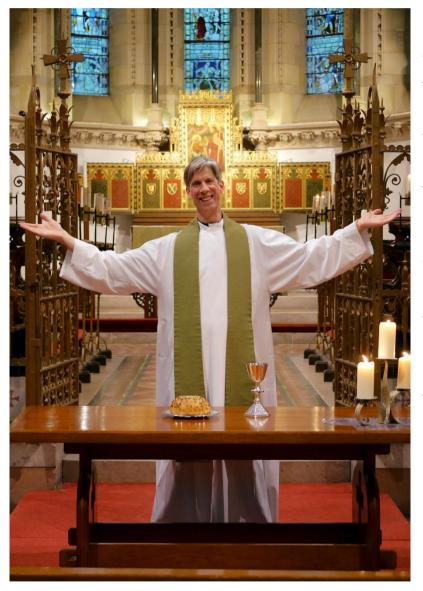


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Keeping communication flowing



If you've been in Church over the past few weeks you'll know that we've been reminding everyone that this year we must renew our Electoral Roll from scratch. If you've taken one of the renewal packs you'll know that, alongside the official Electoral Roll Application Form, we've added a 'St Peter's Church Member Information Form'. We want to be a community where everyone is accepted, known and valued. Knowing the best ways to stay in touch with you, while also keeping your data safe, is essential to that goal. So please do fill in as much of that form as you choose and return it with your Electoral Roll application. Even if you choose not to join the Electoral Roll (or are ineligible for any reason) we'd still appreciate the return of the Membership Information Form.

As well as us staying in touch with you, may I also encourage you to stay in touch with us? If you have an important life event coming up, if you're going to be away for a while, or if you are laid up at home or in hospital unexpectedly, then do let one of the Clergy or the Churchwardens know. We'd love to pray for you, see that you receive a visit – or respond in whatever way is most appropriate.

St Peter's Ladies who Lunch

The **Ladies who Lunch** are meeting again on Friday 22nd March at 12:30 pm at the Palm Court Café at the bottom of Montpellier Hill. If you are interested in joining us for food and fellowship, then please contact Sue Heapy to book your place at our table (07540 355 305) or brynsusie@hotmail.com.





Reconnecting with physical fitness

During our Lent Lunchtime RefleXions, on Thursdays from 11:30ish onwards, we are considering ways to reconnect: with different aspects of ourselves, and with something larger than ourselves. Come and enjoy a

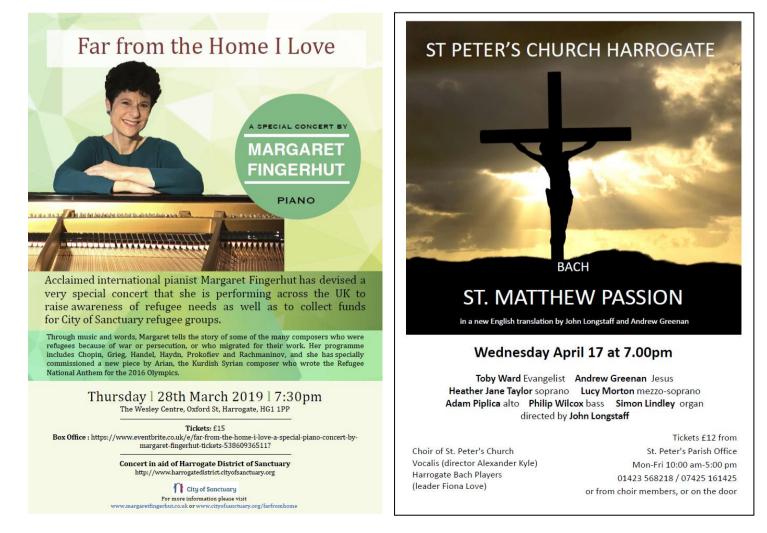
delicious lunch and listen to Carl Summerscales and Helen Williams from *Harrogate parkrun* talk about **reconnecting with physical fitness**.

The Knitter's Yarn Community Knitting Group

A social knitting group started last month at St Peter's to knit much needed items for various charities. The next



meeting is on Monday 25th March from 10:00 am – 12:00 THE KNITTER'S YARN pm in the Brostoff Hall. Please bring your own needles and yarn. Anyone wishing to learn to knit will be welcome as there will be someone on hand to help get you started. The cost of £2.50 includes tea, coffee and biscuits.



Sunday Lunch Club Meets Today!

It is open to everyone and there's no need to book or bring anything – although donations towards the cost will, of course, be very welcome! Lunch today will be served at 1:00 pm. Please speak to Hannah Beck (07503 186455) or Yvonne Dawes (07960 779381) if you need to know more.

Have you returned your Electoral Roll application form?



As Alan says every six years we have to renew our Electoral Roll and everyone needs to fill in a form this time. If you have not received an application form, then please ask one

of the Clergy, Carole Raw (Electoral Roll Officer), Paul Medforth (Churchwarden) or Patricia Stableford (Acting Churchwarden). The completed forms need to be returned to Church before 2nd April 2019, otherwise you will not be eligible to attend or to vote at the Annual Parochial Church Meeting on 29th April 2019.

Have you taken up St Peter's Library Cat's Lent challenge yet?

Instead of giving up chocolate or cake for Lent, try to give up half an hour of screen time a day to read a book from our Church Library! Families could agree a time and all read together. Children can record the books they read on a special Library Ticket and when they hand it in at Easter there will be a reward. Visit St Peter's Library after the 9:30 am Family Communion service to find out more.





Today's Services: 17th March 2019

The Second Sunday of Lent

St Patrick's Day

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

There is Sunday Club for school age children today - please gather in the café area at the front of Church at the start of the service. Pre-schoolers and their parents are welcome to stay in this area, where there are toys and activities to share for the whole service.

Hymns Readings	1067, 771, 762, 728 Phillipians 3 v 17 – 4 v 1 Luke 13 v 31 to end		
Preacher: 11:00 Cl Setting Hymns Psalm Readings Anthem Preacher:	Alan Garrow Choral Matins Sumsion in B flat (Benedicite) 395, 98 (omit verse 5), 538 119 v 161 to the end Genesis 17 v 1 – 7 and 15 - 16 Romans 11 v 13 - 24 God so loved the world (<i>Stainer</i>) Chris Clayton		
4:15 A Hymns: Preacher:	Afternoon Church – <i>Crafternoon Church</i> 493 Ruth Thompson-Vear		
6:30 C Setting	Choral Communion Harris in C (Kyrie, Sanctus, Benedictus, Agnus), Longstaff (Creed)		
Hymns Readings Anthem Preacher:	 11, 327, 311, 127 Phillipians 3 v 17 – 4 v 1 Luke 13 v 31 to end Tantum ergo (<i>de Séverac</i>) Catharine Davies 		

New to St Peter's?

Please fill in one of the welcome cards



welcome cards at the end of the pews and hand it to one of the Clergy. At the 9:30 Service we offer prayer with laying on of hands. If you would like this ministry, please come up to receive the bread and wine (or a blessing) in St Mary's Chapel and wait behind in the pews there.

for our Tim Ake Louise I Gardine Vicky H Lockwo Alan Rie	pray for those who have asked prayers: ers, Jane and Brian Crabtree, Emrullahu, Helen Gardiner, Pam er, Gill Gibson, Linda Hardwick, arrison, Edna Hodgkiss, Sian od, Peter Norbury, Peggy Palmer, chardson, Frances Roxby-Proud, nclair and Keith Ward	Daily ReadingsMorning Prayer is at 8:00 am andEvening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily. Theseare the Bible readings we will be usingin Church each morning this week.Why not read them at home if you areunable to come to the service?MonPsalm 32Jeremiah 7 v 21 to endJohn 6 v 41 - 51	
RIP Sean David and Joan Buckee		Tues	Joseph of Nazareth
Also in o Mon Tues	our prayers this week: St Peter's Players Volunteers at Harrogate Theatre St Peter's Library and Resources Group	Wed	Psalm 25 Isaiah 11 v 1 - 10 Matthew 13 v 54 to end Cuthbert, Bishop of Lindisfarne, missionary
Wed	<i>The Harrogate Hub</i> support for those feeling lonely or isolated St Peter's Welcomer's Team		Psalm 35 Jeremiah 8 v 18 – 9 v 11 John 6 v 60 to end
weu	All who visit St Peter's Church	Thurs	Thomas Cranmer, martyr
Thurs	10 th Harrogate St Peter's Guides and Rangers St Aidan's CE High School		Psalm 143 Jeremiah 9 v 12 - 24 John 7 v 1 - 13
Fri	St Peter's PCC All attending the HAPPINESS LAB	Fri	Psalm 41 Jeremiah 10 v 1 - 16 John 7 v 14 - 24
Sat	Michael Hunter, one of our retired Clergy The families and friends of the 157 people killed in the Ethiopian Airlines plane crash	Sat	Psalm 25 Jeremiah 10 v 17 - 24 John 7 v 25 - 36

The Collect for the Second Sunday of Lent

Almighty God, you show to those who are in error the light of your truth that they may return to the way of righteousness: grant to all those who are admitted into the fellowship of Christ's religion, that they may reject those things that are contrary to their profession, and follow all such things as are agreeable to the same; through our Lord Jesus Christ, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

or

Almighty God, by the prayer and discipline of Lent may we enter into the mystery of Christ's sufferings, and by following in his Way come to share in his glory; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

What's on This Week

Morning	g Prayer is at 8:00 am and Evening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily
Mon 18 th	2:00 pm The Singing Folk group 7:30 pm Lent Pilgrim course: The Beatitudes at Hannah Beck's
Tues 19 th	10:00 am – 1:00 pm <i>The Seasons Art Class</i> in the Brostoff Hall 12:30 pm Healing Service 1:30 – 4:30 pm <i>The Seasons Art Class</i> in the Brostoff Hall
Wed 20 th	 9:30 am Bible RefleXions: The Eucharist – He was known to them in the breaking of bread 10:30 am Café RefleXion 2:00 pm Supporting Older People Singing Group 7:00 pm Lent Pilgrim course: The Lord's Prayer at Fiona Weare's
Thurs 21 st	 9:30 am St Peter's Parent and Toddler Group 11:00 am Holy Communion 11:30ish Lent Lunchtime RefleXions: Reconnecting with physical fitness with Carl Summerscales and Helen Williams, <i>Harrogate parkrun</i> 2:00 pm St Peter's Handbell Ringers at Wesley Chapel 7:00 pm THE HAPPINESS LAB Episode 3: Learning to forgive at Stewart & Catharine Davies's 7:30 pm Choir Practice
Fri 22 nd	 9:30 am AA Meeting 10:00 am THE HAPPINESS LAB Episode 3: Learning to forgive 10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team 12:30 pm Ladies who Lunch meeting at The Palm Court Café 7:00 pm Bell Ringers
Sat 23 rd	
Sun 24 th	6:00 pm Alpha Youth - Healing: Does God heal today?

7:00 pm **Sanctuary**, our youth group

	nday 24 th March d Sunday of Lent Holy Communion Family Communion Choral Matins Afternoon Church –	The Breakfast Club provides a free, hot breakfast from Monday to Saturday (8:15 – 8:45 am) for all those who are hungry or in need. A hot Sunday lunch is also served at the Wesley Centre each week at 1:00 pm, except for the third Sunday of the month when it is here at St Peter's – that's TODAY!
6:30	<i>Celtic Worship</i> Choral Evensong	Food parcels are available from 4:45 pm every day, except for Sundays, when it's 5:30 pm.

Harrogate School of Theology & Mission



The Rt Revd Dr Helen-Ann Hartley – *To read, mark, learn and inwardly digest: some reflections on a diet of Biblical interpretation*

The Bible is the foundation of our faith, and we probably have our favourite bits, but what about the parts we don't understand, or don't agree with? If it's all the Word of God how do we navigate its terrain? In this lecture at St Mark's Church on Saturday 23rd March, Bishop Helen-Ann shares some of her own reflections on a number of

years pondering these questions. A continental breakfast is served from 9:30 am and then the lecture is from 10:00 am - 12:00 pm. Tickets cost £8 (students £5) which includes the breakfast and refreshments.

An End to Daily Prayers in Parliament?

Conservative MP Crispin Blunt is calling for the practice of saying prayers at the beginning of parliamentary business to be abolished. In the House of Commons, the prayer asks that MPs 'never lead the nation wrongly through love of power, desire to please, or unworthy ideals but laying aside all private interests and prejudices keep in mind their responsibility to seek to improve the condition of all'. A petition has been drawn up to keep the daily prayers and you can sign it at: petition.parliament.uk/petitions/237423.



Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from the kitchen area at the front



of Church. Please come and join us.



The banns of marriage are published between **Samuel Vowe Peake** and **Kadilobari Cynthia Ngaage**; and **Emily Olga Battye** and **Anthony Douglas**. These are for the third time of asking.

And also between Leroy Colin Harding and Paula Dorothy Strain.

This is for the second time of asking. If any of you know any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it.

> Well Done PETs

Our Parish Events Team raised **£393** at the Refreshment Day on 9th March!

Books wanted please for a SPRING BOOK SALE

in the Glass Foyer from **Thursday 4th to Saturday 6th April** Your chance to clear out your bookshelves (and to re-stock!) Please contact Hannah Beck on 07503 186455 with any donations.

Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (24th March) will be noon on Wednesday 20th March. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow **or** to Marian Chambers (addresses below)

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