

Weekly News

23rd July 2023

The Seventh Sunday after Trinity www.stpetersharrogate.org.uk

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

Help to improve our visuals

When the pandemic first hit, we were glad of all the technology already installed in our church building. This enabled Chris Clayton and Steve Martin to set up livestreaming very quickly. This then developed into hybrid in-person/online services with projected liturgy. To make this work, however, we needed two screens either side of the Golden Gates ... which is how we ended up with a pulpit occupied by a television on a wooden box.



Efforts to replace this arrangement with something neater and more flexible have taken a very ... long ... time. With a lot of patient perseverance, on the part of Chris Clayton and Sian Lockwood, we now have a company ready to install new (more hidden) projectors and screens that roll up electronically, as well as the necessary planning permission to do so. The whole arrangement will provide clearer images when the projectors are in use and a clearer view of the sanctuary (and the pulpit) when they are not.

The total bill for this change is around £6,500. Some of this money has already been raised by dedicated refreshment days but there is still around £5,000 to

find. If you would be willing to contribute to this project, please let me, Chris Clayton or David Hipkin (Treasurer) know. A simple and tax efficient way to donate is via the One-Off Donation facility provided by the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS) — details of which can be found on the back page of the *Weekly News*. Thank you for your help.



St Peter's Ladies who Lunch

The Ladies who Lunch are meeting again on Friday 28th July at 12:15 pm at the Palm Court Café at the bottom of Montpellier Hill. If you would like to join them for food and fellowship, then please contact Sue Heapy (07540 355 305 or brynsusie@hotmail.com) before 23rd July – that's TODAY! - so she can book a table.

The Café Connect Picnic

Charlie Martineau, Michelle Chong and all the Café Connect crew would like to invite all who want to join them for a picnic at 1:00 pm on Saturday 29th July at St Peter's Vicarage. They hope there might be enough to share food around in a cross-cultural way. Everyone is most welcome!

St Peter's Evening Fellowship are Cruising the Douro

At the next meeting of our Evening Fellowship members will be hearing all about cruising the Douro river in Portugal with its dramatic cliffs, lush hillsides, medieval walled villages and fine vineyards from Bryn and Sue Heapy. All starting at 7:30 pm on Thursday 3rd August in the Brostoff Hall. Please contact the Secretary, Richard Bion (*richardbion9@gmail.com* or 07966 073 867) if you need to know more.







What is a Deanery?







Hannah Beck, Helen Camm and Catharine Davies are St Peter's Lay Deanery Synod Representatives

Deaneries play an important part in the organisation of the Church. A Deanery is made up of all the Anglican parishes in a local area, and is overseen by an Area Dean (ordained) and a Lay Chair (not ordained). The Deanery Synod is a chance for these parishes to come together and address issues of

concern to the church and community at a local level. They can elect representatives to the Diocesan Synod and also to the General Synod, the legislative body of the Church of England. All the clergy of each parish are members of Deanery Synod automatically. Lay Representatives are elected by the Annual Parochial Church Meetings in their own parish and serve for three years.

Harrogate Deanery is one of six deaneries in the Ripon Episcopal Area of the Anglican Diocese of Leeds. It serves the parishes in Harrogate, Knaresborough, Starbeck, Wetherby and surrounding villages, by providing a channel of



communication and a network of support. In January 2022 Alan Garrow became the Area Dean for the Harrogate Deanery.



The most recent Harrogate Deanery Synod took place at St Peter's on Tuesday 11th July. Before celebrating Communion together, the new Lay Chair, Treasurer, Secretary and Standing Committee were elected. Once the formal business was over, refreshments were served, which included dishes representing all the many nationalities associated with St Peter's Church.

Delicious food from over twenty countries – Afghanistan, Bosnia, France, Greece, Hong Kong, Japan, Switzerland, Norway and Ukraine, to name but a few – was enjoyed by the visitors.

The next Harrogate Deanery Synod will be on Wednesday 20th September at St James' Church in Birstwith.

Today's Services: 23rd July 2023

The Seventh 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.

Our Duty Wardens today are:

Paul Medforth

and Sian Lockwood

Hymns 1 Abba, Father; 153 Hallelujah! Sing to Jesus; 303 Jesus stand

among us; **551** Thine be the glory

Readings Romans 8 v 12 - 25

Matthew 13 v 24 - 30 and 36 - 43

Preacher: Alan Garrow

11:00 Choral Matins

Setting Moeran in Eflat (Te Deum)

Hymns 152, 445, 607

Psalm 71

Readings Genesis 28 v 10 - 19a

Matthew 13 v 24 – 30 and 36 - 43

Anthem Jesu, joy of man's desiring (*Bach*)

Preacher: Alan Garrow

4:15 pm Stepping Stones Service *Service of the Word*

Preacher: Chris Clayton

Choral Evensong SettingBrewer in D **Hymns**496, 589, 450

Psalms 67, 70

Readings 1 Kings 2 v 10 – 12 and 3 v 16 to end

Acts 4. 1-22

Anthem Cantique de Jean Racine (*Fauré*)

Preacher: Sue Pearce

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, Kate Edmundson, Tony Edwards, Louise Emrullahu, David Fisher, Vicky Harrison, June Hemmings, Trevor Hughes, Jackie Kelly, Derek Mansfield, Kim Okell, Sheila Pantin, Keith Robinson, Frances Roxby-Proud, Michelle Simon, Richard Skidmore and Edward Vear.

Also in our prayers this week:

Mon Vulnerable children with

safeguarding and welfare needs All those leaving their primary or

high school this week

Tues Staff and residents of care homes

Jan Edwards, Lay Pastoral

Minister

Wed Those living in poverty

A fairer society that treats

everyone with dignity and value

Thurs GP surgeries and health centres

All attending our Healing Service

Fri The three new MPs elected at

the by-elections last week His Majesty, King Charles III

Sat Those who are close to death

St Michael's Hospice

Daily Readings

Morning Prayer is at 8:00 am and Evening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily. Both services are livestreamed on Facebook and Zoom – join in by following the links on our website. These are the Bible readings we will be using each morning this week.

Mon Psalm 1

Jeremiah 26

2 Corinthians 11 v 1 - 15

Tues James the Apostle

Psalm 7

2 Kings 1 v 9 - 15 Luke 9 v 46 - 56

Wed Anne and Joachim, parents

of the Blessed Virgin Mary

Psalm 119 v 1 - 32 Jeremiah 29 v 1 - 14

2 Corinthians 12

Thurs Psalm 15

Jeremiah 30 v 1 - 12

2 Corinthians 13

Fri Psalm 19

Jeremiah 30 v 12 - 22

James 1 v 1 - 11

Sat Mary, Martha and Lazarus,

Companions of our Lord

Psalm 23

Jeremiah 31 v 1 - 22

James 1 v 12 to end

The Collect for The Seventh Sunday after Trinity (Common Worship) Generous God, you give us gifts and make them grow:

though our faith is small as mustard seed, make it grow to your glory and the flourishing of your

kingdom;

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Collect for The Seventh Sunday after

Trinity (Book of Common Prayer)
Lord of all power and might, who art the author and giver of all good things:
Graft in our hearts the love of thy name, increase in us true religion, nourish us with all goodness, and of thy great mercy keep us in the same; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

What's on This Week

St Peter's Church is open to visitors from 9:30 am – 3:30 pm every day except Sundays. An exhibition of their final projects by students from Harrogate College MA Creative Arts Course is in the Glass Fover, 24th – 30th July

Mon 24th 1:30 – 3:00 pm The *Thinking about God* group meets in the

Undercroft

2:00 pm The U3A Singing Folk group

Tues 25th 12:00 - 12:30 pm Healing Service

9:30 am St Peter's School Leaver's Service

Wed 26th 10:30 - 11:00 am Café Reflexions

2:00 – 4:00 pm *Spectrum*, a social group for widows and

widowers, meet in the Brostoff Hall

7:30 pm Harrogate Harmony Men's Chorus

Thurs 27th 9:30 - 11:00 am The Toddler Group at St Peter's

11:00 am Holy Communion

7:00 – 8:30 pm The Gallery Home Group

Fri 28th 9:30 am AA meeting in the Music Room

10:00 am - 12:00 pm St Peter's Cleaning Team

12:15 pm St Peter's Ladies who Lunch are meeting in the Palm

Court Café

Sat 29th 9:30 am – 3:30 pm Harrogate College MA Creative Arts Course

Filmmakers are showing their work in the Music Room

10:00 am - 3:30 pm Harrogate Rotary Brigantes are holding a

Refreshment Day in Church

1:00 pm The Café Connect Picnic is at the Vicarage

Sun 30th The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

1:00 - 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch

7:30 – 8:30 pm AA meeting in the Brostoff Hall

Next Sunday 30th July

6:30

The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

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

Evening Prayer (said)

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.

St Wilfrid's Procession Saturday 29th July 2023



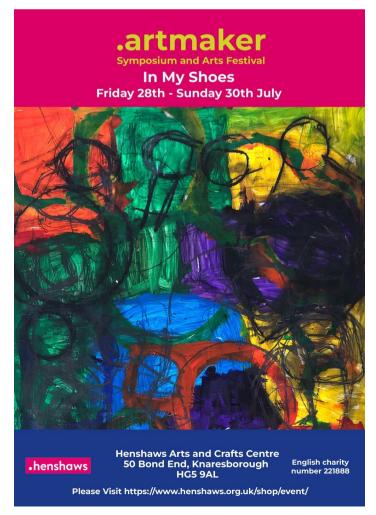
This year the annual St Wilfrid's Procession takes place in Ripon on Saturday 29th July.

Wilfrid was an English bishop and saint. He was born in the Kingdom of Northumbria around 633 and entered religious life as a teenager and studied at Lindisfarne, at Canterbury, in Francia, and at Rome. He returned to Northumbria in 658, and became the abbot of a newly founded monastery at Ripon.

The St Wilfrid's Procession around the City of Ripon dates back to 1108 when King Henry I granted a charter to the city to hold an annual feast each year around the 30th July. The full procession as we know it today with brightly decorated floats, bands and teams of Morris dancers, led by St Wilfrid on his horse, surrounded by his monks, is rumoured to have started in the 1950's.

This year the procession starts at 1:30 pm from Studley Road and passes through the Market Place for the first time at around 1:45 pm. Details of the route are available at https://stwilfridsprocession.com/route-and-timings/. At about 4:30 pm the procession arrives at the Cathedral for a short service and the prizes are given out.





Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from



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

Join the Parish Giving Scheme









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If you would like to support St
Peter's financially, the simplest and
most tax efficient way to do so is via
the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS). You
can join using their website
www.parishgiving.org.uk or give
them a call on 0333 002 1260.
St Peter's PGS number is: 460646304

Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (30th July) will be noon on Wednesday 26th July. Please send any items (including photos) to

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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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