

Weekly News

7th August 2022

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

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

Discover how and where God is calling you to serve others

Are you wondering about your unique contribution as a Christian? Where would you be best placed to serve others? How to recognise what God is calling you to? Then *The Discovery Course*, provided free by Leeds Diocese, may be just what you need. As disciples of Jesus we are all called to serve one another in love. But the nature of your calling will depend upon the spiritual gifts you've been given, the passion that God has laid upon your heart, and the personal style that reflects your personality. Being a disciple of Jesus means being a servant. The purpose of *The Discovery Course* is to help you become a more effective servant of Christ.



In this self-paced version of the course, participants are able to work through the course material in their own time and at their own pace. The course material requires approximately 10 - 12 hours of individual study. Participants interact with one another and with the course tutor through discussion forums, typing comments by and questions and posting them in the forum. In order to get the

most from the course you are expected to contribute and respond to forum posts. Once you have worked through the material you will then be invited to bring any remaining thoughts, questions or personal experiences to a virtual seminar hosted by the course tutor. Seminars take place via Zoom video call and are offered every six weeks or so. The day and time will vary with each seminar in order to try to accommodate as many as possible.

To find out more visit the Online Learning section of the Leeds Learning Platform: https://learning.leeds.anglican.org/course/self-paced-discovery-course-2021/.



Say it with Flowers

Why not mark a special occasion, such as an anniversary, a new baby or a birthday, by making a donation towards the flowers in Church? The St Peter's Flower Team will make an arrangement on the pedestal to the right of the altar, and you will also receive a mention in the Weekly News. Please speak to Sue Heapy for further details (07540 355305).

Come to The Cake Matters Café on Thursday

The Cake Matters Café is on the second Thursday of each month. The next one is this week on Thursday 11th August at 11:30 am after the Holy Communion service. They will be serving hot drinks, light lunches and, of course, cake!



Thank you, Cleaning Team

Many important aspects of church life take place unseen. An excellent example is the Church Cleaning Team. That we have a clean and welcoming church is much thanks to Howard Jones, Richard and Andrea Bion, Margie Dickinson, Tim Brown and David Shelton. The team is always glad to welcome new members. Do speak to Howard Jones (pictured), and/or join them on any Friday morning 10.00-12.00 (with a break for coffee, of course).



Join the Parish Giving Scheme



PARISHGIVINGSCHEME

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



A little more about U3A....

Its purpose is to provide social and learning activities for people no longer in full-time employment. All its activities are member-led and is a wonderful way to meet new people who share your interests. It consists of small groups whose interests may range from bridge to badminton, from walking to writing for pleasure, and many others in between. If you can't find a group to suit, you can start your own! If you are interested in joining look at our website: u3asites.org.uk/harrogate

What happens when you fill in a Welcome Card?

We want everyone at St Peter's to feel, and to be, accepted, known and valued. Filling in a Welcome Card really helps with this! If you complete a card, please hand it directly to me (or to Chris at the Stepping Stones Service).



I will then arrange to meet with for coffee in town or

to visit you at home. I'd love to hear your story and discover where you are on your faith journey. There are lots of different aspects of St Peter's life that you might not immediately know about, so I'll give you a quick verbal tour in case there are groups or activities you could be interested to connect with. Everyone has something to offer and we want to make sure that you have the chance to exercise your particular gifts, whatever they might be. We love welcoming new people to St Peter's, but even if you've been coming for years, it's never too late to fill in a Welcome Card.

Today's Services: 7th August 2022

The Eighth Sunday after Trinity

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion with the Baptism of Jeff Wong

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 1 Abba, Father; **27** As the deer; **330** Let us break bread together;

Our Duty Wardens today are: Kate Blake

and Richard Bion

496 Shout for joy and sing

Readings Acts $22 \vee 6 - 16$

Preacher: Alan Garrow

11:00 Choral Communion

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Hymns 325, 460, 516, 277

Readings Hebrews 11 v 1 - 3 and 8 - 16

Luke 12 v 32 - 40

Anthem Ave Maria (*Lindley*)

Preacher: Alan Garrow

4:15 pm Stepping Stones Service Celtic Worship

Preacher: Chris Clayton

6:30 Choral Evensong

Setting Carolus Andreas (fauxbourdons)

Hymns 610, 281, 482

Psalm 108

Readings Isaiah $11 \vee 10 - 12$ to end

Mark 7 v 24 - 30

Anthem Let thy merciful ears (*Mudd*)

Preacher: Alan Garrow

This week's worship online

We are continuing to live stream the following services on Facebook and Zoom: 9:30 am Family Communion on Sundays (also available on *St Peter's YouTube channel* to watch later); and Morning and Evening Prayer at 8:00 am and 5:00 pm from Monday to Saturday. To join in follow the links on our website.

Please pray for those who have asked for our prayers:

Pat Anderson, Robert Bickford, Christopher Browne, Ruth Bowes, Georgia Gabrielle Bradley, Jan Edwards, 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:

Vulnerable children with Mon

> safeguarding and welfare needs St Andrew's Evangelical Mission,

in Chosica, Peru

All who are housebound Tues

The team preparing and serving

Sunday Lunch

Local retail, hospitality and leisure Wed

businesses

The Fairtrade Shop at St Peter's

Thurs GP surgeries and health centres

All attending our Healing Service

Fri Her Majesty, the Queen

The work of Christian Aid

Those who are close to death Sat

St Michael's Hospice

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

Daily Readings

Dominic, Priest, Founder of

the Order of Preachers

Psalm 30

Morning Prayer is at 8:00 am and

1 Samuel 14 v 24 - 46

Luke 23 v 13 - 25

Tues Mary Sumner, Founder of

the Mother's Union, 1921

Psalm 36

1 Samuel 15 v 1 - 23

Luke 23 v 26 - 43

Wed Psalm 34

1 Samuel 16

Luke 23 v 44 – 56a

Thurs Clare of Assisi, Founder of

the Poor Clares, 1253

Psalm 37

1 Samuel 17 v 1 - 30

Luke 23 v 56b – 24 v 12

Fri Psalm 31

1 Samuel 17 v 31 - 54

Luke 24 v 13 - 35

Sat Psalm 42

1 Samuel 17 v 55 –

18 v 16

Luke 24 v 36 to end

The Collect for The Eighth Sunday **after Trinity** (Common Worship) Lord God, your Son left the riches of heaven and became poor for our sake: when we prosper save us from pride, when we are needy save us from despair, that we may trust in you alone:

through Jesus Christ our Lord.

The Collect for The Eighth Sunday after

Trinity (Book of Common Prayer) O God, whose never-failing providence

ordereth all things both in heaven and earth:

We humbly beseech thee to put away from us all hurtful things, and to give us those things which be profitable for us; 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.

Mon 8th 2:00 pm The U3A Singing Folk group

Tues 9th 12:00 – 12:30 pm Healing Service

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

11:30 am – 1:30 pm Harrogate Rethink Support Group

7:30 pm Harrogate Harmony Men's Chorus

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

11:00 am Holy Communion

11:30 am - 1:30 pm The Cake Matters Café

Choir practices are suspended until 8th September

Fri 12th 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 13th

6:30

Sun 14th The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

1:00 – 1:30 pm Sunday Lunch

Next Sunday 14th August The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

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

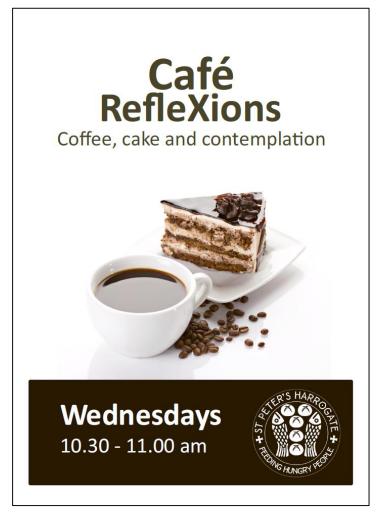
The Breakfast Club provides a free, hot breakfast from Monday to Saturday (8:15 -8:45 am) for all those who are hungry or in need. A hot **Sunday lunch** is also served each week at 1:00 pm, except for the third Sunday of the month when it is *Sunday Lunch Club*. Hot food is available 4:30 – 4:50 pm on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays.

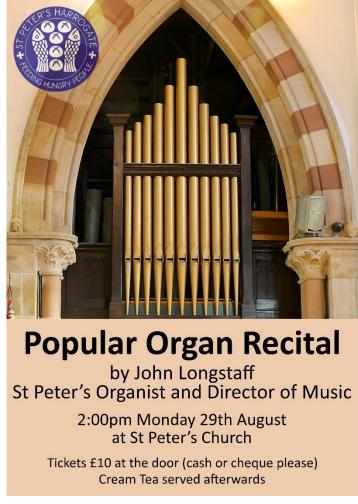
Our mini Supermarket is on Thursdays 4:30

-4:50 pm.



The International Gilbert & Sullivan Festival returns for another year with twelve spectacular days of non-stop merriment and superb entertainment. For the full Harrogate programme and to book tickets visit www.gsfestivals.org or visit the Tourist Information Centre at the Royal Baths on Crescent Road.





Weekly book stall every Wednesday morning during Café RefleXions! If you are interested in second hand books, please come along and browse our large selection in church on Wednesday mornings.



Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from the kitchen



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

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.



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

This is for the first time of asking.
If any of you know any reason in law
why they may not marry each other
you are to declare it.



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 (14th August) will be noon on Wednesday 10th August. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow: alan.garrow@gmail.com

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