Services and events this week

Today: *1pm Baptism of Harvey Knowles*

4.30pm: Choral Evensong

Monday 2 November ***All Souls Day***
10.00am: Sung Mass of Requiem for the Departed.

Tuesday 3 November
10.30am: Holy Communion with homily
according to the Book of Common Prayer

Wednesday 4 November ***St Charles Borromeo***
9am: Mass

9.30: The 'Wednesday Men' meet for maintenance work in church and churchyard

Thursday 5 November
11am-12noon Heyhouses School, year 6 visit to learn about the Mass.

The late Dr Kevin Morgan will be received into church and Vespers of the dead will be said at 5.30pm

6pm: Mass

Friday 6 November
NB The Healing Mass is put back to next Friday

11.00am: Funeral Mass of Requiem of Dr. Kevin Morgan

Saturday 7 November
10am: Mass

Sunday 8 November
Remembrance Sunday
10.30am: Parish Mass with Act of Remembrance at the eleventh hour.

1pm: Baptism of Levi Cowgill

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St Anne's Parish Church
Sunday 1 November 2026



All Saints Day

10.30am:
Parish Mass

Preacher:
Fr Peter Walsh

Welcome to our Mass today
A special welcome to you if you are visiting or are new to the church

Choral Evensong: Today at 4.30pm. *A calm reflective end to Sunday.*

All Souls Day Sung Mass of Requiem for the Departed. Monday 2 November at 10am. With lights of remembrance. Please write clearly the names of those you wish to hear prayed for on the sheet at the back of church.

The Funeral Mass of Requiem for the late Dr Kevin Morgan, organist, will be celebrated here on Friday 6 November at 11am. He will be received into church on Thursday evening and Vespers of the Dead will be said at 5.30pm.

Please note the **Healing Mass** has been put back to Friday 13 November at 9.30am. There is no 9.30am Mass on Friday 6 November

Remembrance Day. Sunday November 8 at 10.30am. The Mass next week will be a Mass of Requiem for those fallen in war, with an Act of Remembrance at the 11th hour. The celebrant and preacher will be Fr Andrew Schofield who has recently moved into Fosbrook House in Lytham and joined our church.

A half-muffled peal will be rung on Saturday 7 November in honour of those who died in war.

The First Aid Awareness Session has been rearranged for Monday 9 November in the church rooms. Contact Christine Campbell if interested on Tel: 07984 004973

Advent calendars - Christine Campbell will be selling these containing Fairtrade chocolates and a booklet telling the story of the Nativity. The price is £4.95. An order form is at rear of church

Sunday School Sadly we have to cancel Sunday School on 8 November. We still have 2 meetings in November. Our next meeting will be on Sunday 22 November at the usual time in Room 1 and then the following week – 29 November

Christmas Tree Festival
Susan McMahon would appreciate donations for her bottle stall. Bottles of drinks, sauces and toiletries etc, and cans, eg beer & soft drinks, (no food cans thank you) would be gratefully received.

Pam Kinghorn & Lesley Dawson would appreciate biscuits – packets, tins, boxes – for their 'Biccibola'

If you are able to provide a cake, homemade or bought, or supply preserves please speak to Zoe Dust or Irene Williams.

Any contributions of crafts would also be greatly appreciated for the Craft Stall. Please see Jenny Edwards.

Mothers Union Christmas Lunch
Monday 7 December 12.30 for 1pm at Fairhaven Golf Club. £30 for 2 courses or £35 for 3 courses. Please sign list at back of church. £10 non-refundable deposit to Kath Hall. Dietary requirements can be catered for. Final payment no later than 15 November please.

Pew Sheets by email – please make sure that you have completed and submitted a GDPR Form (available at the back of church or in the Parish Office) for you to receive your electronic Pew Sheet each week.

There are toy bags for younger children and liturgy bags for older children (4+). Feel free to use the choir vestry where there are books and toys.

The toilets and baby changing facilities are through the choir vestry, please ask for directions.

Please stay for refreshments after Mass which are served at the back of church.

For our prayers

Those to be baptized, their parents and godparents:
Harvey Knowles (today)
and Levi Cowgill (next Sunday)

Those who are sick and in particular need:
Ben Akrill, Elizabeth Arnold, Rev Mo Baldwin, Alison Cross, Justine Eadie, Sharon Fountain, Harry Hardwick, Marian Hopper, Joan Johnson, Sarah Kinghorn, Margaret Lane, Annabel Norris, Sheila Pinches, Ian Reece, Brian Rose, Rebecca Stuart, Terry Sutton, Penny Taylor, Brenda Underwood, Jayne Weaver, Jan, Paul, Thomas, Baby William Peter Atkins

Long Term Sick and Housebound:
Winston Atkinson, Tessa Bebbington, Muriel Driscoll, Rita Fletcher, Ann Hazard, Paul Hodgson, Jan Hood, Doreen Taylor, Josie Wilkinson

Recently Departed
Dr Kevin Morgan, Marian Liddle, Rita Corkhill, Stan Mitchell

Brenda Lyon, following the loss of her sister.



Please hold in your prayers the family of the late Stan Mitchell who has died at the age of 16.
Stan was a former pupil of Heyhouses School.
His funeral will be held here on Tuesday 10 November at 12 noon. Supporters at Blackpool FC dedicated a minute's ovation to him in the 16th minute of last Saturday's match.
Please pray for Ian and Jane, his parents, and his sister, Liv.

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When the bell rings 5 minutes before Mass begins we refrain from conversation and prepare ourselves to meet our Lord in Word and Sacrament

PROCESSIONAL HYMN *stand*

Hail Redeemer, king divine *(no.201 in the green hymn book)*

+ In the name of the Father, and of the Son, and of the Holy Spirit. **Amen**

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with you all. **And also with you**

CONFESSION

Almighty God, our heavenly Father,
we have sinned against you
through our own fault
in thought and word and deed,
and in what we have left undone.
We are heartily sorry
and repent of all our sins.
For your Son our Lord Jesus Christ's sake,
forgive us all that is past;
and grant that we may serve you
in newness of life to the glory of your name.
Amen.

Lord have mercy……..

Christ have mercy……..

Lord have mercy……

Almighty God, who forgives all who truly repent, have mercy upon you, +pardon and deliver you from all your sins, confirm and strengthen you in all goodness, and keep you in life eternal; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

GLORIA

Glory to God in the highest,
and peace to his people on earth.
Lord God, heavenly King,
almighty God and Father,
we worship you, we give you thanks,
we praise you for your glory.

Lord Jesus Christ, only Son of the Father,
Lord God, Lamb of God,
you take away the sin of the world:
have mercy on us;

you are seated at the right hand of the Father:
receive our prayer.

For you alone are the Holy One,
you alone are the Lord,
you alone are the Most High, Jesus Christ,
with the Holy Spirit,
in the glory of God the Father. Amen.

COLLECT

Almighty God,
you have knit together your elect
in one communion and fellowship
in the mystical body of your Son Christ our Lord:
grant us grace so to follow your blessed saints
in all virtuous and godly living,
that we may come to those inexpressible joys
that you have prepared
for those who truly love 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. **Amen**

FIRST READING Revelation 7:2-4, 9-14 *sit*

A reading from the Book of Revelation

I, John, saw another angel ascending from the rising of the sun, with the seal of the living God, and he called with a loud voice to the four angels who had been given power to harm earth and sea, saying, 'Do not harm the earth or the sea or the trees, until we have sealed the servants of our God on their foreheads.' And I heard the number of the sealed, one hundred and forty-four thousand, sealed from every tribe of the sons of Israel.

After this I looked, and behold, a great multitude that no one could number, from every nation, from all tribes and peoples and languages, standing before the throne and before the Lamb, clothed in white robes, with palm branches in their hands, and crying out with a loud voice, 'Salvation belongs to our God who sits on the throne, and to the Lamb!' And all the angels were standing round the throne and round the elders and the four living creatures, and they fell on their faces before the throne and worshipped God, saying,

'Amen! Blessing and glory and wisdom and thanksgiving and honour and power and might be to our God for ever and ever! Amen.'

Then one of the elders addressed me, saying, 'Who are these, clothed in white robes, and from where have they come?' I said to him, 'Sir, you know.' And he said to me, 'These are the ones coming out of the great tribulation. They have washed their robes and made them white in the blood of the Lamb.'

This is the Word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

RESPONSORIAL PSALM **Psalm 24**

Such are the people who seek your face, O Lord.

The Lord's is the earth and its fullness,
the world, and those who dwell in it.
It is he who set it on the seas;
on the rivers he made it firm.
Such are the people who seek your face, O Lord.

Who shall climb the mountain of the Lord?
Who shall stand in his holy place?
The clean of hands and pure of heart,
whose soul is not set on vain things.
Such are the people who seek your face, O Lord.

Blessings from the Lord shall he receive,
and right reward from the God who saves him.
Such are the people who seek him,
who seek the face of the God of Jacob.
Such are the people who seek your face, O Lord.

SECOND READING **1 John 3:1-3**

A reading from the First Letter of St John

Beloved: See what kind of love the Father has given to us, that we should be called children of God; and so we are. The reason why the world does not know us is that it did not know him. Beloved, we are God's children now, and what we will be has not yet appeared; but we know that

when he appears we shall be like him, because we shall see him as he is. And everyone who thus hopes in him purifies himself as he is pure.

This is the Word of the Lord.
Thanks be to God

GRADUAL HYMN *stand*
Come let us join our cheerful songs *(no.452)*

THE GOSPEL Matthew 5:1-12a

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia
You are a chosen race, a royal priesthood,
a holy nation, God's own people,
called out of darkness into his marvellous light

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia

The Lord be with you. **And also with you.**

Hear the Gospel of Our Lord Jesus Christ according to Matthew
Glory to you, O Lord.

Seeing the crowds, Jesus went up on the mountain, and when he sat down, his disciples came to him. And he opened his mouth and taught them, saying: 'Blessed are the poor in spirit, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are those who mourn, for they shall be comforted. Blessed are the meek, for they shall inherit the earth. Blessed are those who hunger and thirst for righteousness, for they shall be satisfied. Blessed are the merciful, for they shall receive mercy. Blessed are the pure in heart, for they shall see God. Blessed are the peacemakers, for they shall be called sons of God. Blessed are those who are persecuted for righteousness' sake, for theirs is the kingdom of heaven. Blessed are you when others revile you and persecute you and utter all kinds of evil against you falsely on my account. Rejoice and be glad, for your reward is great in heaven.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord.
Praise to you, O Christ.

SERMON *Fr Peter Walsh* *sit*

THE CREED *stand*

We believe in one God,
the Father, the Almighty,
maker of heaven and earth,
of all that is, seen and unseen.

We believe in one Lord, Jesus Christ,
the only Son of God,
eternally begotten of the Father,
God from God, Light from Light,
true God from true God,
begotten not made,
of one being with the Father;
through him all things were made.

(We bow to honour the Incarnation of Christ)
For us and for our salvation
he came down from heaven:
was incarnate from the Holy Spirit
and the Virgin Mary,
and was made man.

For our sake he was crucified
under Pontius Pilate;
he suffered death and was buried.
On the third day he rose again
in accordance with the Scriptures:
he ascended into heaven
and is seated at the right hand of the Father.
He will come again in glory
to judge the living and the dead,
and his kingdom will have no end.

We believe in the Holy Spirit,
the Lord, the giver of life,
who proceeds from the Father and the Son,
who with the Father and the Son
is worshipped and glorified,
who has spoken through the prophets.
We believe in one holy, catholic
and apostolic Church.
We acknowledge one baptism
for the forgiveness of sins.
We look for the resurrection of the dead,
and the life of the world to come. Amen

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Lord in your mercy: **Hear our prayer**

Prayers for the departed:
Rest eternal grant unto them O Lord
And let light perpetual shine upon them.

May they rest in peace
And rise in glory.

Merciful Father: **Accept these prayers**
for the sake of your Son, our Saviour Jesus
Christ. Amen

THE PEACE
We are fellow-citizens with the saints and of the household of God, through Christ our Lord, who came and preached peace to those who were far off and those who were near. The peace of the Lord be always with you. **And also with you.**

We share a sign of peace with each other

The gifts are offered, a collection is taken to support the work of the church and the altar is prepared.

OFFERTORY HYMN *stand*
For all the saints *(no.255)*

Pray, my brothers and sisters that our sacrifice may be acceptable to God, the almighty Father.
May the Lord accept the sacrifice at your hands, for the praise and glory of his name, for our good, and the good of all his Church.

PRAYER OVER THE GIFTS
Lord receive our gifts in honour of the holy men and women who live with you in glory. May we always be aware of their concern to help and save us, through Christ our Lord. **Amen**

EUCHARISTIC PRAYER *stand*

The Lord be with you.
And also with you.

Lift up your hearts.
We lift them to the Lord.

Let us give thanks to the Lord our God.
It is right to give thanks and praise.

The celebrant sings the PREFACE. As we join our praises with those of the angels we sing:

Holy, holy, holy Lord,
God of power and might,
heaven and earth are full of your glory.
Hosanna in the highest.
Blessed is he who comes in the name of the
Lord. Hosanna in the highest.

As the words of Jesus at the Last Supper are recalled, by the power of the Holy Spirit the bread and wine become for us the body and blood of Jesus.

Great is the mystery of faith:
Christ has died, Christ is risen,
Christ will come again.

We recall with thanksgiving all that God has done for us through Jesus Christ, and ask him to send down his Holy Spirit upon us. As the prayer concludes we all sing: **Amen**

THE LORD'S PRAYER

Our Father, who art in heaven,
hallowed be thy name; thy kingdom come;
thy will be done; on earth as it is in heaven.
Give us this day our daily bread,
and forgive us our trespasses,
as we forgive those who trespass against us.
And lead us not into temptation;
but deliver us from evil.
For thine is the kingdom, the power
and the glory, for ever and ever. Amen

We break this bread, to share in the body of Christ. **Though we are many, we are one body, because we all share in one bread.**

Lamb of God you take away
the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God you take away
the sin of the world, have mercy on us.
Lamb of God you take away
the sin of the world, grant us peace.

Behold the Lamb of God who takes away the sins of the world, blessed are those who are called to his supper.
Lord I am not worthy to receive you,
but only say the word and I shall be healed

Holy Communion is administered from two stations, at the high altar and in front of the Lady Chapel. Please go to either of them. Communicant members of other churches are also welcome to receive. If it is not your custom to receive communion but would like a blessing, please bow your head.

COMMUNION HYMNS
Let all mortal flesh keep silence *(no.386)*

Blest are the pure in heart *(no.443)*

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER
Lord, we praise your glory reflected in the saints. May we who share at this table be filled with your love and prepared for the joy of your kingdom where Jesus is Lord for ever and ever. **Amen**

Almighty God, we thank you for feeding us with the body and blood of your Son Jesus Christ. Through him we offer you our souls and bodies to be a living sacrifice. Send us out in the power of your Spirit to live and work to your praise and glory. Amen.

NOTICES

+ THE BLESSING *stand*

FINAL HYMN ***Ye watchers and ye holy ones*** *(595)*

ANGELUS
The priests and servers process to the image of Our Lady for the devotion to the Blessed Virgin Mary.

The angel of the Lord brought tidings to Mary
and she conceived by the Holy Spirit.

Hail Mary full of grace the Lord is with thee, blessed art thou among women and blessed be the fruit of thy womb Jesus.
Holy Mary, Mother of God, pray for us sinners now and at the hour of our death. Amen

Behold the handmaid of the Lord.
Be it unto me according to thy word.

Hail Mary….

And the word was made flesh.
And dwelt among us.

Hail Mary…

Pray for us O holy mother of God
That we may be made worthy of the promises of Christ.

Let us pray: Pour forth we beseech thee O Lord thy grace into our hearts that as we have known the incarnation of thy Son Jesus Christ by the message of an angel, so by his + cross and passion we may be brought to the glory of his resurrection. Through the same Jesus Christ Our Lord. **Amen.**

Go in the peace of Christ
Thanks be to God