



The Catch

Weekly News sheet for St Peter's Church, in the Parish of Ipsley

2nd Sunday after Trinity

WELCOME TO ST PETER'S

30th June 2019

Collect for the week

Lord, you have taught us
 that all our doings without love are
 nothing worth:
 send your Holy Spirit
 and pour into our hearts that most
 excellent gift of love,
 the true bond of peace and of all
 virtues,
 without which whoever lives is counted
 dead before you.
 Grant this for your only Son Jesus
 Christ's sake,
 who is alive and reigns with you,
 in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
 one God, now and for ever.
 Amen

Today's Services

9:45 am Celebration
 11:15 am Morning Worship
 2:00 pm Baptism of Edward Rosario
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 6:30pm Celtic Communion

Diary For The Week

9:30 am	Morning Prayers	Mon
9:45 am	Scramblers	01
2:00 pm	Craft Group	
9:30 am	Morning Prayers	Tue
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9.30 am	Midweek Communion	Wed
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7:30 pm	DCC at St Peters	Thurs
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9:30 am	Morning Prayer	Fri
7:00 pm	Bell Ringing	05
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9:45 am	Sunday Café	Sun
11:15 am	Holy Communion	07
2:15 pm	Baptism of Sebastian Ezra Haresign	
6:30 pm	Evening Worship	

PREACHING THEMES FOR TODAY

9:45 am	People of the Spirit Philip—Evangelist Acts 8
11:15 am	2 Kings 1:2,6-14 Galatians 5:1,13-25 Luke 9:51-62
6.30 pm	Jesus the Messiah Pentecost Leviticus 23:15-21 Acts 2:1-5, 41– 42

Reflection

St. Peters Open Church

I organised the first Open Church at St. Peters in the summer of 2007. Since then we have opened our historic Church at various times of the year and in a variety of ways. Special memories for me include the Tea Party for the new residents of Ipsley Manor, Tower Tours and the children enjoying fun activities.

Many folk have helped in so many ways - you know who you are and I thank you with all my heart.

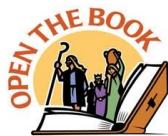
I have decided to step down from this initiative and allow somebody else to take over the reins. If you would like to be involved please speak to Garth.

The joys of meeting visitors and hearing their stories have sometimes been overwhelming. Praying for those in need has been remarkable. Sharing with the children as they create beautiful pictures is exciting.

Opening our church to the people around is vital. Making our faith accessible to all is crucial. Sharing God's love to all who enter our Church is a privilege. Please pray that God may be asking you to help this year.

Rhoda Lingard

Thank You for all your prayers and good wishes whilst I was awaiting a hip replacement and during my recovery. I am delighted to report I am fully recovered, fit and well. Thank you again your prayers and wishes that have been much appreciated. -
From Jacqui Street



Open the Book: Open the Book celebrates 20 years this year. We have for 8 years found favour in four schools in this parish ensuring that the children of the parish hear the stories of the Bible. Come to the **Open the Book Jamboree** on Friday 5th July 2019 12:30—2:45 at Christ Church Matchborough and enjoy a bring and share lunch and find out more about Open the Book.



“ALWAYS KEEP ON PRAYING” for:

Juan Carlos and Penny Marces in Peru: As they continue their stay in the Midlands and the activities that they will join in with in various churches including our own House Groups.

Those who are sick: Betty Wood, Tia, Kate Bainbridge, Chris Tilley, Andrew Johnson, Alex Street, Peter Barcham, Joanne Heaselgrave, Joanne Goodwin, Erica Dilger, Michael Hawkins, Mark Brunner, Basil Cottril , Glynis Horton, Linda Grummet, Jacqui Street, Janet Tegg, Steve Thomas, Ramola Vasa and Iyra Dutton.

Those who mourn: For Samantha Bowen and her family on the death of her mum Marion Bowen.

Our Nation: For our MP Rachel Maclean & the Government involved in Brexit negotiations, for our local councillor Juliet Brunner and for our security services working to keep us safe.

Migration Crisis: For the protection of people and an end to the human trafficking circuits. For those returning to homes and livelihoods destroyed by war.

Parish Prayers: Goosehill Close Matchborough, Furze Lane Winyates Green, Kingstone Place Woodrow, Middleton Close Winyates

CPAS: Leadership: Please pray for James Lawrence as he leads training for Mission Enablers in the Worcester diocese. The Mission Enablers’ primary role is to equip churches to reach out to more children and young people.

World: Pray for all those who suffer. That we may seek God’s guidance and discernment to the various ways of how we can help.

Chaplaincies; Chaplains and volunteers in retail and industrial chaplaincy in Redditch, prison chaplaincy, and hospital chaplaincy. Padres to the Air, Army and Sea Cadets.

Churches Together: Please pray for the ministry at Saints Matthias and George , Astwood Bank ; for the start of Messy Church and that it goes from strength to strength. Give thanks for their new curate Victoria joining them in June.



Offering Envelopes: The new weekly Offering Envelopes are now available at the back of the Church, please collect your envelopes.



Birmingham City Mission: Tea Party on Saturday 13th July at the Clock Tower, their HQ and Resource Centre, in Bordesley Green. From 12 noon to 2.30pm you can enjoy tea and cake served to your table and live music in the courtyard .There'll also be a silent charity auction running through the day and a programme of mini seminars to find out more about BCM's different projects. For all the details, go to <https://www.birminghamcitymission.org.uk/bcm-tea-party/>



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St Peter's Church is part of the Team Parish of Ipsley which consists of St Peter's Ipsley, St John's Greenlands and Christ Church Matchborough.

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Notices for "The Catch" to the office

PASTORAL CARE IN ST PETER'S:

We have a very supportive Pastoral Care team. If you have any concerns, need prayer or someone to talk to or who can help you in a practical way please contact the Rector, Canon Garth Nathaniel, either by leaving a phone message on the office phone or directly via the Rectory.

HOUSE GROUPS

Tues pm: Linda Nicholas 451635
Tues eve: John Butler 520051
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For further information please contact the group leader.



Children's Activities @ St Peter's

Godly play 2nd and 4th Sunday of the month at

St. Peters@9:45

Weekday Clubs:

Scramblers for 0-5 years on Mondays
in term time.

Cool Zone

for 7-11 years—6:30 pm

Christ Church Matchborough

Youth Club 7:30 -9:30 at Christ Church