

Petertide Ordinations 2023

Ely Cathedral

Priests on Saturday 1st July, 5pm
Deacons on Sunday 2nd July, 10.30am

The Preacher at both services will be the conductor of the Ordination Retreat,
The Ven Rosemary Lain-Priestley

Please pray for all those to be ordained, for their families and friends, for their training incumbents, and for the places and communities where they will serve.

God our Father, Lord of all the world,
through your Son you have called us into the fellowship
of your universal Church:
hear our prayer for your faithful people
that in their vocation and ministry
each may be an instrument of your love,
and give to your servants now to be ordained
the needful gifts of grace;
through our Lord and Saviour Jesus Christ,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.
Amen.

We pray to be generous and visible people of Jesus Christ.

PRIESTS

God calls his people to follow Christ, and forms us into a royal priesthood, a holy nation, to declare the wonderful deeds of him who has called us out of darkness into his marvellous light.

The Church is the Body of Christ, the people of God and the dwelling-place of the Holy Spirit. In baptism the whole Church is summoned to witness to God's love and to work for the coming of his kingdom.

To serve this royal priesthood, God has given particular ministries. Priests are ordained to lead God's people in the offering of praise and the proclamation of the gospel. They share with the Bishop in the oversight of the Church, delighting in its beauty and rejoicing in its well-being. They are to set the example of the Good Shepherd⁵ always before them as the pattern of their calling. With the Bishop and their fellow presbyters, they are to sustain the community of the faithful by the ministry of word and sacrament, that we all may grow into the fullness of Christ⁶ and be a living sacrifice acceptable to God.

Through your Spirit, heavenly Father,
 give these your servants grace and power
 to proclaim the gospel of your salvation
 and minister the sacraments of the new covenant.
 Renew them in holiness,
 and give them wisdom and discipline
 to work faithfully with those committed to their charge.
 In union with their fellow servants in Christ,
 may they reconcile what is divided,
 heal what is wounded
 and restore what is lost.
 May they declare your blessings to your people;
 may they proclaim Christ's victory over the powers of darkness,
 and absolve in Christ's name those who turn to him in faith;
 so shall a people made whole in Christ
 offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to you,
 our God and Father,
 to whom, with the Son and the Holy Spirit,
 belong glory and honour, worship and praise, now and for ever.
 Amen.

PRIESTS: *To be ordained by the Bishop of Huntingdon*

- Elizabeth Jane BAKER *To serve in the Benefice of:*
St Martin, Cambridge
Training Incumbent: The Revd Johannes Roth
- Edward (Ed) David GREEN *To serve in the Benefice of:*
St Benedict, Cambridge

Shortly to move to serve in the Benefice of:
St Mary the Less, Cambridge

Training Incumbent: The Revd Dr Rob Mackley
- Lucinda Catherine HOWARD *To serve in the Benefice of:*
Stapleford

Training Incumbent: The Revd Dr Simon Taylor
- Jeanine BOSSY *To serve in the Benefice of:*
Cherry Hinton

Training Incumbent: The Revd Dr Karin Voth Harman
- Bethan RODDEN *To serve in the Benefices of:*
Grantchester and St Mark, Newnham

Training Incumbent: The Revd Rachel Rosborough;
from August: The Revd James Shakespeare
- Margaret (Maggie) Anne TATE-DRUIFF *To serve in the Benefice of:*
The Ramseys and Upwood

Training Incumbent: The Revd Iain Osborne
- Nell Grace WHISCOMBE *To serve in the Benefice of:*
St John the Evangelist, Cambridge

Training Incumbent: The Revd James Shakespeare

DEACONS

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The Church is the Body of Christ, the people of God and the dwelling-place of the Holy Spirit. In baptism the whole Church is summoned to witness to God's love and to work for the coming of his kingdom.

To serve this royal priesthood, God has given a variety of ministries. Deacons are ordained so that the people of God may be better equipped to make Christ known. Theirs is a life of visible self-giving. Christ is the pattern of their calling and their commission; as he washed the feet of his disciples, so they must wash the feet of others.

Through your Spirit, heavenly Father,
give these your servants grace and power to fulfil their ministry.
Make them faithful to serve
and constant in advancing your gospel in the world.
May they follow the example of Jesus Christ your Son,
who washed the feet of his disciples,
and set the needs of others before his own.
May their life be disciplined and holy,
their words declare your love
and their actions reveal your glory,
that your people may walk with them in the way of truth
and be made ready for the coming of our Lord Jesus Christ;
to whom, with you and your Holy Spirit,
belong glory and honour, worship and praise, now and for ever.
Amen.

DEACONS: *To be ordained by the Bishop of Ely*

Sharon BYRNE	<i>To serve in the Benefices of:</i> Fen Ditton, Horningsea and Teversham <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd Canon Nick Moir
Edward Benjamin CEARNS	<i>To serve in the Benefice of:</i> St Clement, Cambridge <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd Andrew Day
Gideon EMMANUEL	<i>To serve in the Benefice of:</i> Little Shelford <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd Simon Scott
Robert James HAWKINS	<i>To serve in the Benefice of:</i> St James, Cambridge <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd Steve Rothwell
Barnabas Daniel James LEEKE	<i>To serve in the Benefice of:</i> The Lordsbridge Team <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd David Newton
Steven Hutchison MCGREGOR	<i>To serve in the Benefice of:</i> Chesterton <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd Dr Philip Lockley
Virginia MOGGRIDGE	<i>To serve in the Benefice of:</i> Burwell with Reach <i>Training Incumbent:</i> The Revd Canon Dr Eleanor Williams

- Sarah Rebecca NEWNS *To serve in the Benefices of: Waterbeach and Landbeach
and as Learning & Mission Pioneer in Ely Cathedral.*
Training Incumbent: The Revd Paul Butler
- Leo Esosa OROBOR *To serve in the Benefice of:*
Yaxley
Training Incumbent: The Revd Sarah Hare
- Nicholas Francis ROMANS *To serve in the Benefices of:*
Histon and Impington
Training Incumbent: The Revd Canon James Blandford-Baker
- David Arthur TISDALL *To serve in the Benefice of:*
St Barnabas, Cambridge
Training Incumbent: The Revd Canon Anne Maclaurin
- Sarah Louise WEST *To serve in the Benefice of:*
South Leightonstone
Training Incumbent: The Revd Philip Howson