



Weekly News

2nd June 2019

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

Thy Kingdom Come – a call to pray

'They all joined together constantly in prayer' (Acts 1.14) describes the action of the disciples and Mary, following the Ascension of Jesus into heaven, it was all they felt able to do, asking for guidance and strength for whatever might come next. As believers we are invited to follow their example in the ten days from Ascension until Pentecost (30th May to 9th June this year), to think of five of our *not-yet-believing* friends, and to pray for each of them to come to know the love of Jesus for themselves.



Prayer is a most vital communication tool in our relationship with God; it has the power to transform lives and to change hearts and minds and should be as easy as chatting to a close friend. Our conversations with God don't need to be long, complicated affairs, we can pray simply:

Loving Lord I pray for my friend (*name*) to come to

know you, please encourage them to walk with You. Amen.

Remember: conversing with God is more important than the actual words we use!

To help us in this call to pray for our friends we will have some activities on offer in Church, as visual reminders of our commitment. During the intercessions (at some services) we will be getting crafty with bracelets and paper chains (more exciting than it sounds, I promise) and in the windows you can use candles to illuminate Christ's light for your friends. And look out for more besides.

May God bless you in your lives as you pray for your friends

Sarah Martin (*Lay Reader*)

Would you like to come to Chris Clayton's ordination service?



Our curate, Chris, is being ordained priest on Saturday 13th July 2019 at 2:00 pm at Holy Trinity Church on Kirkby Road in Ripon. If you would like to attend, please add your name to the sign-up sheet in Church before Sunday 16th June, as Holy Trinity have asked us to indicate numbers. There will be light refreshments after the service and if you would be happy to bring a cake, please indicate this on the sheet too. Thank you!

The Knitter's Yarn Community Knitting Group

This social knitting group at St Peter's knits much needed items for various charities. The next meeting is tomorrow Monday 3rd June from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm in the Brostoff Hall. If you want to learn to knit you will be welcome as there will be someone on hand to help get you started. The cost of £2.50 includes tea, coffee and biscuits.



THE KNITTER'S YARN

Books Wanted



Daniel and Cath Brewer are running a second hand bookstall at the Vicarage Garden Party on 23rd June. Do you have any unwanted books you might like to donate? Please place all donations in the labelled box by the Welcomer's Desk or contact him at danielbrewer25@hotmail.com

Confirmation Service next Sunday at 6:30 pm

Lottery winners, money and religious faith



Mark Roques makes a return visit to St Peter's Evening Fellowship on Thursday 6th June at 7:30 pm to explore the responsible and irresponsible ways in which people use their money. Mark taught Philosophy & Religious Studies at Prior Park College in Bath and is Director of RealityBites based in Leeds. What would you spend the money on if you won the lottery?

St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship – an outing to Hampsthwaite

There is **no** Afternoon Fellowship on Monday 10th June, but instead there will be an outing to **Sophie's Coffee Shop** in Hampsthwaite for a delicious cream tea on Wednesday 19th June. Gillian Taylor will be in touch soon to arrange transport.

Golden Wedding Thanksgiving Service at Ripon Cathedral

Couples who were married 50 years ago in 1969 are invited to a special Golden Wedding Service at Ripon Cathedral on the afternoon of Sunday 9th June at 3:30 pm. . Please call the Cathedral Office on 01765 603462 to book your place, you do not have to live in Ripon or have been married in the Cathedral to attend.



St Peter's Vicarage Garden Party



Sunday 23rd June
1:00 - 4:00 pm
St Peter's Vicarage
13 Beech Grove
Harrogate, HG2 0ET



THY KINGDOM COME

Join the global wave of prayer
May 30th - June 9th

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Today's Services: 2nd June 2019

The Seventh Sunday of Easter

The Sunday after Ascension Day (BCP)

*The theme for this morning's readings and sermons is **Thy Kingdom Come***

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

*There is **no** Sunday Club for school age children today, but all children and their parents are welcome to gather in the café area, where there are toys and activities to share during our Family Communion Service.*

Hymns

Readings

Preachers: Stewart and Catharine Davies

11:00 Choral Communion

Setting

Hymns

Readings

Anthem

Preacher: Sarah Martin

2:00 pm Baptism of Sebbie George Radcliffe

4:15 Afternoon Church *Holy Communion*

Hymns: 830, 475, 290

Preacher: Chris Clayton

6:30 Choral Evensong

Setting

Hymns

Psalm

Readings Isaiah 44 v 1 - 8
Ephesians 4 v 7 - 16

Anthem

Preacher: Michael Hunter

Our Duty Wardens today are:



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:**

Also in our prayers this week:

Mon	The Weekly News Editorial Team The children sponsored through <i>Compassion UK</i>
Tues	All our Deputy and Duty Wardens The <i>Thinking about God</i> discussion group
Wed	St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship All in the nursing homes and hospices of our Parish
Thurs	St Peter's Sacristans All who read the lessons at our services
Fri	Patricia Stableford, Churchwarden St Peter's Cleaning Team
Sat	Hannah Beck, Lay Reader <i>Cats Protection</i> , animal charity

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 93 Deuteronomy 31 v 1 - 13 1 John 2 v 18 to end
Tues	Psalm 99 Deuteronomy 31 v 14 - 29 1 John 3 v 1 - 10
Wed	Psalm 29 Deuteronomy 31 v 30 – 32 v 14 1 John 3 v 11 to end
Thurs	Psalm 24 Deuteronomy 32 v 15 - 47 1 John 4 v 1 - 6
Fri	Psalm 28 Deuteronomy 33 1 John 7 v 7 to end
Sat	Psalm 43 Deuteronomy 32 v 48 to end and 34 1 John 5

The Collect for the Seventh Sunday of Easter

O God the King of glory, you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:

we beseech you, leave us not comfortless, but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us and exalt us to the place where our Saviour Christ is gone before, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

or

Risen, ascended Lord, as we rejoice at your triumph, fill your Church on earth with power and compassion, that all who are estranged by sin may find forgiveness and know 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

Art Exhibition – showcasing the work of Community Art Group, Park Grove Watercolour Class. Daily from 3rd to 9th June.

- Mon 3rd** 10:00 am *The Knitter's Yarn* Community Knitting Group
 2:00 pm The Singing Folk group
- Tues 4th** 10:00 am – 1:00 pm The Seasons Art Class in the Brostoff Hall
 12:30 pm Healing Service
 1:30 – 4:30 pm The Seasons Art Class in the Brostoff Hall
 7:00 pm PCC meeting
- Wed 5th** 9:30 am Bible RefleXions
 10:30 am Café RefleXion
 7:00 pm **The Bible Course:** Judges & Kings – at Fiona Weare's
- Thurs 6th** 9:30 am St Peter's 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
 7:30 pm **St Peter's Evening Fellowship:** *Lottery winners, money and religious faith* with Mark Roques
- Fri 7th** 9:30 am AA Meeting
 10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team
 7:00 pm Bell Ringers
- Sat 8th** 6:30pm Rehearsal for Confirmation
- Sun 9th** 6:30 pm **Confirmation with Holy Communion**

Next Sunday 9th June **Day of Pentecost (Whit Sunday)**

- 8:30 Holy Communion
9:30 Family Communion
11:00 Choral Matins
4:15 Afternoon Church –
 Service of the Word
6:30 **Confirmation with**
 Holy Communion

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.



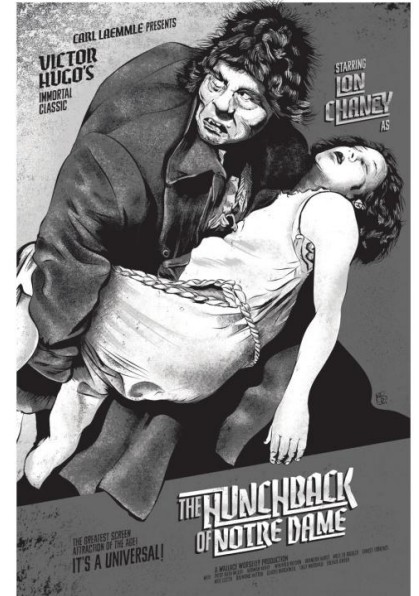
Hope of our calling – marking the 25th anniversary of the ordination of women

A special service to mark the 25th anniversary of the ordination of women to the priesthood in the Church of England will take place at Ripon Cathedral at 3:30 pm on Sunday 16th June, when the Bishop of Ripon, the Rt Revd Dr Helen-Ann Hartley will be preaching.

Notre Dame Fundraiser: screening of the classic silent film

On 10th July Ripon Cathedral is screening the 1923 version of *The Hunchback of Notre Dame*, with an improvised organ accompaniment by Tim Harper, who is Assistant Director of Music at the Cathedral. In the wake of the fire at Notre Dame in April, a proportion of the profits will go towards the restoration fund to rebuild the Cathedral in Paris. There will be an open bar throughout the evening and the chance to see the organist performing, projected alongside the silent black and white film.

Refreshments will be served from 8:30 pm and the performance starts at 9:00 pm. Tickets are £10 and available from the Cathedral Shop.



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VOICES YORKSHIRE

Conducted by Andrew Padmore

with
 Amici Ensemble
 Isobel Rose Soprano
 Anna Burford Mezzo
 Miles Taylor Bass

Ripon Cathedral
 8 June 2019, 7.30 pm

Tickets £20 (Students, unwaged & under 16s £5)
 from Harrogate Box Office 01423 502116
 or online at www.harrogatetheatre.co.uk
 also on sale from the Cathedral bookshop

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ENVIRONMENTAL MISSION: TRAINING DAY 2019

THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND
 Diocese of Leeds

SATURDAY 8TH JUNE
10AM - 4PM
ST MARK'S CHURCH
HARROGATE HG2 8AY

Is creation in crisis? What does scripture tell us about caring for the environment? How to become an Eco church? Can we worship with creation? How to reduce the church carbon footprint? Blessings by churchyard biodiversity? Church eco action in the wider community?

Learning Practical Workshops Connecting

Resurrected Bites Cafe for Pay as You Feel lunch
 Cost: £10

To book a place please contact:
jemima.parker@leeds.anglican.org
 01423 569121

Loving. Living. Learning.

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

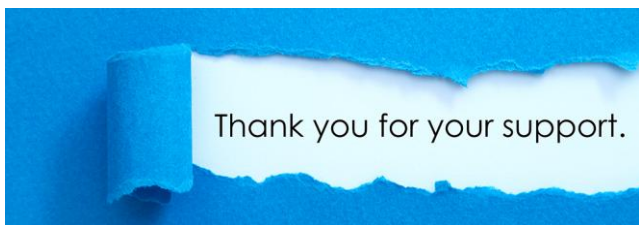


Next Week's Deadline

The deadline for the next edition of the Weekly News (9th June) will be noon on Wednesday 5th June. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow:
alan.garrow@gmail.com



*The banns of marriage are published between **Gillian Mary Gibson** and **Roy Douglas Taylor**. This is for the first time of asking. If any of you know any reason in law why they may not marry each other you are to declare it.*



St Peter's gives out food parcels every day to those in need. Thank you so much if you remembered to bring some groceries or toiletries to Church to put in the hamper today.



New to St Peter's? Please fill in one of the welcome cards in the pews and hand it to one of the clergy.

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