



# Weekly News

4<sup>th</sup> March 2018

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

## Names Amnesty Today!

A relationship will never get off the ground if we can't remember the other person's name. And, at the same time, remembering names is really hard – because:

- there usually isn't a logical reason for someone having the name they do
- when we meet others for the first time it's easy to concentrate on 'the next question' rather than listening to their name
- when we discover that we've forgotten a name – if we ever knew it in the first place – we are embarrassed to admit it.



It is, however, really worth persevering. Everyone knows that remembering names is hard – so people are very rarely offended if you simply admit that you need to try again. Here are some tips that might help.

- Finding out a little more about the person can help with remembering their name.
- Say their name out loud. Even if this means simply saying, 'So, your name is Fred'!
- Don't be afraid to ask again. I often find myself asking people their name a second, or even a third, time in the course of our first conversation (and, as many of you will know, sometimes several times thereafter).
- Test yourself later. If you can remember a name after a conversation has ended there's a much better chance you'll remember it next time you meet.

Is there someone who often sits near you whose name you'd love to know but you just can't remember? Take advantage of today's 'Names Amnesty' (which really applies every week) and ask them their name again.

*Alan Garrow, Vicar of St Peter's*

## Centenary of Wilfred Owen's time in Ripon

During the First World War, in March 1918, the war poet Wilfred Owen was posted to the Northern Command Depot at Ripon. The centenary of Wilfred Owen's visit to Ripon will be marked in Ripon Cathedral on his birthday, Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> March, by a special service at 3:30pm. The Wilfred Owen Association will be reading some of his poems and after the service there will be the opportunity to make a devotional pilgrimage to the Wilfred Owen altar and sculpture.



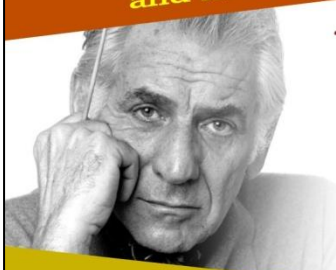
## Thank you for thinking of others

St Peter's gives out food parcels every day to those in need – from 4:45 pm each evening, except for Sundays, when it's 5:30 pm. Thank you if you remembered to bring some groceries or toiletries to put in the hamper today. And thank you to all the dedicated volunteers who distribute the parcels day by day.

## In Memoriam Easter Flowers

If you wish to have a loved one commemorated by name alongside the Easter Lilies on the High Altar, please give that person's name along with any donation (cash only, please) to Jennifer Cornish ([gpcjmc33@gmail.com](mailto:gpcjmc33@gmail.com)) before 25<sup>th</sup> March.

**Bernstein  
Centenary Celebration**  
including Chichester Psalms,  
excerpts from West Side Story  
and music by Aaron Copland



**vocalis**  
Mezzo-soprano  
**Charlotte Kitson**  
Organist  
**John Longstaff**  
Conducted by  
**Alexander Kyle**

**St Peter's Church**  
Cambridge Road  
Harrogate HG1 1RW  
**Saturday 24th March 2018**  
**7.30pm**  
**Adults £12 in advance, £15 on the door**  
Under 16s and carers accompanying people requiring assistance free  
Refreshments available

Tickets available online at [www.harrogatevocalis.org.uk](http://www.harrogatevocalis.org.uk)  
[enquiries@harrogatevocalis.org.uk](mailto:enquiries@harrogatevocalis.org.uk)  
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[www.harrogatevocalis.org.uk](http://www.harrogatevocalis.org.uk)  
Registered Charity Number 1000869

**A Fundraising Concert  
Voices for the Rohingya  
St Mark's Church  
Leeds Road, Harrogate  
Saturday 17<sup>th</sup> March 7:30pm**



**Tickets £7.50 on the door**

or from Judith Simpson  
(01423 564842)

**All proceeds direct to Christian  
Aid's work in the region**



## Fundraising Refreshment Day

There is a St Peter's Fundraising Refreshment Day to raise funds for our Church on Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> March from 10:00 am until 4:00 pm. If you are available to help in any way - perhaps serve, clear tables or wash-up on the day - or bake a chocolate cake, some scones or biscuits in advance – then please speak to Barbara Agar (07951 900514). If you are in town on Saturday, please come and support this fundraising event in Church. Thank you!



**If you are interested in coming to the Seder Meal on Monday 26<sup>th</sup> March at 6:00 pm, then please sign the list at the back of Church.**



### March

Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> **Mothering Sunday** with all our usual Sunday Services - a small posy of flowers, made by St Peter's Brownies and Guides, will be given to every mother today

Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> *Fifth Sunday in Lent* with our usual Sunday Services

### Holy Week

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> **Palm Sunday** - during our services today everyone receives a palm cross to commemorate Christ's entry into Jerusalem

Monday 26 <sup>th</sup>	6:00 pm	<b>Seder Meal</b> - come and explore the connection between Passover and the events of Holy Week
Tuesday 27 <sup>th</sup>	12:30 pm	Healing Service - with prayers and the laying on of hands

	7:00 pm	<b>Compline</b> - a service of quietness and reflection at the end of the day
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Wednesday 28 <sup>th</sup>	7:15 pm	Performance of <b>Handel's Messiah</b> with St Peter's Choir, guest singers and an orchestra
<b>Maundy Thursday</b>	11:00 am	Holy Communion - a traditional said service

	7:30 pm	<b>Choral Communion commemorating the Last Supper</b>
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<b>Good Friday</b>	10:00 am	<b>Good Friday Family Service</b>
	2:00 pm	<b>An Hour before the Cross</b> - meditations and music on the crucifixion of Christ

Saturday 31 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Easter Eve</b>	7:30 pm	<b>Lighting of the New Fire</b>
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### April

Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> **Easter Day** with all our usual Sunday Services - celebrating with joy Christ's resurrection - don't forget to bring a flower to add to the Flowering Cross.

# Today's Services: 4<sup>th</sup> March 2018

## The Third Sunday of Lent

**8:30 Holy Communion**

**9:30 Family Communion**

*As this is the first Sunday of the month, 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** Today is the day we've been given, Christ be in my waking, 42,  
Our God is a great big God

**Reading** John 2 v 13 - 22

**Preacher:** Dennis Richards

**11:00 Choral Communion**

**Setting** Oldroyd (Mass of the Quiet Hour)

**Hymns** 475 (omit\*), 515, 380 (omit\*), 455

**Readings** Ephesians 5 v 1 - 14

Luke 11 v 14 - 28

**Anthem** Ave verum corpus (*Elgar*)

**Preacher:** Alan Garrow

**4:30 Afternoon Church** Holy Communion *Refreshments from 4.15*

**Hymns:** 897, 22, 290

**Preacher:** Alan Garrow

**6:30 Choral Evensong**

**Setting** Gibbons (Short Service)

**Hymns** 477, 532, 96

**Psalms** 11, 12

**Readings** Exodus 5 v – 6 v 1

Matthew 10 v 16 - 22

**Anthem** Cast me not away from thy presence (S S Wesley)

**Preacher:** Tim Hurren

**Our Duty Wardens today are:**

Richard Morgan and

Richard Harrison



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, Marian Chambers, Hilary Clark, 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>	The Weekly News Editorial Team All involved in the media and the arts
<b>Tues</b>	St Peter's Lunchtime RefleXions The <i>Epilepsy Action</i> Support Group, who meet at St Peter's
<b>Wed</b>	All those who are bereaved <i>St Michael's Hospice</i>
<b>Thurs</b>	Our Library and Resources Group <i>The Fairtrade Shop</i> at St Peter's
<b>Fri</b>	St Peter's Teaching and Learning Task Group <i>The Bible Society</i> , making the Bible available to all
<b>Sat</b>	St Peter's Communion Administrants and Sacristans Our Healing Prayer Group

**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 5 Genesis 47 v 1 - 27 Hebrews 4 v 14 – 5 v 10
<b>Tues</b>	Psalm 9 Genesis 47 v 28 to end of 48 Hebrews 5 v 11 – 6 v 12
<b>Wed</b>	<i>Perpetua, Felicity and their companions, martyrs</i> Psalm 38 Genesis 49 v 1 - 32 Hebrews 6 v 13 to end
<b>Thurs</b>	Psalm 56 Genesis 49 v 33 to end of 50 Hebrews 7 v 1 - 10
<b>Fri</b>	Psalm 88 Exodus 1 v 1 - 14 Hebrews 7 v 11 to end
<b>Sat</b>	Psalm 97 Exodus 1 v 22 – 2 v 10 Hebrews 8

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

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified:  
mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace;  
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**

Eternal God, give us insight to discern your will for us, to give up what harms us, and to seek the perfection we are promised in Jesus Christ our Lord.

# What's on This Week

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

<b>Mon 5<sup>th</sup></b>	10:00 am <b>#Live Lent: Let Your Light Shine Group</b> - at the Vicarage (13 Beech Grove) with Emma Garrow 11:30 am Community Café 2:00 pm Shanty Folk Singers 7:30 pm <b>#Live Lent: Let Your Light Shine Group</b> - at 4 St Mary's Walk with Hannah Beck
<b>Tues 6<sup>th</sup></b>	12:30 pm Healing Service
<b>Wed 7<sup>th</sup></b>	9:30 am <b>#Live Lent: Let Your Light Shine Group</b> in the Gallery with Pete Hallam and Tim Hurren 10:30 am Café RefleXion 6:00 pm Alpha course, this week asks: <b>Why and how should I tell others?</b>
<b>Thurs 8<sup>th</sup></b>	9:30 am Parent and Toddler Group 11:00 am Holy Communion 12:30 pm Lunchtime RefleXion – with the <b>Faith and the Workplace</b> interviews, today it is <b>The Shopkeeper</b> 2:00 pm St Peter's Handbell Ringers at Wesley Chapel 7:00 pm The Undercroft Group 7:30 pm Choir Practice
<b>Fri 9<sup>th</sup></b>	9:30 am AA Meeting 10:00 am <b>#Live Lent: Let Your Light Shine Group</b> – in the Undercroft with Frances Roxby-Proud 10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team 7:00 pm Bell Ringers
<b>Sat 10<sup>th</sup></b>	10:00 am – 4:00 pm Refreshment Day held by <b>St Peter's Parish Events Team</b> to raise funds for our Church. Please pop in for morning coffee, a delicious lunch or afternoon tea!

## Next Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> March Mothering Sunday

8:30	Holy Communion
9:30	Family Communion
11:00	Choral Matins
4:30	Afternoon Church – <i>Service of the Word</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.  
Food parcels are available from 4:45 pm every day, except for Sundays, when it's 5:30 pm.



# Harrogate School of Theology & Mission

## What did Jesus really say? A live lecture by the Revd Dr Alan Garrow



For the past century most scholars have suspected the existence of a very early set of sayings of Jesus, used in the creation of Matthew's and Luke's Gospels, that they commonly refer to as Q. If Q existed it should provide an even more accurate account of what Jesus said, and what the first Christians believed about him, than the Gospels do. This could be significant because Q, as commonly understood, doesn't include an account of Jesus' death or resurrection. But does the Q theory rest on a firm foundation? In this live lecture, on Saturday 17th March 9:30 am - 12.00 pm at St Mark's Leeds Road (a change from the advertised programme), Alan will show that the traditional

view of Q rests on two simple logical errors. When these errors are corrected the standard Q theory collapses; previously overlooked pre-Gospel sayings of Jesus come to light; and Luke's Gospel emerges as a particular source of insight into 'what Jesus really said'. Tickets cost £8, students £5, including breakfast and refreshments. For further details see [www.hstm.org.uk](http://www.hstm.org.uk).

**'Mark:  
the  
good  
news**  
about beginnings  
and endings...'

Lent lecture with  
Bishop Helen-Ann  
7.30pm  
Evensong 6pm  
Refreshments 7pm

**20 March**  
Ripon Cathedral

Ripon Cathedral  
here for us all

ST PETER'S CHURCH HARROGATE  
In Holy Week, a performance of Handel's

# MESSIAH

Sally Silver	Soprano
Lucy Morton	mezzo-soprano
Adam Piplica	alto
Toby Ward	tenor
Andrew Greenan	bass
Simon Lindley	organ
John Longstaff	director

Choir of St Peter's Church  
Members of Vocallis  
Harrogate Handel Players (leader Fiona Love)

**Wednesday 28th March at 7:15pm**

Tickets £11.00 from  
The Parish Office (01423 568218)  
From choir members or on the door

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 (11<sup>th</sup> March) will be noon on Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> March. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow **or** to Marian Chambers (addresses below)

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**Churches Together in Harrogate AGM**  
Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> March at 7:30 pm at the Friends Meeting House, Queen Parade.

*Green Your Life*  
eco tip of the week

### March – going shopping

Make a list before you go food shopping to help avoid impulse buying and buying food you will just end up throwing away.



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