



Weekly News

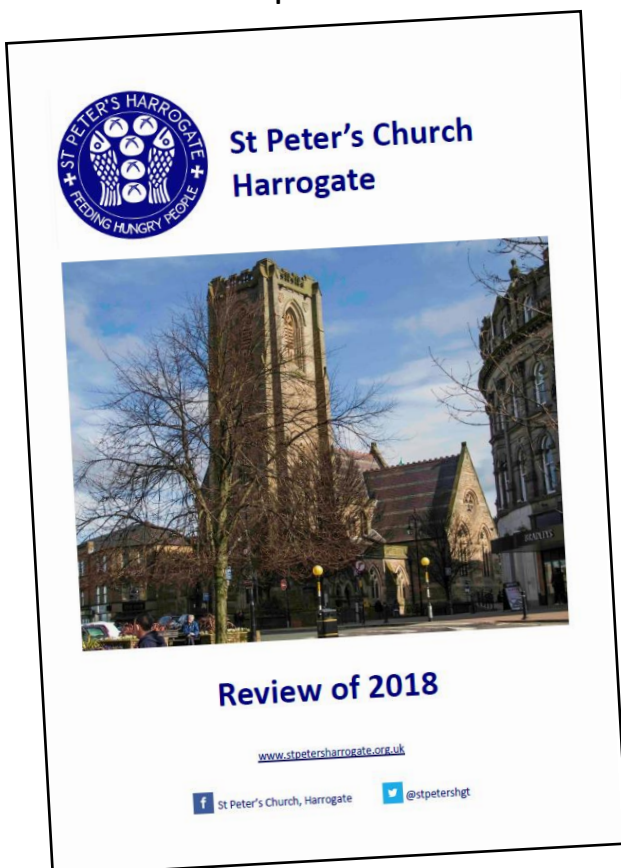
28th April 2019

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St Peter's Church, Cambridge Road, Harrogate, HG1 1PB

Our Annual Meeting is this Monday evening

In April each year we gather: to review the past twelve months; to elect Churchwardens and new Parish Church Council (PCC) members; to hear reports and to ask questions; and to look to the year ahead. **The Annual Meeting will take place in church on Monday 29th April at 7.00pm.** Alongside the APCM booklet the *Annual Review* provides an additional aid to reflection and celebration.



In the course of the past year Sian Lockwood has had to stand down as Churchwarden due to ill health. The APCM will provide an opportunity to say thank you for Sian's years of service during a critical period in the life of St Peter's. In Sian's absence, Patricia Stableford has been serving as Acting Churchwarden alongside our continuing Churchwarden, Paul Medforth. I am really delighted that both Paul and Patricia have agreed to stand for re-election as Churchwarden for the coming year. There are currently six spaces available for new members of the PCC. A 'PCC Tonight' booklet outlining the purpose and remit of PCCs is available alongside the nomination sheets at the back of Church. A further insight into the work of our PCC may be gained

through reviewing the minutes of past meetings. These may be accessed at stpetersharrogate.org.uk/about-stpeters/parochial-church-council-pcc.

To stand for election as a Churchwarden or a member of the PCC you must have been a member of the St Peter's Electoral Roll for at least the preceding six months. Do prayerfully consider whether someone you know might be a good person to encourage to stand - it's not too late to record nominations this Sunday. Then do join us on Monday 29th April at 7.00pm in Church.

Alan Garrow, Vicar of St Peter's Church

Tim Hurren receives his medal from the Lord Lieutenant!



Congratulations to Tim, seen here receiving his BEM from the Lord-Lieutenant for North Yorkshire, Johanna Ropner, on Tuesday 9th April at Camp Hill in Bedale.



This May Bank Holiday is the Waterways week-end and the church is open for all on the Saturday

CHRIST CHURCH, SKIPTON

(off Keighley Road)

SATURDAY 4TH MAY

OPEN DAY

WITH THE LABYRINTH &
CHRIST CHURCH GIFT DAY

11.00am - 3.00pm

Quiet Spaces and Refreshments available



St Aidan's Jubilee Events

St Aidan's celebrates its 50th Birthday this year and we are delighted to invite you to three exciting events.

Saturday 4th May 2pm to 4pm - 'Jubilee Reunion' in the school:
A reminder of what life within the school has been like over the last 50 years.
Please email alumni@staidans.co.uk to register.

Saturday 4th May 7pm - 'Jubilee Celebration' in Harrogate Convention Centre Auditorium:
Displays and performances to help celebrate the last 50 years. Tickets are now on sale via
www.harrogateattheatre.co.uk

Sunday 5th May 3.30pm - 'Jubilee Service' at Ripon Cathedral:
Thanksgiving to God for the many blessings the school has enjoyed and rededication for the next 50 years.
Everyone welcome, no tickets required.



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A walk around Studley Royal Deer Park



Fallow deer originate from France and were introduced to Studley Royal at the end of the 1600s. Mike Bevington, a National Trust Guide, is the guest speaker at the next meeting of St Peter's Evening Fellowship on Thursday 2nd May at 7:30 pm in the Brostoff Hall. *A walk around Studley Royal deer park* completes his trilogy of presentations relating to Fountains Abbey.

Fundraising Refreshment Day

There is a St Peter's Fundraising Refreshment Day to raise funds for our Church on Saturday 11th May from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm. If you are available to help in any way - perhaps serve, clear tables or wash-up on the day - or bake a cake, some scones or biscuits in advance - then please speak to Barbara Agar (07951 900514) or Louise Knight (07764 493475). Please come and support this fundraising event in Church. Thank you so much!



The Knitter's Yarn Community Knitting Group



A social knitting group has started at St Peter's to knit much needed items for various charities. The next meeting is tomorrow Monday 29th April from 10:00 am - 12:00 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.

The Bible Course starts this week on Wednesday evening!

The Bible Course, exploring the story that runs through the whole Bible, is an excellent resource for helping you to pick up tools and ideas for reading God's Word. We are running this eight week course starting on

Wednesday 1st May at 7pm. It doesn't matter if you are a new to Christianity or a lifelong believer, you will enjoy the experience of following this course. Please contact Sarah Martin on 0791 325 9490 for details of the venue and dates.



Today's Services: 28th April 2019

The Second Sunday of Easter
The First Sunday after Easter (BCP)

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

*There is **no** Sunday Club for school age children today, but all children and their parents are welcome to gather in the café area, where there are toys and activities to share during our Family Communion Service.*

Hymns 1674, 1404, 1407, 1419

Readings Acts 5 v 27 - 32
John 20 v 19 to end

Preacher: Stewart Davies

11:00 Choral Matins

Setting Stanford in C (Jubilate)

Hymns 558, 391, 207

Psalm 136

Readings Exodus 12 v 1 - 13
1 Peter 1 v 3 - 12

Anthem Lift up your heads (*Handel*)

Preacher: John Longstaff

4:15 Afternoon Church Celtic Worship

Hymns: 553, 443, 32

Preacher: Sarah Martin

6:30 Choral Evensong

Setting Ireland in F

Hymns 155, 150, 154 (omit*)

Psalm 16

Readings Isaiah 53 v 1 – 6 and 9 - 12
Luke 24 v 13 - 35

Anthem Ye choirs of new Jerusalem (*Stanford*)

Preacher: Michael Hunter

Our Duty Wardens today are:

Rachel Fell and
Angus Turner



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.

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

Tim Akers, John Beck, Jane and Brian Crabtree, Louise Emrullahu, Pam Gardiner, Gill Gibson, Vicky Harrison, Edna Hodgkiss, Sian Lockwood, Peter Norbury, Peggy Palmer, Alan Richardson, Frances Roxby-Proud, Colin Sinclair and Keith Ward.

Also in our prayers this week:

- Mon** St Peter's APCM in Church tonight
The partner, family and friends of journalist Lyra McKee, shot dead in Londonderry doing her job
- Tues** The Hospital Chaplaincy Team
Volunteers at Harrogate Hospital
- Wed** Lunchtime RefleXions
The people of Sri Lanka after the appalling attacks on churches and hotels on Easter Sunday
- Thurs** St Peter's Toddler Group
Looked-after children and children in care
- Fri** Her majesty, The Queen
All the riders on the *Tour de Yorkshire* in Harrogate today
- Sat** Samuel and Kadilobari's wedding
Peace and justice in the world

Daily Readings

Morning Prayer is at 8:00 am and Evening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily. These are the Bible readings we will be using in Church each morning this week. Why not read them at home if you are unable to come to the service?

- Mon** *George, patron of England (transferred from 23rd April)*
Psalm 5
Joshua 1 v 1 - 9
Ephesians 6 v 10 - 20
- Tues** ***Mark the Evangelist***
Psalm 37 v 23 to end
Isaiah 62 v 6 - 10
Acts 12 v 25 - 13 v 13
- Wed** ***Philip and James, apostles***
Psalm 139
Proverbs 4 v 10 - 18
James 1 v 1 - 12
- Thurs** Psalm 28
Deuteronomy 4 v 1 - 14
John 21 v 1 - 14
- Fri** Psalm 61
Deuteronomy 4 v 15 - 31
John 21 v 15 - 19
- Sat** Psalm 84
Deuteronomy 4 v 32 - 40
John 21 v 20 to end

The Collect for the Second Sunday of Easter

Almighty Father, you have given your only Son to die for our sins and to rise again for our justification:
grant us so to put away the leaven of malice and wickedness that we may always serve you in pureness of living and truth;
through the merits of your Son Jesus Christ our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

or

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father.

What's on This Week

Morning Prayer is at 8:00 am and Evening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily

Christian Aid Exhibition – find out about some of the projects which Christian Aid supports.
Daily in the Glass Foyer from 29th April – 6th May.

- Mon 29th** 10:00 am *The Knitter's Yarn* Community Knitting Group
2:00 pm The Singing Folk group
2:00 pm **Thinking about God** discussion group in the Undercroft
7:00 pm St Peter's APCM
- Tues 30th** 12:30 pm Healing Service
- Wed 1st** 9:30 am Bible RefleXions
10:30 am Café RefleXion
5:30 pm Harrogate Youth Council meeting
7:00 pm **The Bible Course:** Introducing the Bible – contact Sarah Martin for details (0791 325 9490)
- Thurs 2nd** 9:30 am St Peter's Parent and Toddler Group
11:00 am Holy Communion
12:30 pm Lunchtime RefleXion
2:00 pm St Peter's Handbell Ringers at Wesley Chapel
7:30 pm Choir Practice
7:30 pm **St Peter's Evening Fellowship:** *A walk round Studley Royal Deer Park* with Mike Bevington
- Fri 3rd** 9:30 am AA Meeting
10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team
7:00 pm Bell Ringers
- Sat 4th** 2:30 pm **WEDDING** of Samuel and Kadilobari
- Sun 5th** 6:00 – 7:30 pm **Sanctuary**, our youth group

Next Sunday 5th May

The Third Sunday of Easter

- 8:30 Holy Communion
9:30 Family Communion
11:00 Choral Communion
4:15 Afternoon Church –
Service of the Word
6:30 Choral Evensong

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. Food parcels are available from 4:45 pm every day, except for Sundays, when it's 5:30 pm.

Thinking about God – a new discussion group – starts tomorrow!

The first meeting of this new group is on Monday 29th April, from 2:00 to 3:30 pm in the Undercroft. The conversation will be based on an A Level Philosophy of Religion syllabus and will include topics such as: *Ideas of Plato and Aristotle; Arguments for the Existence of God; the Problem of Evil; and The Soul and Life after Death*. If you think that you might be interested, do come along and give it a try, or email Paul Gill at gillsno6@aol.com for more details.

Would you like a trip into the country to take tea at Norton Conyers?



On Sunday 12th May the local branch of Amnesty International are serving a fundraising afternoon tea in the Orangery at Norton Conyers. They have arranged a Happy Wanderers minibus to take anyone without a car there – it holds one person in a wheelchair and there is room for a couple of folding wheelchairs too. It will leave St Peter's Church at 1:30 pm. Entry is £6 and we would ask for a donation towards the cost of the minibus. Please contact Judith Simpson on 01423 564842 or email: judiannasimpson@btinternet.com (leaving your phone number) to book your place in the minibus before 6th May.

Could you run a stall this year at the Vicarage Garden Party?

This year the Vicarage Garden Party will be on Sunday 23rd June from 1:00 – 4:00 pm. We hope to have afternoon teas, stalls, competitions and games hosted by individuals or Church groups. Please get in touch with Alan or Emma Garrow (01423 526454) if you or your group would like to run a stall.



Harrogate CMS Support Group
invites you to a supper and talk

Dr Corrie Verduyn
Kiwoko Hospital
Uganda

“The challenge of having a baby in Africa”

Friday 3rd May at 7pm
St Mark's Church Leeds Road HG2 8AY

Cost £10
All welcome
but please book in advance
by e-mail : tim.cundy@smch.org.uk
or phone : 01423 569135
or your church representative

A promotional poster for the Ripon Cathedral Beer Festival. It features two glasses of beer, one tall and one shorter, with a golden head of foam. The background is dark with a warm glow from the beer. Text on the poster includes: "Kindly supported by CNG POWER UP", "Live Music", "Good Food", "Award Winning Beers Better than ever!", "Refreshing ciders, wine & Pimms available", "Children's Activities", and "Ripon Cathedral Beer Festival Bank Holiday Monday 6 May 11.30am - 5.00pm". There is a small logo of three leaves in the bottom right corner.

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Children's Activities

Ripon Cathedral Beer Festival
Bank Holiday Monday 6 May
11.30am - 5.00pm

Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from the kitchen area at the front of Church. Please come and join us.



**WE NEED
YOUR HELP**

St Peter's gives out food parcels *every day* to those in need. Please, when you do your shopping this week, remember to pick up something extra - toiletries, tinned food, a packet of tea, biscuits - to bring to Church next Sunday to put in the hamper.

SANCTUARY

**our youth group
now meets every Sunday
in term time
from 6:00 – 7:30 pm
in the Brostoff Hall**

**WELCOME TO
OUR CHURCH**

New to St Peter's? Please fill in one of the welcome cards in the pews and hand it to one of the clergy.

Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (5th May) will be noon on Wednesday 1st May. Please send any items (including photos) to Marian Chambers:
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