



Weekly News

19th September 2021

The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

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

Artizan International opens a new café and creative space

Breaking news!! *Artizan International* is excited to announce that we are opening a Café and Creative Space just along the road from St Peter's, next door to Tesco Express. Our fair trade shop on Oxford Street,

ARTIZAN, will remain where it is, as since moving into this beautiful building early last year, we've already completely filled it and realised that we will definitely need additional space if we want to run a café as well – which has been part of our vision for a very long time now. It's wonderful to finally be able to bring this to fruition.



The café will provide training and work experience for young adults with learning disabilities, and also visually impaired adults too - who we'll be teaching to make bread. We'll be serving a gorgeous range of fair trade teas, coffees and Peruvian-style hot chocolate, alongside a mouth-watering array of cakes, made by our differently-able trainees. It's a fantastic opportunity to showcase their skills and abilities to the people of Harrogate and encourage local employers to consider taking them on once they have completed 6 - 12 months' training with us. In the creative space we'll be running more

therapeutic crafts workshops for adults and children with disabilities, to increase the range of what we're currently able to offer, plus workshops for the paying public too to help cover some of the running costs of the building.

Right now we're transforming the space from an empty shell to a glorious café, but we'd love to have your help! If you'd like to volunteer with this, or in the future as a helper to support our trainees in the café or kitchen, we'd love to hear from you.

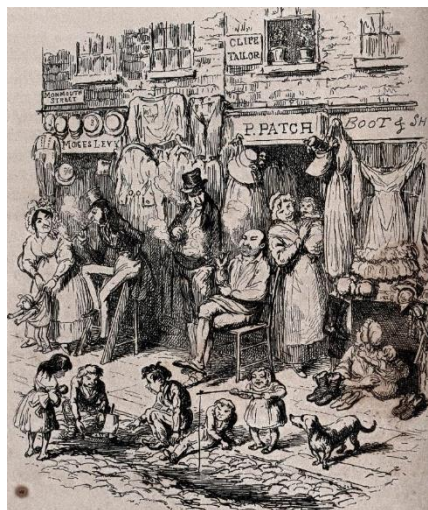
Susie Hart MBE, *Director of Artizan International*

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Harrogate School of Theology & Mission

Stephen Cottrell, Archbishop of York, speaks on *Travelling Well: A Theological Reflection on the Place of Pilgrimage in the Christian Life*

The first lecture of the new season is at St Mark's Church on this coming Saturday 25th September 2021, starting with a continental breakfast served from 9:30 am, then the lecture from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm. Tickets cost £8 per session or £25 for the series of four (students £5 per session or £15 for the series) including breakfast and refreshments. Fees payable preferably in advance by the online booking system *Eventbrite* or on the day by contactless card or cheque.



Come and paint the scenery!

The next production for our drama group, St Peter's Players, is the musical **OLIVER!** running from 4th – 6th November 2021 here at St Peter's Church. The actors have been cast and rehearsals are underway. Now they are looking for scenic artists to help create the scenery – the London of Charles Dickens. If you have any artistic talent and would like to join the crew, please speak to John Hain, the Director (*and also playing Fagin, my dears*), or email him at jmhain@gmail.com.

St Peter's Ladies who Lunch

The **Ladies who Lunch** are meeting again at 12:15 pm on Wednesday 22nd September at the Palm Court Café at the bottom of Montpellier Hill. If you are interested in joining us for food and fellowship, then please call or text Sue Heapy (07540 355305 or email brynsusie@hotmail.com) **TODAY**, Sunday 19th, so she can book a table for us.



St Peter's Annual Animal Service

Our annual Animal Service is at 4:15 pm on Sunday 3rd October. If you are bringing an animal, it must be under control at all times – either on a lead or in a carrier – and stay with you at your table. Or, if you prefer, just bring a photo of your pet or a toy animal. Please let our Curate, Chris Clayton, know if you are coming (07407 258733 or chris.clayton@leeds.anglican.org).

An invitation to St Peter's Church Picnic from Alan and Emma Garrow

On Sunday 26th September at 1:00pm, bring a picnic lunch to eat in the Vicarage garden (weather permitting). This is simply an opportunity to get to know new members of the St Peter's family, and to reconnect with those we've not seen in a while. The Vicarage is now easier than ever to find ... from whichever end of Beech Grove you start, the new bollards will eventually stop you immediately outside our house: 13 Beech Grove, Harrogate HG2 0ET. It will be great to see you there!

St Peter's Harvest Sunday 2021

On Sunday 3rd October we are celebrating the Harvest. This year we will be supporting the **Christian Aid Harvest Appeal** (see page 7) and making **Harvest Hampers** for the housebound or elderly in our congregation. Bunches of flowers; small potted plants; jars of jam or honey; biscuits; small, wrapped cakes or fruit loaves; bars and boxes of chocolate; notelets or small cards; or fresh fruit are all needed to fill the hampers.



Leading soprano Dame Emma Kirby to sing at St Peter's



The great English soprano Dame Emma Kirkby will be a soloist in a performance of **J S Bach's Mass in B minor** with St Peter's Choir and Vocalis at St Peter's Church on Friday 8th October starting at 7:15 pm. The Harrogate Bach Players will be led by Fiona Love, with organist Alan Horsey. The performance will be directed by John Longstaff, our Director of Music. Tickets cost £15 and are on sale from 27th September by 'phone 07425 161425 or via Eventbrite. *N.B. Tickets for the postponed April 2020 performance will still be valid.*

Sanctuary's Welcome Back Party

St Peter's youth group, Sanctuary, met up again after their Summer break last Sunday and, by the looks of it, had a great time!



We meet from
5:30 – 7:00 pm on
Sundays in the
Brostoff Hall –
JOIN US!

Today's Services: 19th September 2021

The Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity
Third Sunday of Creationtide

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

Sunday Club will return in October, until then children and their parents are welcome to pick up an Activity Bag from the table by the entrance to explore during the service.

Hymns Today is the day we've been given; Christ be in my waking; **1674**
Your love; **1404** King of Kings, Majesty

Readings James 3 v 1 - 12
Mark 8 v 27 - 38

Preacher: Sarah Martin

11:00 Battle of Britain Service

We especially welcome past and present members of the Royal Air Force and its Reserve Forces to this thanksgiving service.

Setting Vaughan Williams in G (Te Deum)

Hymns *please see order of service*

Readings 1 Maccabees 3 v 13 - 23
Philippians 2 v 4 - 11

Anthem Give us the wings of faith (*Ernest Bullock*)

Preacher: Richard Morris



4:15 pm Stepping Stones Service

Crafternoon Church

Preacher: Chris Clayton

6:30 Choral Communion

Setting Darke in F

Hymns 258, 320, 309, 277

Readings James 3 v 1 - 12
Mark 8 v 27 - 38

Anthem Locus iste (*Bruckner*)

Preacher: Alan Garrow

Our Duty Wardens today are:

Eve Hawkins and
Sian Lockwood

This week's worship online

We are continuing to live stream the following services on Facebook and Zoom: [9:30 am Holy Communion](#) and [11:00 am Matins or Holy Communion \(BCP\)](#) on Sundays; [Morning and Evening Prayer](#) at 8:00 am and 5:00 pm from Monday to Saturday. To join in follow the links here or on our website.

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

Pat Anderson, Ruth Bowes, Graham Cornish, Geni Emrullahu, Louise Emrullahu, Pam Gardiner, Vicky Harrison, June Hemmings, Miriam Jones, Jackie Kelly, Charlie Martineau and Sheila Pantin.

Also in our prayers this week:

- Mon** Emma Raducanu, the first British woman to win a Grand Slam singles title in 44 years
St Aidan's CE High School
- Tues** The team preparing and serving Sunday Lunch
All who work in foodbanks
- Wed** Haulage firms struggling to find sufficient HGV drivers
Those suffering from work-related stress
- Thurs** Those delivering essential public services
Delivery drivers and postal workers
- Fri** Those who are recently bereaved
St Michael's Hospice
- Sat** Chris Clayton, our Curate
The Stepping Stones Service tomorrow afternoon

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** *John Coleridge Patteson and his companions, Martyrs*
Psalm 44
Wisdom 11 v 21 – 12 v 2
Mark 12 v 28 - 34
- Tues** ***Matthew, Apostle and Evangelist***
Psalm 49
1 Kings 19 v 15 to end
2 Timothy 3 v 14 to end
- Wed**
Psalm 119 v 57 - 80
Wisdom 13 v 1 - 9
Mark 13 v 1 - 13
- Thurs**
Psalm 57
Wisdom 16 v 15 – 17 v 1
Mark 13 v 14 - 23
- Fri**
Psalm 51
Wisdom 18 v 6 - 19
Mark 13 v 24 - 31
- Sat** *Lancelot Andrewes, Bishop of Winchester, 1626*
Psalm 68
Wisdom 19
Mark 13 v 32 to end

The Collect for the Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you; and grant that they may both perceive and know what things they ought to do, and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them; 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

Lord of creation, whose glory is around and within us: open our eyes to your wonders, that we may serve you with reverence and know your peace at our lives' end, 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 20th** 1:30 – 3:00 pm *Thinking about God* discussion group in The Undercroft. Contact Paul Gill (07580 310971)
4:30 - 4:50 pm hot food to eat in or take-away
7:00 pm **Oliver!** Rehearsal – *Where is love? Does it fall from skies above?*
- Tues 21st** **12:00 – 12:30 pm Healing Service**
7:00 pm **Oliver!** Rehearsal – *Where is she? Who I close my eyes to see?*
- Wed 22nd** **10:30 – 11:00 am Café RefleXions**
12:15 pm **St Peter's Ladies who Lunch** are meeting at the Palm Court Café
4:30 - 4:50 pm hot food to eat in or take-away
- Thurs 23rd** 9:30 – 11:00 am Toddler Group
11:00 am Holy Communion
4:30 - 4:50 pm Mini Supermarket
7:30 pm St Peter's Choir Practice
- Fri 24th** 4:30 - 4:50 pm hot food to eat in or take-away
- Sat 25th** 10:00 am – 4:00 pm **Vocalis**, Harrogate's leading chamber choir, are holding a Refreshment Day
- Sun 26th** **The Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity**
Bigger Band Sunday
1:00 – 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch
1:00 pm St Peter's Church Picnic in the Vicarage Garden
5:30 – 7:00 pm **Sanctuary**, our Youth Group are meeting in the Brostoff Hall with the usual games, Playstation and table tennis.

Next Sunday 26th September **The Seventeenth Sunday after** **Trinity**

Bigger Band Sunday

- 8:30 Holy Communion
9:30 Family Communion
11:00 Choral Matins
4:15 Stepping Stones Service
– *Service of the Word*
6:30 Choral Evensong

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** is served from 1:00 – 1:30 pm.

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.

Sisters stronger together: united we can save lives



This year the **Christian Aid Harvest Appeal** focuses on Malawi in East Africa - there the combination of gender inequality, energy poverty, financial exclusion and the impacts of climate change makes life especially challenging for rural women. Women face constraints including lack of assets, limited income and restricted access to finance and credit.

To tackle these issues, **Christian Aid** is supporting women to establish their own sustainable energy businesses and promote gender equality through the EU-funded *Breaking the Barriers* programme. Makande Women's Group (*pictured above*) is a Women-Led Sustainable Energy Enterprise (WLSEE) that makes baobab juice.

Baobab is a tree that grows in Africa, Australia, and the Middle East. Every part of the tree has traditionally been used as food, as medicine, or as the basis of clothing or household items. The fruits are about 15 – 20 cm long and hang upside down from the tree and when made into a juice have a citrus flavour.

St Peter's Church will be celebrating the work of **Christian Aid** at our Harvest services on Sunday 3rd October. If you would like to find out more or make a donation please do so at www.christianaid.org.uk/harvest-appeal.

Praying for the UN Climate Change Conference – COP26 Goal Two



The second goal for COP 26 is to **adapt to protect communities and natural habitats**. The climate is already changing, and it will continue to change even as we reduce emissions, with devastating effects.

We pray that nations can work effectively together to enable and encourage countries affected by climate change to protect and restore their ecosystems and build defences, warning systems and resilient infrastructure and agriculture to avoid future loss of homes, livelihoods and even lives.

T H A N K Y O U

St Peter's gives out food every day to those in need. Thank you so much if you remembered to bring some groceries or toiletries to put in the hamper this week.



*The banns of marriage are published between **Nicola Katherine Doherty** and **Benjamin Richard Whiting**. This is for the third time of asking. If any of you know any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it.*

Sunday Club returns in October

On the 3rd, 10th and 17th October Sunday Club will be available during our 9:30 am Family Communion Service again, but numbers will be limited. To check availability and to book a place email our Parish Administrator, Carole Raw, at stpeterschurchhgtoffice@gmail.com

**Welcome to
St Peter's
Church**

*You can join us
online or in person*



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 (26th September) will be noon on Wednesday 22nd September. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow or to Marian Chambers (addresses below).

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