak peace to his people,
to his faithful, to those who turn to him in their hearts.
9 Surely his salvation is at hand for those who fear him,
that his glory may dwell in our land.
10 Steadfast love and faithfulness will meet;
righteousness and peace will kiss each other.
11 Faithfulness will spring up from the ground,
and righteousness will look down from the sky.
12 The Lord will give what is good,
and our land will yield its increase.
13 Righteousness will go before him,
and will make a path for his steps.

SECOND READING Romans 10.5-15

Moses writes concerning the righteousness that comes from the law, that 'the person who does these things will live by them.' But the righteousness that comes from faith says, 'Do not say in your heart, "Who will ascend into heaven?"' (that is, to bring Christ down) 'or "Who will descend into the abyss?"' (that is, to bring Christ up from the dead). But what does it say?

'The word is near you,

on your lips and in your heart'

(that is, the word of faith that we proclaim); because if you confess with your lips that Jesus is Lord and believe in your heart that God raised him from the dead, you will be saved. For one believes with the heart and so is justified, and one confesses with the mouth and so is saved. The scripture says, 'No one who believes in him will be put to shame.' For there is no distinction between Jew and Greek; the same Lord is Lord of all and is generous to all who call on him. For, 'Everyone who calls on the name of the Lord shall be saved.'

But how are they to call on one in whom they have not believed? And how are they to believe in one of whom they have never heard? And how are they to hear without someone to proclaim him? And how are they to proclaim him unless they are sent? As it is written, 'How beautiful are the feet of those who bring good news!'

GOSPEL Matthew 14.22-33

Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking towards them on the lake. But when the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified, saying, 'It is a ghost!' And they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, 'Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.'

Peter answered him, 'Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.' He said, 'Come.' So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came towards Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, 'Lord, save me!' Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, 'You of little faith, why did you doubt?' When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshipped him, saying, 'Truly you are the Son of God.'

POST COMMUNION

God of our pilgrimage,
you have willed that the gate of mercy
should stand open for those who trust in you:
look upon us with your favour
that we who follow the path of your will
may never wander from the way of life;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.