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redundant bells to be hung
for English-style full-circle bell-ringing.

KELTEK TRUST – Projects in Merseyside

Place

Liverpool
Prescot

Dedication

St Barnabas
St Mary

Location/supply of eight bells.
Replacement 6th bell.

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The Trust assisted the parish of St Barnabas, Liverpool with its millennium project of installing a ringing peal of bells; using our *Bell Rescue Fund* we acquired the ring of six bells from the redundant church of St James, Waterfoot, Lancashire. The Trust also located two surplus bells from Colwall, Herefordshire which have been used with the ex-Waterfoot ring to complete the octave. St Barnabas church is situated at one end of Penny Lane - made famous by a 1960's Beatles song. The bells installation project was completed in 2011.

The surplus Taylor bell from St Barnabas has become the new tenor bell at St Peter ad Vincula, Coggeshall, Essex.

Youtube video of the bells ringing. https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=zIdbWMr0r_o



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The cracked 6th bell has been replaced by the former 7th bell from Christ Church, Bath. The replacement work was undertaken by the Merseyside Bell Restoration Group and completed during December 2014. They also provided financial support as did the Keltek Trust.