## St Michael's Parish Church, Kirkham, Bicentenary Year

1) St Michael's Church, Kirkham, is now 200 years old

Or so we've been told
Yes 2022 is its bicentenary year
That many will remember with a smile or tear
2) Now to be seen by me and you

It was first built in 1822
Designed by Robert Roper of Preston yes
Who enjoyed putting it together or so I guess
3) To keep nice music alive

The church organ was added in 1905
With the choir stalls installed in 1910
In remembrance of churchwardens John Ward and Edward Porter time and again
4) Also at St Michael's there's been plenty a Vicar showing their heart

In baptisms, weddings and funerals playing a part
Regularly running a Sunday service too
Which have been attended by oh quite a few
5) So yes this year with no hesitation

For the church's bicentenary there'll be lots of celebration
With many a nice event taking place
And the future of it as-well to face
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