



Weekly News

19th August 2018

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

St Peter's Church welcomes G & S!



Today at our 11 o'clock service we welcome visitors from the International Gilbert & Sullivan Festival being held in Harrogate again this year. The Festival brings together a wonderful mix of leading amateur performing groups (including nine British Universities) and professional companies such as the National Gilbert & Sullivan Opera Company, Charles Court Opera and Forbear! Theatre. America's oldest G&S Society, the Savoy Company, from Philadelphia are returning with a performance of *Iolanthe*. Almost 100 Canadian supporters and performers are flying all the way from British Columbia to perform *The Gondoliers*. Every day there are also many fringe events from an academic symposium, talks on costume and set design to the late-night Festival Club. Visit gsfestivals.org or the Festival Box Office beside the Royal Hall for further information or to buy tickets.

St Peter's Ladies who Lunch

The Ladies who Lunch are meeting again on Wednesday 29th August at the Palm Court Café at the bottom of Montpellier Hill. There they serve a good selection of sandwiches, wraps and toasties, as well as home-made cakes and sweets. If you are interested in joining us for food and fellowship, then please contact Sue Heapy to book your place at our table (07540 355 305) or brynsusie@hotmail.com.



A Time to be Still – a poem by Barbara Stone

This poem was inspired by a very peaceful walk through the pinewoods with my dogs.

Be still for just a moment,
and look up to the sky;
imagine how expansive,
must be God's home on high;
beyond the noise and bustle,
beyond the pain and strife,
relief awaits the weary
and humble of this life.

Be still, savour the sweetness
of clean, refreshing rains;
rejuvenating blossoms
to crowd the woods and lanes.

Imagine that great garden
the Father's hand has made,
where grass is green forever,
and flowers *never* fade.

Be still and watch the river,
so vast and deep and cold:
till water, kissed by sunlight,
is charged with burnished gold.

Imagine now, a dwelling
where souls live in accord:
its rooms prepared for many
who walk close to the Lord.

Not quite what the Vicar meant by the three minute rule ...



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.



St Peter's Evening Fellowship: The North West Highlands of Scotland

The next meeting of St Peter's Evening Fellowship is on Thursday 6th September in the Brostoff Hall starting at 7:30 pm. David Alred, naturalist and photographer, well known for his illustrated talks on the Yorkshire Dales, will this time present the wonders of Scotland's North West. Tha iad uile a 'cur fàilte!

VaCO Summer Concert at St Peter's this Saturday!

VaCO is a UK Registered Charity that runs residential chamber orchestra courses for advanced young musicians. At the heart of VaCO courses is the drive to present outstanding live concerts and recitals in a variety of locations and settings. They will be performing at St Peter's Church on Saturday 25th August from 7:30 – 9:45 pm. Tickets cost £10 (under 18s free) and are available in advance from Jane Lomax 07974 698264 or on the door from 7:00pm.

Wesley Welcome Café

Alternate Friday's beginning

Friday 14th September 2018

1.00pm – 3.00pm

at the Wesley Centre, Oxford Street, Harrogate
(side entrance down the hill)



Like to knit?

Do you enjoy playing dominoes?

How about crafts of some kind?

Like music?

Do you like playing games?

Or chatting with new people?

Join us for tea or coffee, cakes and biscuits.
Make new friends within an informal group in the centre of Harrogate. £2 per session

For more information ring Les Sudron (797406) or Wesley Centre (509917) or just come along

Dementia Forward
Support for today, planning for tomorrow

Wesley CENTRE HARROGATE

Organ Recital

with John Longstaff

Johann Sebastian Bach

Charles-Marie Widor

Dietrich Buxtehude

Johann Strauss (II)

Felix Mendelssohn

Edward Elgar

César Franck

Alfred Hollins



St. Peter's Church, Harrogate
Bank Holiday Monday
27th August 2018 at 2:30pm

Tickets £10 to include
cream teas afterwards

Today's Services: 19th August 2018

The Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

Sunday Club is closed for the Summer, but children and their parents are welcome to gather in the café area, where there are toys and activities to share during the service.

Hymns 1419, 1188, 1158, 1407

Readings John 6 v 51 - 58

Preacher: Alan Garrow

Our Duty Wardens today are:

Angus Turner
and Ian Birt

11:00 Gilbert & Sullivan Service

Setting Sullivan in D (Jubilate)

Hymns *Please see order of service*

Readings Jonah 1

2 Peter 3 v 14 to end

Anthem The Lost Chord (*Sullivan*)

Preacher: Gordon Smethurst

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

Hymns: 73

Preacher: Chris Clayton

6:30 Choral Communion

Setting Oldroyd (Mass of the Quiet Hour)

Hymns 191, 321, 311, 322

Readings Ephesians 5 v 15 - 20

John 6 v 51 - 58

Anthem Of the glorious body telling (Victoria)

Preacher: Tim Hurren



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:

Sue Abbott, Tim Akers, Rosemary Almond, Brian Crabtree, Louise Emrullahu, Pam Gardiner, Gill Gibson, Peggy Harris, Vicky Harrison, David Hipkin, Edna Hodgkiss, Caroline Kelly, Peggy Palmer, Doreen Rhodes, Alan Richardson, Frances Roxby-Proud. Colin Sinclair and Linda Ware.

RIP - Audrey Lambert

Also in our prayers this week:

- Mon** The Communication Task Group
All those killed and injured by the bridge collapse near Genoa
- Tues** St Peter's *Ladies who Lunch* group
St Peter's Flower Team
- Wed** Our Lunchtime RefleXions team
St Peter's Bell Ringers
- Thurs** St Peter's Sunday Club
All who work with young people
- Fri** The Sunday Lunch Club
Harrogate Homeless Project, offering help and emergency accommodation to adults
- Sat** Tim Hurren, Associate Vicar
Wellspring Therapy & Training, supporting people in distress and promoting good mental health

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?

- Mon** Psalm 98
2 Samuel 11
Acts 8 v 26 to end
- Tues** Psalm 106
2 Samuel 12 v 1 - 25
Acts 9 v 1 – 19a
- Wed** Psalm 111
2 Samuel 15 v 1 - 12
Acts 9 v 19b - 31
- Thurs** Psalm 115
2 Samuel 15 v 13 to end
Acts 9 v 32 to end
- Fri** *Bartholomew the Apostle*
Psalm 86
Genesis 28 v 10 - 17
John 1 v 43 to end
- Sat** Psalm 121
2 Samuel 17 v 1 - 23
Acts 10 v 17 - 33

The Collect for the Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

Almighty and everlasting God, you are always more ready to hear than we to pray and to give more than either we desire or deserve:

pour down upon us the abundance of your mercy, forgiving us those things of which our conscience is afraid and giving us those good things which we are not worthy to ask but through the merits and mediation of 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

God of constant mercy, who sent your Son to save us:

remind us of your goodness, increase your grace within us, that our thankfulness may grow, through Jesus Christ our Lord.

What's on This Week

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

U3A Photographic Exhibition – *Photographs taken by the U3A Photographic Group will be on display in the Glass Foyer. Daily from 20th – 28th August.*

Mon 20th 11:30 am Community Café

Tues 21st 12:30 pm Healing Service

Wed 22nd 10:30 am Café RefleXion

Thurs 23rd 9:30 am Parent and Toddler Group
11:00 am Holy Communion
2:00 pm St Peter's Handbell Ringers at Wesley Chapel
Please note: Choir Practice resumes next week on Thursday 30th August at 7:30 pm.

Fri 24th 9:30 am AA Meeting
10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team
7:00 pm Bell Ringers

Sat 25th 12:00 pm VaCO Concert Rehearsal
7:30 pm **VaCO Summer Concert.**
Tickets cost £10, with under 18s free
Tonight's programme includes:
Haydn's Cello Concerto in C
Vaughan Williams' The Lark Ascending
Schubert's Symphony No 5 in B flat



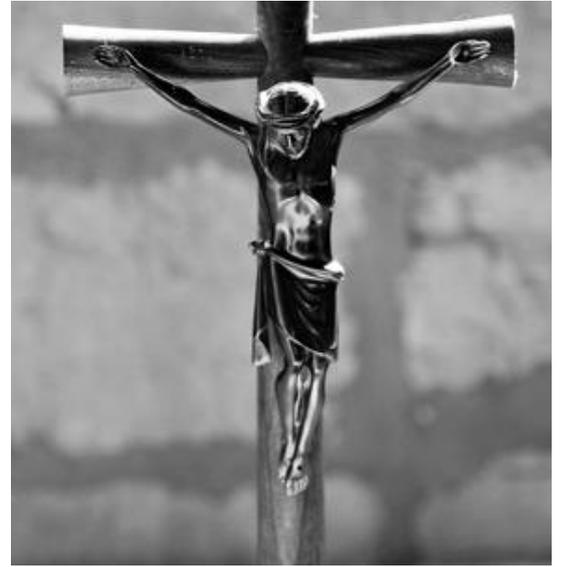
Next Sunday 26th August **The Thirteenth Sunday after** **Trinity**

8:30 Holy Communion
9:30 Family Communion
11:00 **Merchant Navy Day**
Commemorative Service
4:30 Afternoon Church –
Celtic Worship
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.
Food parcels are available from 4:45 pm every day, except for Sundays, when it's 5:30 pm.

The Wilfrid Walks – Reconciliation and Contemplation

A curate at Ripon Cathedral, the Revd Caitlin Carmichael-Davis, is leading a series of day pilgrimages this summer. On Saturday **25th August**, the second walk, *Reconciliation*, will begin in the Cathedral's *Chapel of the Resurrection*. After walking to Markenfield Hall, the home of a Roman Catholic family during the Reformation, there will be a short prayer service in the Chapel there. Then on Saturday **8th September** the last walk, *Contemplation*, will be from Fountains Abbey West Gate through the countryside surrounding the Abbey: past Fountains Hall, through Spa Gill Wood and pausing at the beautiful Church of St Lawrence the Martyr in Aldfield.



Please contact Caitlin at reverendcaitlin@riponcathedral.org.uk or phone 07377 657391 for further details.

The Great North Art Show – 1st – 23rd September 2018



First held in 2002, The Great North Art Show is an exhibition of contemporary art by Northern artists, held annually in Ripon Cathedral during early September. Some of the UK's finest painters, printmakers, photographers and sculptors are featured. All the work is for sale. The exhibition is open daily from 10:00 am – 4:30 pm. Entry is free.

Tickets available now for The Dean's Banquet at Ripon Cathedral

Last year this popular event raised a fantastic £26,000 for the *Ripon Cathedral Renewed Project*. This year The Dean's Banquet is on Friday 28th September – a unique dining experience, with a jazz reception, four-course candlelit dinner, opera performances and a silent disco. Places are limited, so if you would like to join us this year please contact Molly Barrs, Fundraising Events Officer, on mollybarrs@riponcathedral.org.uk.



THE DEAN'S BANQUET

FRIDAY 28 SEPTEMBER,
RIPON CATHEDRAL



Refreshments are served after each of our Sunday morning services from the kitchen area at the front of Church. Please come and join us.



Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (26th August) will be noon on Wednesday 22nd August. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow **or** to Marian Chambers (addresses below)

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*The bans of marriage are published between **Jennifer Frazer Macnair** and **James Robert Hoskins**. 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

August – in the car

Change your car breakdown cover to a company that campaigns for better environmental transport measures, rather than being part of the road transport lobby eg Environmental Transport Association
www.eta.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.