

# **Weekly News**

30th June 2024

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

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# Come and celebrate St Peter with us!

A Patronal Festival is the celebration of the patron saint of a church. Ours is St Peter the Apostle, whose saint's day falls on 29<sup>th</sup> June and as today is the nearest Sunday we are celebrating.

The readings at our services today tell just part of Peter's story:

In Matthew 16 v 13 – 19, when Jesus asks the disciples "Who do you say that I am?" Peter answers, "You are the Messiah, the Son of the Living God."

In Acts 12 v 1 - 12 we hear about Peter's escape from prison. And in Acts 9 v 32 - 43 two of Peter's miracles feature.

The anthem at Evensong is Tu es Petrus by Palestrina – Thou art Peter and on this rock, I will build my church. This afternoon there will be a garden party at the Vicarage with pizzas and a barbecue. There will be no Stepping Stones service as we hope everyone will come together and be at the party!





# **St Peter's Evening Fellowship**

The next meeting is on Thursday 4<sup>th</sup> July at 7:30pm in the Brostoff Hall. This month's speaker is John Fox, who has been involved in local politics from 1973 to 2018, serving as a Harrogate Borough Councillor for twenty-seven years. He was Mayor of the Borough of Harrogate in 2008/09 and his talk is entitled 'My time as Mayor and other things'. You are most welcome to join us, current member or not. Further details from Richard Bion (07966 073 867 or richard.bion@talktalk.net).

# St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship

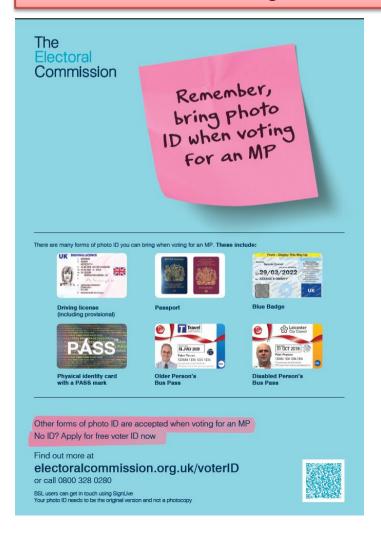
St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship meets on the second Tuesday of the month from 2:00 – 4:00 pm at Church.

The next meeting is on Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> July, when Roy Taylor (seen here on the right) will be the speaker with a talk entitled 'Two wheels and five rings' – how intriguing! Afternoon tea will be served afterwards.

Please call Leigh Thompson on 01423 884 888 or 07824 747 912 if you would like to come.



Café Connect are meeting in the Brostoff Hall at 10:30 am on Friday 5<sup>th</sup> July





# New priests ordained across the Diocese



Seventeen new priests were ordained last weekend in services across the Diocese at Bradford Cathedral, Dewsbury Minster, Ripon Cathedral and Leeds Minster. Our curates, Karin Shaw and Steve Gibbin, are pictured above with the Rt Revd Anna Eltringham, Bishop of Ripon; and below with our Associate Vicar, Chris Clayton.



# **Today's Services: 30th June 2024**

The Fifth Sunday after Trinity

**Celebrating St Peter** 



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;

664 Beauty for brokenness; 728 Give me oil in my lamp

**Our Duty Wardens today are:** 

Kate Blake and Paul Medforth

**Readings** Acts  $12 \vee 1 - 11$ 

Matthew 16 v 13 – 19

**Preacher:** Alan Garrow

11:00 Choral Matins

**Setting** Sanders in Bflat (Jubilate)

**Hymns** 371, 517, 538

Psalm 57

**Readings** Ezekiel 3 v 22 to end

Matthew 16 v 13 – 19

**Anthem** O clap your hands (*Rutter*)

**Preacher:** Alan Garrow

6:30 Choral Evensong

**Setting** Kelly in C

**Hymns** 589, 467, Lord you give the great commission

Psalm 138

**Readings** Ezekiel 34 v 11 – 16

Acts 9 v 32 to end

**Anthem** Tu es Petrus (*Palestrina*)

**Preacher:** John Longstaff

## Prayer Ministry at the 9:30 am service

At the 9:30 Service we offer prayer with members of our Prayer Ministry Team. If you would appreciate prayer for any reason, please come to St Mary's Chapel after you have received Communion and wait in the pews there. The team members will introduce themselves, ask for your prayer request and pray with you.

# Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

Pat Anderson, Graham Cornish, Jane Crabtree, Peter Dickinson, Tony Edwards, Louise Emrullahu, Rose Green, June Hemmings, Trevor Hughes, Jackie Kelly, Rachel Looby, Elaine Manaley, Derek Mansfield, Steve Martin, Kim Okell, Sheila Pantin, Matthew Pindell, Richard Sadler and Michelle Simon.

#### Also in our prayers this week:

**Mon** The children sponsored through

Compassion UK

Karin Shaw and Steve Gibbin,

finishing their first year as curates

**Tues** All who volunteer in foodbanks

St Peter's mini-supermarket

**Wed** Sarah Martin, Lay Reader

The Artizan Café

**Thurs** Polling station staff ensuring our

elections are free, fair and open to

all

That all voters take part today and

that the turnout will be high

Fri The Sunday Lunch Club

St Peter's Evening Fellowship

**Sat** Harrogate School of Theology &

Mission

Catharine Davies, Licensed Lay

Minister

#### **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 98

1 Samuel 1 v 1 - 20

Luke 19 v 28 - 40

Tues Psalm 106

1 Samuel 1 v 21 – 2 v 11

Luke 19 v 41 to end

Wed Thomas the Apostle

Psalm 92

2 Samuel 15 v 17 - 21

John 11 v 1 - 16

**Thurs** Psalm 115

1 Samuel 2 v 27 to end

Luke 20 v 9 - 19

Fri Psalm 139

1 Samuel 3 v 1 – 4 v 1a

Luke 20 v 20 - 26

**Sat** Thomas More, Scholar, and

John Fisher, Bishop,

Reformation Martyrs, 1535

Psalm 121

1 Samuel 4 v 1b to end

Luke 20 v 27 - 40

### The Collect for Saint Peter (CW)

Almighty God, who didst inspire thy apostle Saint Peter to confess Jesus as Christ and Son of the living God: build up thy Church upon this rock, that in unity and peace it may proclaim one truth and follow one Lord, thy Son our Saviour Jesus Christ, who liveth and reigneth with thee, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

## The Collect for Saint Peter (BCP)

O Almighty God, who by thy Son Jesus Christ didst give to thy Apostle Saint Peter many excellent gifts, and commandedst him earnestly to feed thy flock:

Make, we beseech thee, all Bishops and Pastors diligently to preach thy holy Word, and the people obediently to follow the same, that they may receive the crown of everlasting glory; 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.

11:00 am - 1:00 pm *Sit-n-Knit* in Church Mon 1st

1:30 – 3:00 pm The *Thinking about God* group are meeting in the

**Bramall Gallery** 

2:00 pm The U3A Singing Folk group

Tues 2<sup>nd</sup> 12:00 - 12:30 pm Healing Service

Wed 3rd 10:30 - 11:00 am Café Reflexions

1:30 – 3:00 pm Harrogate Wellbeing Choir

4:00 pm free Move Together fitness class in the Brostoff Hall go to www.nuffieldhealth.com/movetogether/locations to sign up!

7:30 pm Harrogate Harmony Men's Chorus

Thurs 4th **The Parliamentary General Election** takes place today

9:30 – 11:00 am The Toddler Group at St Peter's

11:00 am Holy Communion

7:30 pm St Peter's Evening Fellowship in the Brostoff Hall

7:30 pm St Peter's Choir Practice

Fri 5<sup>th</sup> 9:30 am AA meeting in the Music Room

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

10:30 am Café Connect are meeting in The Brostoff Hall. Hong

Kongers and volunteers all welcome!

7:00 – 8:15 pm Bellringing Practice at St Peter's

Sat 6th

Sun 7th The Sixth Sunday after Trinity

1:00 - 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch

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

#### **Next Sunday 7th July** The Sixth Sunday after Trinity 8:30 **Holy Communion** 9:30 Family Communion led

by **Sanctuary**, our youth group

11:00 **Choral Communion** 

4:15 **Stepping Stones Service** 

Celtic Worship

**Choral Evensong** 6:30

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.

Well done to everyone involved in the St Peter's Refreshment Day on Saturday  $22^{nd}$ June - £562 was raised for Church funds. The book sale held on the same day raised £321. Many thanks to Catherine Medforth (along with her team) and Daniel Brewer and his team for all your hard work!

## Come to The Market Day Café next Thursday

The *Market Day Café* is on the second Thursday of each month. The next one is next week on Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> July at 11:30 am after the Holy Communion service. They will be serving hot drinks, homemade soups, fresh sandwiches, scones and delicious cakes! Please come and support this event raising funds for St Peter's Church!

## What happened to St Peter after the Ascension?

In Acts 2 v 14 - 39 Peter takes the lead in addressing the crowds gathered in Jerusalem for the feast of Pentecost. As the leader of the Christians there, he was targeted by Herod but miraculously freed from prison on the night before he was to stand trial. Peter then left Jerusalem and travelled to spread the Gospel. He was in Rome during the rule of the Roman Emperor Nero, who in 64 AD blamed the Christians for a disastrous fire in the city. Peter was taken prisoner and was sentenced to death by crucifixion. At his own request, he was crucified with his head downwards



because he did not consider himself worthy to die in the same position as Jesus. It is thought his tomb lies under the high altar of St. Peter's Basilica in Rome.



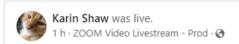


Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from



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

# St Peter's worship online



#### Morning Prayer for Tuesday 8am

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.

#### Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (30<sup>th</sup> June) will be noon on Wednesday 26<sup>th</sup> June. Please send any items (including photos) to **The Weekly News Editor**, Marian Chambers, or to the Vicar, Alan Garrow.



**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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