

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
Wed eve: Judy Evans 404522
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



The Catch

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



Remembrance Sunday

WELCOME TO ST PETER'S

10th November 2019

Collect for the week

Almighty and eternal God,
from whose love in Christ we cannot be parted, either by death or life:
Hear our prayers and thanksgivings for all whom we remember this day;
fulfil in them the purpose of your love; and bring us all, with them, to your eternal joy;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Today's Services

9:45 am Contemporary Worship
10:45 am Morning Worship
2:00 pm Baptism of Archie and Sophia
6:30 pm Communion with Anointing

Diary For The Week

9:00 am	Morning Prayers	Mon
9:45 am	Scramblers	11
2:00 pm	Craft Group	
7:30 pm	Table Tennis	
9:00 am	Morning Prayers	Tue
		12
9:00 am	Midweek Communion	Wed
10:30 am	Coffee Morning	13
		Thurs
		14
9:00 am	Morning Prayer	Fri
		15
		Sat
		16
9:45 am	Holy Communion	Sun
11:15 am	Holy Communion	17
6.30 pm	Evening Worship	

PREACHING THEMES FOR TODAY

10:00 am Remembrance:
The Unknown Soldier

10:45 am Remembrance Sunday
Micah 4:1-5;
Romans 8:31-39;
Luke 20:27-38

6.30 pm God is for us
1 Kings 3:1-15;
Romans 8:31-39;

Rector's Reflection

Today is Remembrance Sunday. In WW2 Britain went to war with Germany to prevent a great evil, one that not only would not go away but also sought to dominate the world and everyone.

The Church through the ages since the outpouring of the Holy Spirit on the disciples has been engaged in a spiritual battle against the devil who works through the rulers, the authorities, the cosmic powers of this present darkness and the spiritual forces of evil in the heavenly places. Our calling is to prevent the devil and all his cohorts from taking souls into hell with them and to work to establish God's kingdom of righteousness and truth. "*Pacem in terries*" –Peace on earth. We will see the answer to our prayer "Your Kingdom come." Satan would have us believe that this is not true and that God is not who He says He is *but* Satan is a liar and there is no truth whatsoever in him. In fact Jesus calls him the "Father of lies." (John 8.44). In complete contrast to this Jesus is "the way, the TRUTH, and the life" (John 14.8).

With the lies that the devil sows in the world about God Himself, the praise of our lips is the weapon against these lies. Our praise is declaring into this world and the heavenly places the character of God. We are called to declare **who God is** and not what He has done for us. The psalmist sees the praises of God as a weapon against the devil and his lying schemes. Psalm 149.6

"So with the high praises of God in our mouths..."

Canon Garth Nathaniel

Sunday 24th November 9:45am Service is our Messy Christmas service! Donations of toys will be collected for Birmingham City Mission. See flyer for details.

There will be a small Traidcraft stall after the 9:45 service today with Christmas Cards, advent calendars and other Christmas items. Catalogues are also available if you wish to place an order. Contact Felicity on 07510 969329 to do so.

Barn Dance: 23rd November at Cookhill Village Hall. 7:15pm for 7:30pm start. £7.50 including a Ploughman's Supper. Bar available. All welcome!



"ALWAYS KEEP ON PRAYING" for:

Juan Carlos and Penny Marces in Peru: For more men to join the church and for the various courses they plan to hold.

Those who are sick: Graham Twist, Betty Wood, Tia, Kate Bainbridge, Chris Tilley, Andrew Johnson, Alex Street, Peter Barcham, Joanne Heaselgrave, Joanne Goodwin, Erica Dilger, Michael Hawkins, Mark Brunner, Glynis Horton, Linda Grummet, Janet Tegg, Steve Thomas, Heather Berry, Jane Gray and Kenny Morgan.

Those who have died: For Tony and Noreen Yardley on the death of his sister Eileen Louise Smith, and for Sue Johnson on the death of her mother, Shirley Murphy.

Our Nation: Pray for our government at this critical time. For our MP Rachel Maclean and our local councillor Juliet Brunner.

Parish Prayers: Ashorne Close, Matchborough; Atworth Close, Wirehill; Rushock Close, Woodrow; Bodenham Close, Winyates

CPAS: Pray for the 24 participants in the Arrow Leadership programme as they gather for the final time to celebrate all that God has done over the last 18 months and to look ahead to the future.

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: During November we are praying for Emmanuel Church, Redditch. Pray for opportunities to further develop fresh styles of worship and opportunities for new people to take a lead in worship and working with children and young people.

"Happily Ever After" pantomime by Duggie Dug Dug will be at Christ Church at 4pm on Sunday 1st December. Tickets are available from Judy Evans or Linda Nicholas. Adults £4, Family of 4 £10, Concessions £3

Christmas meals at The Southcrest Manor Hotel: Men's meal—Monday 2nd December. Ladies meal—Monday 9th December, 7:15pm for 7:30pm. £14.95 for 2 courses, £16.95 for 3 courses, tea and coffee included in both. Please sign up by 10th November on the list in the Huband Room, £5 deposit. Please pay balance by 24th November.