



# Weekly News

15<sup>th</sup> April 2018

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

## How can we serve and bless Harrogate together?

A few months ago leaders from twenty local churches met to consider how we could serve and bless our town. An initiative arising out of that meeting has been **#PrayerforHarrogate**. Its goal is for every household in Harrogate to be prayed for in the period 10<sup>th</sup> - 20<sup>th</sup> May 2018 (between Ascension and Pentecost). Many thousands of colourful postcards have been printed. What we need now are lots of pairs of volunteers to help deliver them across our Parish. **#PrayerforHarrogate** is not designed for the super-spiritual, or those who feel confident about praying in public. It could be as simple as walking down a street, praying quietly and simply for each home (prayer suggestions will be provided), and leaving a card (like the one pictured). On the back of the card there is an invitation, for those who would like to, to let us know about any particular prayer requests.

**#PrayerforHarrogate**  
**GOD IS LOVE**

We prayed for you today

Did you know that every household in Harrogate  
is being prayed for in the next ten days?



To find out more go to **[prayerforharrogate.org](http://prayerforharrogate.org)**

This is a major undertaking with the potential to have a great impact. It would be truly wonderful to remind all the people of our town about the love of God and the concern of his whole Church for everyone who lives here. If you would like to be involved, or to know more, please contact me at [alan.garrow@gmail.com](mailto:alan.garrow@gmail.com).

Alan Garrow, Vicar of St Peter's

## Sunday Lunch Club Meets Today!

It is open to everyone and there's no need to book or bring anything – although donations towards the cost will, of course, be very welcome! Lunch today will be served at 1:00 pm. Please speak to Hannah Beck (07503 186455) or Yvonne Dawes (07960 779381) if you need to know more.

## Men's Breakfast at St Peter's - Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> April 2018

Beginning with Morning Prayers at 8:00 am for those who wish to take part, and breakfast from 8:30 to 9:00 am, followed by an informal discussion session in The Gallery for perhaps 30 minutes or so. Please email Bryn Heapy if you are planning to come: [brynsusie@hotmail.com](mailto:brynsusie@hotmail.com) or text him on 07561 889076.



## A date for your diary

Our new Curate, Christopher Clayton, will be ordained as Deacon on 30<sup>th</sup> June and there will be a **Parish Lunch** to welcome him and his family to St Peter's Church on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> July. There will be full details in the Weekly News nearer the time!

## Café RefleXions

Coffee, cake and contemplation



**Wednesdays**  
10.30-11.00am



THE FISHER SINGERS



## Mass in Time of War

(Missa in Tempore Belli) by Joseph Haydn

&

## The Armed Man

(A Mass for Peace) by Karl Jenkins

Conducted by Alexander Kyle

AT 7.30PM ON SATURDAY 28TH APRIL 2018

AT ST PETER'S CHURCH, CAMBRIDGE ROAD, HARROGATE HG1 1PB

TICKETS ARE £10 FOR ADULTS & £5 FOR UNDER 18'S

AVAILABLE FROM:

P&C MUSIC, DEVONSHIRE PLACE, HARROGATE ON 01423 504035

BY PHONING 01765 608057 / 01423874320.

TICKETS CAN ALSO BE PURCHASED ON THE DOOR





## Annual Parochial Church Meeting

Our Annual Parochial Church Meeting takes place this year on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> April at 7:00 pm in Church. This equivalent of an AGM is your opportunity to **ask questions** about finances and the ordering of the Church's life; **elect**, amongst others, members of our Parochial

Church Council (PCC); and to **find out** about all the groups at St Peter's and what they've been up to in the past year.

### Could you run a stall this year at the Vicarage Garden Party?

This year the Vicarage Garden Party will be on Sunday 10<sup>th</sup> June. We hope to have afternoon teas, stalls, competitions and games hosted by individuals or Church groups. Please get in touch with Alan or Emma Garrow (01423 526454) if you or your group would like to run a stall.



### Thy Kingdom Come: *a global wave of prayer*



The Archbishops of Canterbury and York are encouraging churches, congregations and individuals to get involved in *Thy Kingdom Come*, described as a global wave of prayer for the nation taking place between Ascension and Pentecost 2018. Over a period of 11 days (10<sup>th</sup>

– 20<sup>th</sup> May), Christians from all denominations, all over the world, will be coming together to discover new ways of praying that more people come to know Jesus Christ. There are special events planned all over our Diocese. The website for *Thy Kingdom Come* has a section for individuals and churches to say they *Pledge2Pray*. Each pledge becomes a light on a world map to inspire and encourage others; visit [www.thykingdomcome](http://www.thykingdomcome) for further details and to *Pledge2Pray*.

### St Peter's Evening Fellowship – A Tour of York Minster

York Minster is Northern Europe's largest medieval Gothic cathedral. Come and hear Paul Medford, an Evening Fellowship member and a York Minster Guide, giving us an informative and interesting insight into the history and life of this ancient building, which is also a living and working church. Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> May at 7:30 pm in the Brostoff Hall. Everyone welcome!



# Today's Services: 15<sup>th</sup> April 2018

The Third Sunday of Easter

## 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 toys and activities to share for the whole service.*

**Hymns** 1030, Christ be in my waking, 1120, 935

**Readings** Acts 3 v 12 - 19  
Luke 24 v 36b - 48

**Preacher:** Tim Hurren

## 11:00 Choral Matins

**Setting** Stanford in C (Te Deum)

**Hymns** 144, 520, 162

**Psalm** 77 v 11 - 20

**Readings** Isaiah 63 v 7 - 15  
1 Corinthians 10 v 1 - 13

**Anthem** The strife is o'er (*Henry Ley*)

**Preacher:** Sarah Martin

**4:30 Afternoon Church** Crafternoon Church *Refreshments from 4.15*

**Hymn:** 89

**Preacher:** Ruth Thompson-Vear

## 6:30 Choral Communion

**Setting** Stanford in B flat

**Hymns** 140, 159, 138, 612

**Readings** John 3 v 16 to the end  
Luke 24 v 36b - 48

**Anthem** This is the day (*Anon*)

**Preacher:** Tim Hurren

### Our Duty Wardens today are:

Sian Lockwood and  
Rosemary Turner



At the 9:30 Service we offer prayer with laying on of hands. If you would like this ministry, please come up to receive the bread and wine (or a blessing) in St Mary's Chapel and wait behind in the pews there.

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

Tim Akers, Rosemary Almond, Brian Crabtree, Louise Emrullahu, Pam Gardiner, Gill Gibson, Peggy Harris, Vicky Harrison, Sue Heapy, Edna Hodgkiss, Caroline Kelly, Doreen Rhodes, Alan Richardson, Colin Sinclair and Linda Ware.

**Also in our prayers this week:**

<b>Mon</b>	St Peter's Animal Welfare Group All local animal charities
<b>Tues</b>	The Community Café <i>Stonham Homestay</i> , housing support for vulnerable people
<b>Wed</b>	St Peter's Evening Fellowship <i>Springboard Day Centre</i> , a safe haven for the homeless at Wesley Chapel House
<b>Thurs</b>	St Peter's Lay Baptism Team Those who work with young people
<b>Fri</b>	Rachel Fell, our PCC secretary Refugees fleeing war
<b>Sat</b>	Michael Hunter, one of our retired clergy <i>Emmaus House</i> , Christian care home in Harrogate

**Daily Readings**

*Morning Prayer is at 8:00 am and 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?*

<b>Mon</b>	Psalm 96 Exodus 19 Luke 1 v 1 - 25
<b>Tues</b>	Psalm 98 Exodus 20 v 1 - 21 Luke 1 v 26 - 38
<b>Wed</b>	Psalm 105 Exodus 24 Luke 1 v 39 - 56
<b>Thurs</b>	Psalm 136 Exodus 25 v 1 - 22 Luke 1 v 57 to end
<b>Fri</b>	Psalm 107 Exodus 28 v 1 – 4a and v 29 - 38 Luke 2 v 1 - 20
<b>Sat</b>	Psalm 110 Exodus 29 v 1 - 9 Luke 2 v 21 - 40

**The Collect for the Third Sunday of Easter**

Almighty Father, who in your great mercy gladdened the disciples with the sight of the risen Lord:

give us such knowledge of his presence with us, that we may be strengthened and sustained by his risen life and serve you continually in righteousness and truth; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

**or**

Risen Christ, you filled your disciples with boldness and fresh hope: strengthen us to proclaim your risen life and fill us with your peace, to the glory of God the Father.

# What's on This Week

*Morning Prayer is at 8:00 am and Evening Prayer at 5:00 pm daily*

**Studio 6 Art Group Exhibition** – *a display and sale of paintings by this small community art group who are based in Boston Spa. Daily from 16<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> April.*

<b>Mon 16<sup>th</sup></b>	11:30 am Community Café 2:00 pm Shanty Folk Singers
<b>Tues 17<sup>th</sup></b>	12:30 pm Healing Service 1:00 pm Diabetes Prevention Service in the Music Room
<b>Wed 18<sup>th</sup></b>	9:30 am Bible RefleXions - <b>Ascension</b> 10:30 am Café RefleXion 2:00 pm <i>Supporting Older People</i> Singing Group
<b>Thurs 19<sup>th</sup></b>	9:30 am Parent and Toddler Group 11:00 am Holy Communion 12:30 pm Lunchtime RefleXion 2:00 pm St Peter's Handbell Ringers at Wesley Chapel 7:30 pm Choir Practice
<b>Fri 20<sup>th</sup></b>	9:30 am AA Meeting 10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team 7:00 pm Bell Ringers
<b>Sat 21<sup>st</sup></b>	8:00 am Men's Breakfast at St Peter's 10:30 am <i>Epilepsy Action</i> Support Group 10:00 am – 4:00 pm <b>St Peter's Teaching and Learning Task Group</b> are holding a Refreshment Day. Please pop in for morning coffee, a delicious lunch or an afternoon tea!

## Next Sunday 22<sup>nd</sup> April The Fourth Sunday of Easter

8:30	Holy Communion
9:30	Family Communion
11:00	Choral Matins
4:30	Afternoon Church – <i>Celtic Worship</i>
6:30	Choral Evensong

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 at the Wesley Centre each week at 1:00 pm, except for the third Sunday of the month when it is here at St Peter's – that's **TODAY!** Food parcels are available from 4:45 pm every day, except for Sundays, when it's 5:30 pm.



## Christian Aid Week – join our team of volunteer collectors!

Christian Aid week runs this year from 13<sup>th</sup> – 19<sup>th</sup> May. Ian Fraser has been the St Peter's representative for some years, but is now stepping down, so we are looking for someone to replace him. The work involves organising the house to house collections during Christian Aid week; attending three meetings during the year and generally promoting the work of Christian Aid. If anyone would like to take on this role, I would be happy to share the work. I am currently acting as the area coordinator of the house to house collections. We are also looking for more volunteers to take part in the house to house collections in our Parish. If you can help in either role, please contact Judith Simpson on 01423 564842.



## Kingdom 90 Day Business Planning Day

**St Peter's Church, Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April, 9.30 am - 4.30 pm**

Business Owner or a Sole Trader? Overwhelmed with all there is to do in your business? Lack of time? Lack of money? Can't find good people? The good news is that you are not alone.

St Peter's is the venue for this event facilitated by Christian Business Coach, Andrew Cussons. You will reflect on the past 90 days in terms of your faith, personal life and business situation and then build a plan for the future in collaboration with others. This will be prayed over and you will walk out of the event confident and feeling supported, understood and focused. Investment to include all planning materials and refreshments is £100 + VAT. Please email [andrewcussons@actioncoach.com](mailto:andrewcussons@actioncoach.com) for details or text 07801 612889 with the word PLAN and your name.

## Job Opportunities at St Peter's Church

A **Cleaning Assistant** is required for 7 hours per week over 2 shifts at £9 per hour. Also a **General Assistant** is required for up to 10 hours per week with the potential for additional hours at £9 per hour. Job descriptions and application forms from the Parish Office (01423 568218) or at [stpeters.office@ntlbusiness.com](mailto:stpeters.office@ntlbusiness.com). The post-holders will be working as part of the team responsible for ensuring that the groups using St Peter's Church facilities are properly supported and for the safety and cleanliness of the building. **Closing date for both positions is 30<sup>th</sup> April 2018.**



## Amnesty Book Sale on 28<sup>th</sup> April in Knaresborough

On Saturday 28<sup>th</sup> April the local Amnesty group are holding a Book Sale and Refreshments at the URC Church Hall, Gracious Street, Knaresborough from 10:00 am until 2:00 pm. If you have any books to donate, please contact Linzy on 01423 313208.

# Youth Club

It's Club Night on Friday 27<sup>th</sup> April in the Brostoff Hall at Church from 7:15 – 9:00 pm. There'll be pool, table tennis, fuseball and a tuck shop. Meet at the precinct entrance. Call or text Jane Cox on 07944 906 696.



The banns of marriage are published between **Rosemary Jane Gill** and **Hugh Wallace Wayper**. This is for the third time of asking.

*If any of you know any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it.*

## Green Your Life

eco tip of the week

### April – in the bathroom

If your toilet cistern holds more than six litres of water (likely if it was installed before 2001) put a Hippo Water Saving device (or a brick) in it to save water each time you flush - [www.hippo-the-watersaver.co.uk](http://www.hippo-the-watersaver.co.uk).



**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 (22<sup>nd</sup> April) will be noon on Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> April. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow **or** to Marian Chambers (addresses below)

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