

Weekly News

25th June 2023

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

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Serving differently able people at home and abroad

Did you know that Artizan International serves differently-able people both on your doorstep and on the other side of the world – in Ecuador and Peru! Have you noticed the art installation in the narthex, part of 'The World Through Our Eyes' art project made of paper-mâché and mosaiced sea creatures? These have been lovingly made by the young adults with special needs who come to the weekly therapeutic crafts workshops that we hold at our Artizan Café, just a few doors along from St Peter's.

Meanwhile in Ecuador and Peru, we're using crafts-based social enterprise as a way of not only reducing social isolation, but also lifting people with disabilities out of extreme poverty. Some of you will have met Carlos (*seen below*) and Jessica, our Ecuadorian project leaders, when they visited the UK recently to receive training in new techniques and products, which they're now passing on to the twenty-one disabled artisans whom Artizan supports there. Carlos and Jessi's enthusiasm is contagious, and everyone has taken to the new skills quickly with great delight, already producing beautiful new items which will shortly be for sale in our Artizan shop on Oxford Street. Purchasing their work directly helps to support them and their families.

In just three weeks' time, I will be taking a team of volunteers to Artizan's centre in Arequipa, Peru, which comprises crafts training workshops, a shop and a café. The café is waiting to be furnished and equipped, which is what we'll be working on. It will provide vitally needed training and employment opportunities for young deaf people once it's completed. There are still many things needed to complete this project, so if you'd like to find out more about how you can help, do have a look at our website www.artizaninternational.org/peru. Thanks so much for your support, we couldn't serve all the many people that we do, without you.

Susie Hart MBE,

Overseas Director & CEO Artizan International



St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship are going on a Summer outing



The patio of the café opened in June 2021

Afternoon Fellowship are going out to the Horticap Garden Centre, Otley Road, on Monday 3rd July for a cream tea. Horticap provide training and education in horticulture for adults with learning disabilities in Harrogate and the surrounding district. As well as a fantastic range of plants on sale at the nursery, there's a shop selling crafts, gifts, cards and honey (from their own bees); a Nature Trail; and their café *Hopkins@Horticap*. Please call Gillian Taylor on *01423 500482* if you would like to come.

St Peter's Ladies who Lunch - book TODAY!

The **Ladies who Lunch** are meeting again on **Wednesday 28th June** 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 25th June, so she can book a table.

Girl Guides are raising funds to complete their Birk Crag Centre

Girlguiding North Yorkshire West knocked down their old building at Birk Crag in Harrogate and began building a new one in 2019. The new building aims to provide not only a meeting space but a shop, office space, storage for equipment as well a place to hold sleepovers, holidays and residential



training. However, the pandemic had a huge impact on the project, delaying building and pushing up costs. In order to raise more money, girlguides all over the county have been fundraising to get the new building at Birk Crag finished.

Our own 10th Harrogate (St Peter's) Rainbows, Guides and Brownies are holding a Refreshment Day on Saturday 1st July to help raise additional funds – please support them by offering to bake a cake (speak to Kate Blake <u>kateblakefamily@gmail.com</u> or 07931 382 756) or come for hot drinks and cake or a light lunch on the day.

St Peter's Evening Fellowship visiting the Royal Hall

The next Evening Fellowship meeting will take place on Thursday 6th July, and this will be a tour of the Royal Hall led by Helen Camm. The tour will start at 11:00 am and we will meet in the foyer of the Royal Hall at 10:45 am. It is expected that the tour will last for an hour or so. Please note that there is a lift at the Royal Hall for those of you who may need it. You are most welcome to join us, current member or not. For further details contact our Secretary, Richard Bion (07966 073 867 or richardbion9@gmail.com).

A joyous Confirmation Service at St Peter's



Many congratulations to all four candidates who were confirmed at St Peter's on 14th June by The Right Revd John Pritchard, former Bishop of Oxford. *From left to right*: Roy Taylor, The Revd Chris Clayton, Bishop John, Diane Harrison, Mark Harrison and Jordan Martell with the younger members of their family.

Bakers needed for the next St Peter's Fundraising Refreshment Day

Please let Catherine Medforth (07876 653 765) or Sian Lockwood (07889 616 755) know if you are willing to bake a cake for our next fundraiser on Saturday 8th July. Food supplied, sold or provided at charity or community events, such as fundraisers, must comply with food laws. So that those with food intolerances or allergies can make safe choices we ask that cakes are brought in a clean container with a list of ingredients attached. Thank you.



Celebrating St Peter's Day at the Vicarage



This year we celebrate St Peter's Day next Sunday 2nd July. As well as welcoming our new Curates, Karin Shaw and Steve Gibbin, there will be a party in the garden at the Vicarage from 1:00 – 4:00 pm. If you are planning to come please sign the sheet on the Welcome Desk. Thank you!

Today's Services: 25th June 2023

The Third Sunday after Trinity

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 859 I will worship with all of my heart; 646 All I once held dear;

Our Duty Wardens today are:
Sarah Martin

and Roy Taylor

762 Here is bread; 879 Let all the world

Readings Matthew 25 v 35 - 40

Preacher: Susie Hart MBE

11:00 Choral Matins

Setting Ireland in F (Te Deum)

Hymns 236, 489, 627

Psalm 49

Readings Isaiah 61 v 1 - 3

Matthew 25 v 35 - 40

Anthem If ye love me (*Wilby*)

Preacher: Susie Hart MBE

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

Preacher: Chris Clayton

6:30 Choral Evensong
Setting Watson in E
Hymns 477, 421, 569

Psalm 48

Readings 1 Samuel 24 v 1 - 17

Luke 14 v 12 - 24

Anthem Save us, O Lord (*Bairstow*)

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, Robert Bickford, Georgia Gabrielle Bradley, Michael Bradley, Judith Clark, Stewart Davies, Richard, Kate Edmundson, Tony Edwards, Louise Emrullahu, David Fisher, Vicky Harrison, June Hemmings, Trevor Hughes, Jackie Kelly, Derek Mansfield, Steve Martin, Kim Okell, Sheila Pantin, Keith Robinson, Frances Roxby-Proud, Michelle Simon, Richard Skidmore, Margaret Webster, Edward Vear.

RIP Douglas Lockyear

Also in our prayers this week:

Mon Chris Clayton, Associate Vicar

The Stepping Stones Services

Tues Mission Possible UK

Men's Breakfast at St Peter's

Wed St Peter's School on a residential

trip to East Barnby this week

The Weekly News Editorial Team

Thurs ARTIZAN International, giving

opportunities to people with

disabilities in the UK and overseas

Kate Blake, Safeguarding Officer

Fri Mo Atkinson, Churchwarden

St Peter's Home Groups

Sat All those being ordained Deacon

today at Bradford Cathedral Our new Curates, Steve Gibbin

and Karin Shaw

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 71

Ezra 7

Romans 11 v 25 to end

Tues *Cyril, Bishop of Alexandria*

Psalm 73

Ezra 8 v 15 to end Romans 12 v 1 - 8

Wed Irenaeus, Bishop of Lyons

Psalm 77 Ezra 9

Romans 12 v 9 to end

Thurs Peter and Paul,

Apostles

Psalm 71

Isaiah 49 v 1 - 6 Acts 11 v 1 - 18

Fri Psalm 55

Nehemiah 1

Romans 13 v 8 to end

Sat Psalm 76

Nehemiah 2

Romans 14 v 1 - 12

The Collect for The Third Sunday after Trinity (Common Worship) God our Saviour, look on this wounded world in pity and in power;

hold us fast to your promises of peace won for us by your Son, our Saviour Jesus Christ.

The Collect for The Third Sunday after

Trinity (Book of Common Prayer)

O Lord, we beseech thee mercifully to hear us; and grant that we, to whom thou hast given an hearty desire to pray, may by thy mighty aid be defended and comforted in all dangers and adversities; 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. Girlguiding North Yorkshire West have a display in the Glass Foyer to encourage more adult volunteers to enable more girls to benefit from Girlguiding and the Birk Craq Centre.

Mon 26th 1:30 – 3:00 pm The *Thinking about God* group meets in the

Undercroft

2:00 pm The U3A Singing Folk group

Tues 27th 12:00 – 12:30 pm Healing Service

Wed 28th 10:30 – 11:00 am Café RefleXions

12:15 pm *Ladies who Lunch* meet at the Palm Court Café 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 29th 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

7:30 pm St Peter's Choir Practice

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

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

10:30 am – 12:30 pm Café Connect

Sat 1st 10:00 am – 3:30 pm 10th Harrogate (St Peter's) Rainbows, Guides

and Brownies are holding a Refreshment Day to help raise

additional funds to complete the building at Birk Crag

Sun 2nd The Fourth Sunday after Trinity

Celebrating St Peter's Day

1:00 – 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch

1:00 – 4:00 pm Celebrating St Peter's Day at the Vicarage

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

Next Sunday 2nd July

The Fourth Sunday after Trinity Celebrating St Peter's Day

8:30 Holy Communion9:30 Family Communionwith Sanctuary, our

youth group

11:00 Choral Communion

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.

Ordinations taking place at Bradford Cathedral on Saturday



Ordinands across the Diocese are getting ready to begin their ministry this Summer. They have successfully completed their courses at theology college and will now be ordained a Deacon by the Bishop — then they may be called *The Reverend*, can wear a clerical collar and will start their Curacy in a parish. For the first year of their Curacy they remain a Deacon and can preside at certain services, but not Holy Communion. A year later, if all goes well, they are ordained Priest and can then carry out the full range of clergy duties.

Eighteen new Deacons will be ordained at two services at Bradford Cathedral this Saturday 1st July before starting Curacies in parishes all over our region. These include Karin Shaw and Steve Gibbin, who will become Curates at St Peter's. Please pray for them as they embark on this new stage in their discipleship of Christ.

Ripon Cathedral Summer Organ Festival 2023

The last recital of four in this year's Summer Organ Festival is given by Tim Harper, Assistant Director of Music at Ripon Cathedral since 2014. Alongside his cathedral duties, he enjoys recital, accompanying and continuo work; he is also accompanist to Ripon Choral Society and the early music course NORVIS. Tim will be playing pieces by *Holst, Buxtehude* and *Harris* on Tuesday 27th June at 7:30 pm in the Nave of the Cathedral. Tickets are £10 from Ripon Cathedral Gift Shop; tickets from Eventbrite carry a booking fee.



Come to the Mothers' Union Garden Party on 4th July



The next meeting of the Harrogate Mothers' Union is on Tuesday 4th July from 1:45 to 3:45 pm. This will be a Garden Party in the garden of 21 Burnbridge Road, HG3 1PB. Enjoy tea, soft drinks, cakes, conversation and good company. There will also be a craft stall in aid of *Away From it All* (the MU charity which provides caravan holidays for those who wouldn't otherwise have one). All welcome.

Well done and thank you to everyone who helped to raise £311 at the Refreshment Day for our Mission Partners, *Artizan International*, on Saturday 17th June.



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

The Parish Giving Scheme Tokens

If you give to St Peter's using the Parish Giving Scheme (PGS), please feel encouraged to take a PGS token from the Welcome Desk - then place it in the collection plate at the offertory to make your offering part of worship.



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 (2nd July) will be noon on Wednesday 28th June. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow **or** to Marian Chambers.

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