

Weekly News 1st November 2020 All Saints' Day

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All Souls' Day Memorial Service



In the Anglican Communion, All Souls' Day is the traditional time to remember, with thanksgiving, our loved ones who have died. This evening, Sunday 1st November, there will be an All Souls' Memorial Service at 6:30 pm here at St Peter's Church, when families and friends will be invited to remember their loved ones and give thanks for their lives with prayers, readings and music.

God our refuge and strength, close at hand in our distress; meet us in our sorrow and lift our eyes to the peace and light of your constant care. Help us so to hear your word of grace that our fear will be dispelled by your love, our loneliness eased by your presence and our hope renewed by your promises in Jesus Christ our Lord.



Support the 2020 Poppy Appeal

Donations raised by the Poppy Appeal, which runs until 11th November, go towards supporting serving and ex-serving members of the British Armed Forces and their families – last year it raised more than £100 million. However, this year's Poppy Appeal could be in danger as many of its volunteer poppy sellers may not be able to do their usual street collections due to the coronavirus pandemic.

Poppies are available today in Church, and envelopes for cash or cheque donations (made out to *The Royal British Legion*) should be put in the Donations Box. You

can also buy poppies <u>online</u> or at most supermarkets. Also posters and colouring sheets can be <u>downloaded</u> for a small donation and displayed in your window to show your support. Visit <u>www.britishlegion.org.uk</u> to find out more.

Preparing for Advent and Christmas 2020: Comfort and Joy

Comfort and Joy, this year's Christmas campaign from the Church of England, holds together the hope that Christmas will bring joy and celebration after a uniquely difficult year with an acknowledgement that – for those who have lost loved ones or livelihoods, or who are potentially still not able to be together with loved ones – it may be the Church's role to provide consolation, rather than assume everyone will be ready to join in jubilation. A booklet of reflections, apps and emails, as well as online services and events, will be available.





This week's worship online

As not everyone can come to Church and take part in the services every week, we are continuing to live-stream services. To join in follow these links: <u>9:30 am Holy</u> <u>Communion</u> and <u>11:00 am Matins or Holy Communion (BCP)</u>. Tonight's **All Souls' Memorial Service** will be available via Zoom (Webinar ID: 857 2494 5722 Passcode: 396456). <u>Morning and Evening Prayer</u> are at 8:00 am and 5:00 pm from Monday to Saturday and will be live-streamed on Facebook and Zoom. You can also watch our Sunday services at a later time on the <u>St Peter's Church YouTube Channel</u>

Harrogate School of Theology & Mission

Tim Gordon speaks on: The changing song of the sea: despair, faith and hope in an age of environmental destruction

Tim Gordon is a marine biologist, studying the impacts of climate change on marine life from the Arctic Ocean to the Great Barrier Reef. In this lecture, Tim will share stories of praise inspired by the wonders of God's creation, despair at our destructive impact on ecosystems worldwide, and faith-based hope for the future of the natural world. This is at St Mark's Church on Saturday 14th November from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm.



The next Afternoon Church is on Sunday 8th November

This family service starts at 4:15 pm with **The Wisdom of Solomon** as its theme. Chris Clayton asks you to remember:

- Face coverings will need to be worn (unless you are exempt).
- Both the entrance and exit are via the Glass Foyer.
- Please do not congregate in groups when leaving.
- Stay in your 'bubble' no mixing with others!

Please book your table or pew directly with Chris Clayton – text 07407 258733 or email <u>chris.clayton@leeds.anglican.org</u>.

Archbishop of York enthroned in a socially distanced service

The Most Reverend Stephen Cottrell was enthroned as the 98th Archbishop of York in a ceremony at York Minster on the feast day of St Luke, Apostle and Evangelist. A limited number of people were allowed to attend the socially distanced service, which was streamed online. The Archbishop took his oath of office on the York Gospels, a manuscript book written and decorated by monks at Canterbury, that has been at the Minster since 1020. Please hold Archbishop Stephen, his family and all who support him in his ministry in your prayers.



Today's Services: 1st November 2020

All Saints' Day

Please arrive no later than 5 minutes before the start of the service, so everyone can be safely seated at a distance

9:30	Family Communion				
Sian Lockwood and Sarah Martin are to be sworn in as our Churchwardens at this					
service					
Hymns	1541 There is a higher throne; 5	1541 There is a higher throne; 595 When I look into Your			
	holiness; Christ be in my waking	holiness; Christ be in my waking; 183 Holy, holy, holy, Lord God			
	Almighty!				
Readings	Revelation 7 v 9 to end				
	Matthew 5 v 1 - 12	Our Duty Warden today is:			
Preacher:	Alan Garrow	Rachel Fell			
11:00	Choral Communion				
Setting	Ireland in C	Ireland in C			
Hymns	223, 222, 232 (omit v 2 and v 6)	223, 222, 232 (omit v 2 and v 6), 229			
Readings	Revelation 7 v 9 to end	Revelation 7 v 9 to end			
	Matthew 5 v 1 - 12				
Anthem	Holy is the true Light (<i>Harris</i>)	Holy is the true Light (<i>Harris</i>)			
Preacher:	Alan Garrow				
6:30	All Souls' Memorial Service				
Hymns	please see order of service	please see order of service			
Psalm	92				
Readings	1 Corinthians 13				
	Revelation 7 v 9 - 17				
Anthems	Agnus Dei (<i>Jack Longstaff 1921</i>	Agnus Dei (<i>Jack Longstaff 1921 – 2020</i>)			
	And I saw a new heaven (<i>Bainto</i>	And I saw a new heaven (<i>Bainton</i>)			
	In Paradisum (<i>Fauré</i>)				
Preacher:	Hannah Beck				

To keep everyone safe, please:

- wear a face covering and use the hand sanitiser;
- follow the one way system down the side aisles and up the centre aisle;
- keep your distance at all times, even when you share the peace;
- form a single, distanced queue in front of the dais to receive Communion a wafer, but not wine, will be distributed (please indicate in advance if you need a gluten-free wafer);
- **remember no refreshments** will be served after the service, but bottled water is available if you need it;
- leave via the West Door after the 9:30 am service, if you are able. Thank you!

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers: Pat Anderson, Ruth Bowes, Diana Braithwaite, Mary Burcher, Louise Emrullahu, Pam Gardiner, Vicky Harrison, Keith Helsby, Caroline Kelly, Charlie Martineau, Sheila Pantin, Michele Roszak, Frances Roxby-Proud and Colin Sinclair.		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. Whynot read them at home if you are unableto come to the service?MonAll Souls' DayPsalm 2	
RIP – Dolly Connors (bellringer), Valerie Fay Hooper, Stevie Woods			Daniel 1 Revelation 1
Also in our prayers this week:		Tues	Richard Hooker, Priest,1600
Mon	All those taking part in COVID-19 vaccine research studies The staff and patients at Harrogate Hospital		Psalm 5 Daniel 2 v 1 - 24 Revelation 2 v 1 - 11
Tues	All who have lost their jobs Those navigating the benefit	Wed	Psalm 9 Daniel 2 v 25 to end Revelation 2 v 12 to end
Wed	system for the first time The team preparing and serving Sunday Lunch at St Peter's	Thurs	Psalm 15 Daniel 3 v 1 - 18 Revelation 3 v 1 - 13
	Those delivering essential public services	Fri	William Temple, Archbishop of Canterbury 1944
Thurs	Catharine Davies, Lay Minister St Andrew's Evangelical Mission		Psalm 16 Daniel 3 v 19 to end
Fri	Those who are leading our nation Matt Hancock, responsible for oversight of the NHS	Sat	Revelation 3 v 14 to end <i>Willibrord of York, Bishop</i> Psalm 18 v 31 to end
Sat	Chris Clayton, our Curate All who read the lessons at our services		Daniel 4 v 1 - 18 Revelation 4

The Collect for All Saints' Day

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.

or

God of holiness, your glory is proclaimed in every age: as we rejoice in the faith of your saints, inspire us to follow their example with boldness and joy; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

What's on This Week

St Peter's Church is open for private prayer from 11:00 am – 1:00 pm every day except Sundays.

- Mon 2nd 4:30 4:50 pm hot food to eat in or take-away
- Tues 3rd4:30 4:50 pm food parcels available
- Wed 4th 4:30 4:50 pm hot food to eat in or take-away

4:00 – 5:00 pm **Sanctuary's Bible Study Group** meets at the **Everyman Cinema**. Please let Chris Clayton know if you are coming (07407 258733)

- Thurs 5th11:00 am Holy Communion4:30 4:50 pm food parcels available
- Fri 6th 4:30 4:50 pm hot food to eat in or take-away
- Sat 7th 4:30 4:50 pm food parcels available

Sun 8th Remembrance Sunday



1:00 – 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch
6:00 – 8:00 pm Sanctuary meet in the Vicarage Garden round a campfire. Please bring a folding chair if you have one.

Next Sunday 8th November Remembrance Sunday

9:30 Family Communion **10:55** Choral Matins 4:15 Afternoon Church To check availability and to book a pew at our morning services contact our Parish Administrator, Carole Raw, by 5:00 pm on Thursdays at <u>stpeterschurchhqtoffice@qmail.com</u> To book places at Afternoon Church contact Chris Clayton. **The Breakfast Club** provides a free, hot breakfast from Monday to Saturday (8:20 – 8:45 am) for all those who are hungry or in need. A hot **Sunday Lunch** (with distanced seating) is served from 1:00 – 1:30 pm.

Hot food to eat in (with distanced seating) or take away, available 4:30 – 4:50 pm on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

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A message from the Mayor's Office about Remembrance Sunday

On Sunday 8th November we are unable to hold the customary civic Remembrance Day service and wreath laying ceremony at the Harrogate Cenotaph. In order to adhere to the current restrictions in relation to the Covid-19 pandemic we are not permitted more than six people at the wreath laying ceremony at 11:00 am.

The Mayor along with a representative from each of the armed forces, the Royal British Legion and the Church will take part in the wreath laying, representing the citizens of the Borough of Harrogate and the relevant associations.



It is with regret that we are unable to invite organisations or individuals to join the private wreath laying service this year and ask that people remember from home. You are most welcome to visit the Cenotaph on the 8th November to pay your respects or lay a wreath, but we respectfully ask that you do not visit between 10:45 am and 11:30 am when the civic wreath laying will take place.

We are keen to ensure that the day is marked in a safe, respectful and appropriate way. Please accept our sincere apologies for the changes to the customary format. Sent with best wishes from the Mayor's Office

At St Peter's we will be exploring the theme of Remembrance in both our morning services next Sunday, but without the usual uniformed organisations and civic representatives. Please note **Choral Matins will start at 10:55 am** as we will be observing the two minute silence in Church. Remember to book with Carole Raw, (<u>stpeterschurchhgtoffice@gmail.com</u>) before Thursday if you would like to attend.





St Peter's is continuing to give out food *every day* to those in need. If you would like to donate something toiletries, tinned and dried food – please bring it to Church next Sunday or from 4:00 – 5:00 pm daily.

A prayer for Sarah and Sian, our new Churchwardens

May God be your helper, and give you grace to serve him with joy, with humility and with strength. And may your ministry as Churchwarden witness to the gospel of Christ, and serve the building up of his kingdom and of his Church, now and always.



Welcome to St Peter's Church

You can join us online or in person

New to St Peter's? Please give your contact details to one of the Clergy after the service.

Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (8th November) will be noon on Wednesday 4th November. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow **or** to Marian Chambers (addresses below).

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