



Weekly News

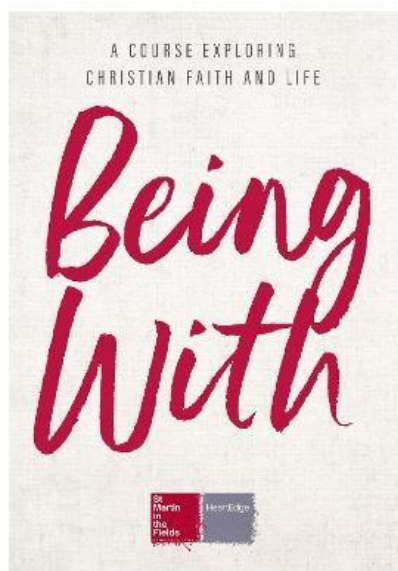
21st August 2022

The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

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Being With – a course exploring Christian faith and life



Being With is an invitation to explore the Christian faith with others in an open, positive and inclusive way. It has been designed particularly with those searching the Christian faith for the first time or re-examining their faith after a significant break.

Started as an initiative during lockdown at St Martins-in-the-Field, it was a new way to engage with enquirers. It was found that discovering together through conversation as a group online was a gift rather than a hindrance, so this online format has been adopted for the ten weeks of the course.

The basis of the course is that Christianity is not a message or a set of convictions. As Jesus shows, it *is* a form of relationship – with God, ourselves, one another and the world. On the course, we take a journey alongside each other, exploring our experience of faith alongside aspects of Christian teaching and together reflecting on how God's Spirit might already be at work in our everyday lives.



The ***Being With*** course will begin at St Peter's online via Zoom from 7:45 to 9:15 pm on Monday 12th September: for more information or to book a place please speak to Alan Garrow or Chris Clayton.

Catharine Davies, *Licensed Lay Minister*

It's Sunday Lunch Club TODAY

The Sunday Lunch Club meets again today Sunday 21st August. 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 186455) or Yvonne Dawes (07960 779381) if you would like to know more.



St Peter's Ladies who Lunch – book today!

The Ladies who Lunch are meeting again on **Wednesday 24th August** at 12:15 pm at the Palm Court Café at the bottom of Montpellier Hill. If you would like to join us for food and fellowship, then please contact Sue Heapy (07540 355 305) or brynsusie@hotmail.com) TODAY, 21st August, so she can book a table for us.

The medieval stained glass of York

The next meeting of St Peter's Evening Fellowship is on Thursday 1st September at 7:30 pm in the Brostoff Hall. Our Chairman, Paul Medforth, who is a guide at York Minster, has kindly agreed to make a presentation entitled 'The Medieval Stained Glass of York'. During the Middle Ages there were 40 churches within the York City walls, plus the Minster and many monastic houses. These buildings had windows which contained wonderful stained glass and many of these windows survive.



Members are most welcome to bring along guests. Further details from Richard Bion (07966 073867 or my new email address richardbion9@gmail.com).



Why I am a member of a Home Group

I started my first Home Group earlier this year and decided to start the Bible Course which I had undertaken with Sarah after my first Alpha. It has been one of the best things I've done as it brought home to me the importance of being together in a small group of like-minded people to discuss our faith in a relaxed, safe environment. I have learnt so much by listening to, and observing, people during the

course. Having only five in the group, it allowed opportunities for everyone to be involved and we all felt it had been beneficial to our spiritual development, as well as getting to know other members of the St Peter's Church Family even better.

Roy Taylor



Harrogate School of Theology & Mission

The 2022/23 programme includes five live lectures led by well-qualified speakers and four facilitated discussions based on DVD presentations by leading theologians (*Bibletrack Seminars*). The live lectures take place at St Mark's Church, Leeds Road and include breakfast and mid-morning refreshments. *Bibletrack Seminars* are at present on Zoom. Full details at <https://hstm.org.uk/>

Harrogate School of Theology & Mission - Programme for 2022/23

24th September 2022 9.30 am – 12.00 noon St Mark's Harrogate	Professor Tom McLeish <i>Fellow of the Royal Society, physicist and writer</i>	Faith and Wisdom in Science <i>(live lecture)</i>
8th October 2022 9.30 am – 12.00 noon	The Rt Revd Andrew Emerton <i>Bishop of Sherwood</i>	<i>Bibletrack seminar:</i> Can you trust the Bible Part 1 <i>(DVD and facilitated discussion)</i>
19th November 2022 9.30 am – 12.00 noon St Mark's Harrogate	The Revd Roy Searle <i>Founder of the Northumbria Community</i>	Wisdom from the past, illumine our path for today <i>(live lecture)</i>
10th December 2022 9.30 am – 12.00 noon	The Rt Revd Andrew Emerton <i>Bishop of Sherwood</i>	<i>Bibletrack seminar:</i> Can you trust the Bible Part 2 <i>(DVD and facilitated discussion)</i>
21st January 2023 10.00 am – 12.00 noon Online by Zoom only	Dr Eve Poole <i>Speaker and commentator on leadership, character, ethics and money</i>	TBA <i>(live lecture)</i>
4th February 2023 9.30 am – 12.00 noon	The Rt Revd Graham Tomlin <i>President of St Mellitus College and Bishop of Kensington</i>	<i>Bibletrack seminar:</i> Is religion bad for you? Part 1 <i>(DVD and facilitated discussion)</i>
11th March 2023 9.30 am – 12.00 noon St Mark's Harrogate	Professor Paul Foster <i>Head of the School of Divinity, University of Edinburgh</i>	TBA <i>(live lecture)</i>
22nd April 2023 9.30 am – 12.00 noon	The Rt Revd Graham Tomlin <i>President of St Mellitus College and Bishop of Kensington</i>	<i>Bibletrack seminar:</i> Is religion bad for you? Part 1 <i>(DVD and facilitated discussion)</i>
13th May 2023 9.30 am – 12.00 noon St Mark's Harrogate	Lord Rowan Williams <i>Former Archbishop of Canterbury</i>	TBA <i>(live lecture)</i>

Today's Services: 21st August 2022

The Tenth Sunday after Trinity

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

Sunday Club is closed for the Summer, 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 **192** How lovely on the mountains (v 1, 2 and 4); **124** Give thanks; **418** O Jesus, I have promised (v 1, 2 and 5); **32** At the name of Jesus (v 1, 2 and 5)

Readings Hebrews 12 v 18 to the end
Luke 13 v 10 - 17

Preacher: Tony Shepherd

11:00 Choral Matins

Setting Sullivan in D (Jubilate)

Hymns 514, 562, 549

Psalm 119 v 17 - 32

Readings Jeremiah 1 v 4 - 10
Luke 13 v 10 - 17

Anthem The Lost Chord (*Sullivan*)

Preacher: Oliver Longstaff

Our Duty Wardens today are:
Sarah Martin
and Paul Medforth

4:15 pm Stepping Stones Service Crafternoon Church

Preacher: Ruth Thompson-Vear

6:30 Choral Evensong

Setting Dyson in F

Hymns 523, 379, 14

Psalm 119 v 33 - 48

Readings Isaiah 30 v 8 - 21
Matthew 21 v 28 - 32

Anthem Above all praise and all majesty (*Mendelssohn*)

Preacher: Michael Hunter

This week's worship online

We are continuing to live stream the following service on Facebook and Zoom - 9:30 am Family Communion on Sunday (also available on *St Peter's YouTube channel* to watch later). We will not be livestreaming Morning and Evening Prayer from Wednesday 17th – Tuesday 30th August. More information on our [website](#).

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

Pat Anderson, Robert Bickford, Ruth Bowes, Georgia Gabrielle Bradley, Michael Bradley, Tony Edwards, Geni Emrullahu, Louise Emrullahu, Jo Fellows, David Fisher, Vicky Harrison, June Hemmings, Trevor Hughes, Jackie Kelly, Sheila Pantin, Frances Roxby-Proud and Michelle Simon.

Also in our prayers this week:

Mon	St Aidan's CE High School Sanctuary , St Peter's Youth Group
Tues	All those providing care or help to a vulnerable person St Peter's Pastoral Support Team
Wed	Those struggling with debt Christian debt counselling charities
Thurs	All who work in the medical and healing professions Those receiving their GCSE results today
Fri	Harrogate Borough Council St Peter's Players
Sat	<i>Wellspring Therapy & Training</i> , supporting people in distress and promoting good mental health All those suffering from anxiety and depression

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.

Mon	Psalm 71 1 Samuel 24 Acts 3 v 11 to end
Tues	Psalm 73 1 Samuel 26 Acts 4 v 1 - 12
Wed	Bartholomew the Apostle Psalm 86 Genesis 28 v 10 - 11 John 1 v 43 to end
Thurs	Psalm 78 1 Samuel 31 Acts 4 v 32 – 5 v 11
Fri	Psalm 55 2 Samuel 1 Acts 5 v 12 - 26
Sat	<i>Monica, Mother of Augustine of Hippo, 387</i> Psalm 76 2 Samuel 2 v 1 - 11 Acts 5 v 27 to end

The Collect for The Tenth Sunday after Trinity (Common Worship)

Lord of heaven and earth, as Jesus taught his disciples to be persistent in prayer, give us patience and courage never to lose hope, but always to bring our prayers before you;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Collect for The Tenth Sunday after Trinity (Book of Common Prayer)

Let thy merciful ears, O Lord, be open to the prayers of thy humble servants; and that they may obtain their petitions make them to ask such things as shall please thee;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

What's on This Week

*St Peter's Church is open for private prayer from 9:15 am – 1:00 pm every day except Sundays. There is a **BOOK SALE** in the Glass Foyer on 23rd and 24th August.*

- Mon 22nd** 2:00 pm The U3A Singing Folk group
- Tues 23rd** **12:00 – 12:30 pm Healing Service**
- Wed 24th** **10:30 – 11:00 am Café RefleXions**
12:15 pm *St Peter's Ladies who Lunch* are meeting at the Palm Court Café
7:30 pm Harrogate Harmony Men's Chorus
- Thurs 25th** 9:30 – 11:00 am The Toddler Group at St Peter's
11:00 am Holy Communion
Choir practices are suspended until 8th September
- Fri 26th** 9:30 am AA meeting in the Music Room
10:00 am – 12:00 pm St Peter's Cleaning Team – new members welcome - please contact Howard Jones through the Parish Office
- Sat 27th**
- Sun 28th** ***The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity***
1:00 – 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch

Next Sunday 28th August

The Eleventh Sunday after Trinity

- 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 (8:15 – 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.

Why I am a member of a Home Group



Apart from the study, which is always a learning experience (hopefully), my main advice for folks to join a group is so that they have someone looking out for them. I have heard many stories of people who have left one church or another because nobody was checking in with them when they were having a tough time. It's not realistic to expect clergy to do this for an entire congregation, or for individuals to know that another is struggling, so groups provide that support network for anyone in their group at any time.

Peter Hallam

St Peter's Library and Books Table

The *Help Yourself Book Table* is here again! It's at the front of Church near the Prayer Tree. Do feel free to browse and take a book home to keep or pass on.

The Library books are on the shelves behind the Welcomers' Desk. These inspirational books are available to borrow - just sign in the red book on the lower shelf. Enjoy your reading!

Kathy Richards and Pauline Harrison



Popular Organ Recital

by John Longstaff
St Peter's Organist and Director of Music

2:00pm Monday 29th August
at St Peter's Church

Tickets £10 at the door (cash or cheque please)
Cream Tea served afterwards

Café RefleXions

Coffee, cake and contemplation



Wednesdays
10.30 - 11.00 am



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



Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (28th August) will be noon on Wednesday 24th August. Please send any items (including photos) to Marian Chambers (marian.chambers41@gmail.com).

THANK YOU

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 recently.

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*The banns of marriage are published between **Anna Cantwell** and **Robert Carl Green**. 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.

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.