

Weekly News 10th September 2023

. The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

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

Looking forward to First Sundays

The first Sundays of the month have always been a little different at 9:30 am Family Communion – we worship all together for the whole service and there is no Sunday Club. In the coming months we want to make the most of this opportunity to be together, learn together and worship together. As a result, you may notice some changes.



Our Curates, Steve Gibbin and Karin Shaw, will lead the two First Sunday Teams.

There will be two teams taking responsibility for planning this service – with Karin Shaw leading one team and Steve Gibbin leading the other. Do speak with one or other of them if you would like to support or participate in some way.

The Parish Church Council has agreed that these teams should have the freedom to use a different form of service,

which might not include Holy Communion, if this helps serve the whole act of worship. On the rare occasions when this type of change is planned, good notice will be given and another opportunity to receive Holy Communion will, as is usual on the first Sunday of the month, be available at 11:00 am Choral Communion.

Our desire is to offer worship that honours God and with which the whole church family can engage. This means that your support, encouragement and feedback will be important as we work to develop acts of worship to which everyone can look forward.

Alan Garrow, Vicar of St Peter's Church



and carers are free.

A new venue for St Peter's Ladies who Lunch

The Ladies who Lunch are meeting again on Friday 22nd September at 12:15 pm at the Nomad Café on Beulah Street. One big advantage of this café is that it is on street level, so there are no stairs. The menu is obviously different, but includes sandwiches and scones, and they have vegetarian, vegan, and gluten free options. If you would like to join them

for food and fellowship, then please contact Sue Heapy (07540 355 305 or <u>brynsusie@hotmail.com</u>) before 17th September, so she can book a table.

Heritage Open Days in the Valley Gardens on 10th and 17th September

As part of the Heritage Open Days scheme, Jane Blayney, an expert and author on Valley Gardens, is hosting two guided walks through this Grade II listed park, home to medicinal wells; specialist gardens; and magnificent trees, often with fascinating origins and histories. The walks begins outside the Magnesia Well Café at 2:00 pm. Free tickets are available on <u>Eventbrite</u> or contact Jane at <u>jane.blayney23@gmail.com</u> or 07794 583 888.



Vocalis celebrates their 50th Anniversary: 1974 - 2024



To launch their 50th Anniversary celebrations, Vocalis Chamber Choir is hosting a **Come and Sing 'Best of Baroque'** event on Saturday 21st October here in St Peter's Church starting at 1:00 pm. Singers are warmly invited to join Vocalis for an afternoon workshop to learn and sing some

well-known and glorious masterpieces by great Baroque composers. This exciting and rewarding afternoon of rehearsal will culminate in a 'Best of Baroque' public concert at 6:00 pm. Vocalis's Musical Director, Alex Kyle, will be the conductor on the day. He has chosen an exciting programme of music including movements from Vivaldi's Gloria, J.S. Bach's Magnificat, Purcell's Hail Bright Cecilia and pieces by Handel plus Peruchona's Cessate Tympana. Eleonore Cockerham will be the soprano soloist and John Longstaff, renowned musician and Director of Music and Organist at St Peter's Church, will accompany. For full details and a registration form go to <u>www.harrogatevocalis.org.uk</u>. The deadline for registration is 30th September. Evening concert tickets will be available at the door or in advance via: <u>www.harrogatevocalis.org.uk</u> or Eventbrite. Adults £10; Students £5; and Under 19s

Judith Clark leaves St Peter's

Last month our Associate Priest, the Revd Dr Judith Clark, was appointed as the next Vicar of Clitheroe, Chatburn and Downham in Lancashire. Her last Sunday at St Peter's will be Harvest Sunday 1st October – if you would like to contribute towards a gift for her please put any donation in an envelope marked 'Judith Clark' in the donations box by 24th September. We will say our final farewell to Judith at the Harvest Supper on Saturday 7th October.



The Bishop of Blackburn will institute, and the Archdeacon of Blackburn will induct Judith on Sunday 19th November 2023 at 7:00 pm at St Mary's Church, Clitheroe. Please speak to Carole Raw in the Parish Office (*07425 161 425*) before 5th November if you are planning to attend and could offer someone a lift or if you yourself would like a lift.



Come to The Market Day Café

The *Market Day Café* is on the second Thursday of each month. The next one is this week on Thursday 14th September at 11:30 am after the Holy Communion service. They will be serving hot drinks, homemade soups, fresh sandwiches, scones and delicious cakes!

Men's Breakfast at St Peter's: Saturday 16th September 2023

Beginning with Morning Prayers at 8:00 am for those who wish to take part, and breakfast from 8:30 to 9:00 am, followed by an informal discussion session in The Gallery for perhaps 30 minutes or so. Please text Bryn Heapy on 07561 889 076 if you are planning to come or email him at brynsusie@hotmail.com.



Come for lunch next Sunday



The Sunday Lunch Club meets again next Sunday 17th September. It is open to everyone and there's no need to book or bring anything – although any donations towards the cost will be gratefully received! Lunch will be served at 1:00 pm. Please speak to Hannah Beck (07503 186 455) or Yvonne Dawes (07960 779 381) if you would like to know more.

St Peter's Strollers meet at Valley Gardens on Tuesday

St Peter's Strollers meet again this week on Tuesday 12th September at the gates of Valley Gardens at 10:30 am for a gentle stroll. Their next meeting will be at Ripley on Tuesday 26th September – full details coming soon!

Today's Services: 10th September 2023

The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity Creationtide

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 Activity Bags to share.

Hymns	Today; 423 O Lord, hear my pr great is our God	ayer; Christ be in my waking; How
Readings	Romans 13 v 8 to end	
Reddings	Matthew 18 v 15 - 20	
Preacher:	Alan Garrow	
	Alah Garrow	Our Duty Wardens today are:
11:00	Choral Matins	Roy Taylor and
Setting	Boyce in C (Te Deum)	Carrie Brown
Hymns	490, 599, 474	
Psalm	490, 399, 474 119 v 17 - 32	
Readings	Jeremiah 15 v 15 - 21	
	Romans 13 v 8 to end	
Anthem	Cantate Domino (<i>Pitoni</i>)	
Preacher:	Alan Garrow	
4:15 pm	Stepping Stones Service Holy Col	mmunion
Preacher:	Chris Clayton	
6:30	Choral Evensong	
Setting	Gibbons Short Service	
Hymns	427, 520, 543	
Psalm	108	
Readings	Ezekiel 12 v 21 – 13 v 16	
	Acts 19 v 1 - 20	
Anthem	Beati quorum via (<i>Stanford</i>)	
Preacher:		
	Tony Shepherd	

This week's worship online

We are continuing to live stream Morning and Evening Prayer on Facebook and Zoom at 8:00 am and 5:00 pm from Monday to Saturday. To join in follow the <u>links</u> on our website. Whenever we are unable to stream these services, it is possible to follow the day's liturgy via the national <u>Daily Prayer website</u>.

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers: Pat Anderson, Beverley Cooper, Kate Edmundson, Tony Edwards, Louise Emrullahu, David Fisher, Vicky Harrison, June Hemmings, Trevor Hughes, Jackie Kelly, Derek Mansfield, Kim Okell, Sheila Pantin, Frances Roxby-Proud, Michelle Simon, Richard Skidmore and Edward Vear.		Daily ReadingsMorning Prayer is at 8:00 am andEvening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily. Bothservices are livestreamed on Facebookand Zoom – join in by following the linkson our website. These are the Biblereadings we will be using each morningthis week.MonPsalm 1Zechariah 4Mark 9 v 38 to end		
Also in o Mon	ur prayers this week: The children sponsored through <i>Compassion UK</i> Catharine Davies, Licensed Lay	h	Tues Wed	Psalm 5 Zechariah 6 v 9 to end Mark 10 v 1 - 16 John Chrysostom, Bishop of
Tues	Minister Those feeling lost, lonely and isolated St Peter's Welcomers Team			<i>Constantinople, Teacher</i> Psalm 119 v 1 - 32 Zechariah 7 Mark 10 v 17 - 31
Wed Thurs	Local retail, hospitality and leise businesses The Artizan Café	ure	Thurs	<i>Holy Cross Day</i> Psalm 2 Genesis 3 v 1 - 15 John 12 v 27 – 36a
murs	Social care workers, helping people to live independently ar with dignity All who lead the prayers at our services		Fri	Cyprian, Bishop of Carthage, Martyr, 258 Psalm 19 Zechariah 8 v 9 to end Mark 10 v 35 - 45
Fri Sat	St Peter's Evening Fellowship The Sunday Lunch Club Karin Shaw, Curate at St Peter's All suffering with physical and mental ill-health	5	Sat	Ninian, Bishop of Galloway, Apostle of the Picts, c 432 Psalm 23 Zechariah 9 v 1 - 12 Mark 10 v 46 to end
The Collect for The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity (Common Worship) Merciful God, your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross: may we trust in your mercy and know your love, rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.		The Collect for The Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity (Book of Common Prayer) Almighty and everlasting God, give unto us the increase of faith, hope, and charity; and, that we may obtain that which thou dost promise, make us to love that which thou dost command; through Jesus Christ our Lord.		

	What's on This Week
St Peter's Church	h is open to visitors from 9:30 am – 3:30 pm every day except Sundays.
Mon 11 th	 1:30 – 3:00 pm The <i>Thinking about God</i> group meets in the Undercroft 2:00 pm The U3A Singing Folk group 7:00 – 9:00 pm Rehearsal for <i>Narnia, the Musical</i> in Church
Tues 12 th	12:00 – 12:30 pm Healing Service 10:30 am <i>St Peter's Strollers</i> meet at the main gates of Valley Gardens
Wed 13 th	 10:30 – 11:00 am Café RefleXions 11:30 – 1:00 pm Harrogate <i>Rethink</i> Support Group 2:00 – 4:00 pm <i>Spectrum</i>, a social group for widows and widowers, meet in the Brostoff Hall 7:30 pm Harrogate Harmony Men's Chorus
Thurs 14 th	9:30 – 11:00 am The Toddler Group at St Peter's 11:00 am Holy Communion 11:30 am – 1:30 pm The Market Day Café 7:00 – 8:30 pm The Gallery Home Group resumes 7:30 pm St Peter's Choir Practice
Fri 15 th	9:30 am AA meeting in the Music Room 10:00 am – 12:00 pm St Peter's Cleaning Team 10:30 am – 12:45 pm <i>Café Connect</i> meets in the Brostoff Hall
Sat 16 th	8:00 am Men's Breakfast at St Peter's
Sun 17 th	The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity 1:00 pm The Sunday Lunch Club 7:30 – 8:30 pm AA meeting in the Brostoff Hall 5:30 – 7:00 pm <i>Sanctuary</i> , our youth group are meeting in the Brostoff Hall

Next Sunday 17 th September
The Fifteenth Sunday after Trinity

- 8:30 Holy Communion
- 9:30 Family Communion
- 11:00 Choral Matins
- 4:15 Stepping Stones Service - Crafternoon
- 6:30 Choral Communion

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 each week at 1:00 pm, except for the third Sunday of the month when it is *Sunday Lunch Club*. Hot food is available 4:30 – 4:50 pm on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Our mini Supermarket is on Thursdays 4:30 – 4:50 pm.

Commemorating 100 years of Harrogate's War Memorial

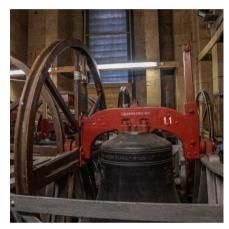


The exhibition *More than a name on a Memorial* started on Friday 1st September and runs on Fridays (10:00 am -4:00 pm), Saturdays (10:00 am -4:00 pm) and Sundays (1:00 -5:00 pm) until 12th November at West Park URC. Entry is free.

This week on Thursday 14th September at 7:00 pm British Army veteran Catherine Munro MBE, the first female soldier to hold the rank of Commonwealth Sergeant Major, will give a talk entitled *100 years plus* – *Women in War* at West Park URC. To book tickets and to find out more about this and other events visit: *https://thecenotaphcentenary.info/programme*.

Free Bell Tower Tours at Ripon Cathedral

As part of the National Heritage Open Day on Saturday 16th September, Ripon Cathedral are offering three FREE tours of their bell tower with ten people permitted per tour. Due to the necessity to climb tight spiral staircases and navigate along narrow passageways, the tours may be inaccessible to some people. No children under 7 and under 16s must be accompanied by a responsible adult. To reserve a place, please visit the Cathedral Shop.





Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from



the kitchen area at the front of Church. Please come and join us.



St Peter's is continuing to give out food *every day* to those in need. Please, when you do your shopping this week, remember to pick up a few tins or some toiletries to bring to Church next week to put in the hamper. **Thank you!**

Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (17th September) will be noon on Wednesday 13th September. Please send any items (including photos) to **The Weekly News Editor** Marian Chambers *marian.chambers41@gmail.com*



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

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