

'A vibrant worshipping church, learning and growing together, welcoming all, sharing God's love whilst serving our community'

"Serve wholeheartedly as if you were serving the Lord" Ephesians 6:7

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Sunday 2 February 2020
The presentation of Christ in the temple

PARISH PRAYERS

We pray for the sick and distressed mentioned in our prayer book. We pray for all whose year's mind anniversary occurs around this time.

NOTICES



Did you know? Bishop Julian is set to become the newest member of the House of Lords.

He will take up his seat as one of the 'Lords of Spiritual' on February 6 and becomes one of 26 Church of England bishops in the Lords. He continues as Diocesan Bishop, with Lords responsibilities now forming part of his ongoing workload. Please pray for Bishop Julian as he prepares for his new role.

Flower rota: 2020 rota available, please add your name if you want to provide flowers in remembrance.

Date for diaries: Lent Course Film Night, The King's Speech on 22 February at 7.00pm.



Today's Gospel: Luke 2.22-40

Simeon took him in his arms and praised God, saying:

"Sovereign Lord, as you have promised, you may now dismiss your servant in peace. For my eyes have seen your salvation, which you have prepared in the sight of all nations: a light for revelation to the Gentiles, and the glory of your people Israel."

Next Week: Luke 5.13-20

THIS WEEK (2 February 2020)

Reader: A M Robinson
 Malachi 3.1-5
 Hebrews 2.14-18

Intercessor: A Mooney
 Sidespersons: B Potts, S Birch
 PCC Duty: S Birch, B Trigg
 Flowers: P Eccles, B Trigg
 Coffee: W Thompson, E Thompson
 Sacristan: E Smith

WHAT'S ON

The indoor **Bowling Group** meets on Thursday afternoons 2.00pm til 4.00pm in the Parish Centre main hall.

Share IT would like donations of long-life milk, instant custard, cooking oil, men's disposable razors, small cartons of juice and sachets of drinking chocolate/ coffee. Our next food parcels are for Easter and we are collecting bottles of squash for this.

Services this week:

Sunday 10.00am: Family Eucharist
 Tuesday 8.30am Morning Prayer
 Wednesday 10.30am: Eucharist (Traditional)
 Thursday 8.30am Morning Prayer
 Friday 10.00am: Holy Communion (common worship)

NEXT WEEK (9 February 2020)

Reader: C Hull
 Isaiah 58.1-9a[9b-12]
 1 Corinthians 2.1-12[13-end]
 Intercessor: M Sands
 Sidespersons: V McHugh, M Francis
 PCC Duty: A Mooney, C Wilkinson
 Flowers: P Eccles, B Trigg
 Coffee: A Gibb, P Clarke
 Sacristan: E Smith

Freckleton Youth Band



St Margaret's Parish Centre

Friday 14 February

7.30pm

£2

Starring Matthew and Daniel
from Sunday Club

