



Weekly News

10th March 2019

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As Jesus taught us, with longing we pray ...

Jesus taught us to pray for the coming of God's Kingdom – where God's name is honoured, forgiveness is experienced, hungers are met, evil has no hold – where God's will is done.

That St Peter's might become a living answer to the Lord's Prayer.

Join in praying the Lord's Prayer each day at Noon until Easter.



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Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.
Forgive us our sins,
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Lead us not into temptation,
but deliver us from evil.
For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
now and for ever. Amen

As we prepare for Easter let's pray with longing for the coming of God's kingdom in our daily context: at school, work, home, church and wider society. And, because there is

encouragement in praying alongside others, you might find it helpful to pray at noon each day with other members of St Peter's, albeit in scattered locations.

As a reminder, there are small prayer cards (pictured) available for you to take away. If you decide to join in, do tell others about your experience. What difference did it make to the shape and focus of your day? In what ways did you experience answers to prayer?

Alan Garrow (*Vicar of St Peter's*)

MEN'S Breakfast

8:00 am.



Men's Breakfast at St Peter's

Saturday 16th March 2019

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. Please email Bryn Heapy if you are planning to come: brynsusie@hotmail.com or text him on 07561 889076.

Reconnecting with creativity

During our Lent Lunchtime RefleXions, on Thursdays from 12:00 pm onwards, we are considering ways to reconnect: with different aspects of ourselves, and with something larger than ourselves.

Come and enjoy a delicious lunch and listen to Rachel Deniz from *The Season's Art Class* talk about **reconnecting with creativity**.



St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship

The next Afternoon Fellowship is tomorrow, Monday 11th March, from 2:00 – 4:00 pm, when the speaker will be Catharine Davies. Please call Gillian Taylor on 01423 500482 for further details.

Ripon Cathedral Choir Association



A Time and Space Son et Lumiere

Commemorating 50 years since the moon landings with a spectacle of sound, light and moving imagery projected across the Cathedral's interior.

Friday 15th March, 7:00 – 9:00 pm

Open bar from 7:00 pm

Tickets are £10, available from the Cathedral Shop



**CRAFT AID
INTERNATIONAL**

**You are cordially invited to
Craft Aid International's
OPEN DAY**

Tuesday 19th March; 1:00 – 4:00 pm

The Mayor of Harrogate will be officially opening our new premises at 1:15 pm and afternoon tea will be served afterwards. Come and visit the new studio, stall and crafts in session.

Bilton Health & Wellbeing Hub
69 Bilton Lane, Harrogate, HG1 3DT
administrator@craftaidinternational.org



Come for lunch next Sunday

The Sunday Lunch Club meets again next Sunday 17th March at 1:00 pm. Everyone is welcome and there's no need to book or bring anything. Please speak to Hannah Beck (07503 186455) or Yvonne Dawes (07960 779381) if you would like to know more.

Thank you for delivering THE NET

The Lent issue of our Parish newsletter, THE NET, came out last Sunday. Thank you to everyone who has been out and about delivering copies this week, telling households in our Parish all about our Lent courses and Easter services. If you have not already done so, please collect your newsletters today and deliver them as soon as you are able.

Marian Chambers (*Parish Newsletter Editor*)

St Peter's Ladies who Lunch

The Ladies who Lunch are meeting again on Friday 22nd March at 12:30 pm at the Palm Court Café at the bottom of Montpellier Hill. 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.



St Peter's Library Cat's Lent Challenge for children (and adults)!

Instead of giving up chocolate or cake, try a different kind of fast – give up half an hour of screen time (TV, tablet, game console or phone) every day to read a book from our Church Library! Families could agree on which half hour of the day and read together at the same time.

Just for Children: a special Reading Record Ticket for the 6 weeks of Lent will be available today Sunday 10th March, the first Sunday in Lent. We hope that children will borrow **one book every week** and record their own borrowing using a stamp or sticker. When handed in at Easter, there may be a reward - details later! Please come and see the Library corner and display in the South Transept today!



Welcome to St Peter's, Derek

Today we welcome The Revd Canon Derek Walmsley to our 9:30 am Family Communion service. Derek is the Diocesan Director of Ordinands and Vocations for Leeds and will be preaching on Vocations - what God might be calling you to do.

Calling all Alzheimer's Research UK supporters in Harrogate...

The Harrogate & District Fundraising Group for *Alzheimer's Research UK* are looking for volunteers to help with their Harrogate Street Collection on Saturday 16th March. For more information about the Fundraising Group or to volunteer for the street collection, please contact Claire Priestwood (07799 902428) or email claire.priestwood@alzheimersresearchuk.org.

Today's Services: 10th March 2019

The First Sunday of Lent

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.

Today we welcome Purdy Hartley, who was baptised last Sunday afternoon

Hymns 646, 1030, 27, 42

Readings Romans 10 v 8b - 13
Luke 4 v 1 - 13

Preacher: Derek Walmsley, *Diocesan Director of Ordinands & Vocations*

11:00 Choral Matins

Setting Dyson in F (Benedicite)

Hymns 95, 97, 96

Psalm 50 v 1 - 15

Readings Micah 6 v 1 - 8
Luke 5 v 27 to end

Anthem Wash me thoroughly (*S S Wesley*)

Preacher: Alan Garrow

2:00 pm Baptism of Avarose Galsworthy

4:15 Afternoon Church Service of the Word

Hymns: 728, 165, 483

Preacher: Hannah Beck

6:30 Choral Evensong

Setting Blow in G

Hymns 533, 583, 482

Psalm 119 v 73 - 88

Readings Jonah 3
Luke 18 v 9 - 14

Anthem The Lamentation (*Bairstow*)

Preacher: Sue Pearce

Our Duty Wardens today are:

Rachel Fell and
Richard Bion



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, Jane and Brian Crabtree, Louise Emrullahu, Helen Gardiner, Pam Gardiner, Gill Gibson, Linda Hardwick, Vicky Harrison, Edna Hodgkiss, Sian Lockwood, Peter Norbury, Peggy Palmer, Alan Richardson, Frances Roxby-Proud, Colin Sinclair and Keith Ward

RIP Colin Ling and Audrey Yuen

Also in our prayers this week:

- Mon** St Peter's social media channels
All those who have been killed, injured or have lost their homes in the tornadoes in Alabama
- Tues** Men's Breakfast at St Peter's
Open Country, helping the disabled access the countryside
- Wed** Café RefleXions
The social services
- Thurs** Sanctuary, St Peter's Youth Group
The Children's Society, supporting vulnerable children
- Fri** St Peter's Food Parcel Scheme
Those struggling with debt
- Sat** Chris Clayton, our Curate
The Alpha Youth Course

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 11
Jeremiah 4 v 19 to end
John 5 v 1 - 18
- Tues** Psalm 106
Jeremiah 5 v 1 - 19
John 5 v 19 - 29
- Wed** Psalm 6
Jeremiah 5 v 20 to end
John 5 v 30 to end
- Thurs** Psalm 42
Jeremiah 6 v 9 - 21
John 6 v 1 - 15
- Fri** Psalm 22
Jeremiah 6 v 22 to end
John 6 v 16 - 27
- Sat** Psalm 63
Jeremiah 7 v 1 - 20
John 6 v 27 - 40

The Collect for the First Sunday of Lent

Almighty God, whose Son Jesus Christ fasted forty days in the wilderness, and was tempted as we are, yet without sin:
give us grace to discipline ourselves in obedience to your Spirit; and, as you know our weakness, so may we know your power to save;
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

Heavenly Father, your Son battled with the powers of darkness, and grew closer to you in the desert:
help us to use these days to grow in wisdom and prayer that we may witness to your saving love 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

Mon 11th

2:00 pm The Singing Folk group

2:00 pm St Peter's Afternoon Fellowship at Gillian Taylor's

7:30 pm Lent Pilgrim course: **The Beatitudes** at Hannah Beck's

Tues 12th

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

Wed 13th

9:30 am Bible RefleXions: **The Eucharist** – This is my body broken for you

10:30 am Café RefleXion

11:30 am *Rethink Mental Health* support group

7:00 pm Lent Pilgrim course: **The Lord's Prayer** at Fiona Weare's

Thurs 14th

9:30 am St Peter's Parent and Toddler Group

11:00 am Holy Communion

12:00 pm Lent Lunchtime RefleXions: **Reconnecting with creativity** with Rachel Deniz, *The Season's Art Class*

2:00 pm St Peter's Handbell Ringers at Wesley Chapel

7:00 pm **THE HAPPINESS LAB** Episode 2: Practising acts of kindness

7:30 pm Choir Practice

Fri 15th

9:30 am AA Meeting

10:00 am **THE HAPPINESS LAB** Episode 2: Practising acts of kindness

10:00 am St Peter's Cleaning Team

11:30 am Funeral of Colin Ling

7:00 pm Bell Ringers

Sat 16th

8:00 am **Men's Breakfast at St Peter's**

10:00 am – 4:00 pm *Open Country* is holding a Refreshment Day

Sun 17th

1:00 pm Sunday Lunch Club

6:00 pm Alpha Youth: **Telling Others: How and why do I tell others?**

Next Sunday 17th March

The Second Sunday of Lent

8:30 Holy Communion

9:30 Family Communion

11:00 Choral Matins

4:15 Afternoon Church –
Crafternoon Church

6:30 Choral 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.

Harrogate School of Theology & Mission

The Rt Revd Dr Helen-Ann Hartley – *To read, mark, learn and inwardly digest: some reflections on a diet of Biblical interpretation*

The Bible is the foundation of our faith, and we probably have our favourite bits, but what about the parts we don't understand, or don't agree with? If it's all the Word of God how do we navigate its terrain? In this lecture at St Mark's Church on Saturday 23rd March, Bishop Helen-Ann shares some of her own reflections on these questions. Breakfast is served from 9:30 am and then the lecture is from 10:00 am – 12:00 pm. Tickets cost £8 (students £5) which includes refreshments.

An End to Daily Prayers in Parliament?

Conservative MP Crispin Blunt is calling for the practice of saying prayers at the beginning of parliamentary business to be abolished. In the Commons, the Speaker's Chaplain reads the prayer, asking that MPs *'never lead the nation wrongly through love of power, desire to please, or unworthy ideals but laying aside all private interests and prejudices keep in mind their responsibility to seek to improve the condition of all'*. In the House of Lords, one of the Church of England Bishops takes the lead. A petition has been drawn up to keep these daily prayers and you can sign it at: petition.parliament.uk/petitions/237423. Petitions which reach 100,000 signatures are almost always debated by Parliament.

Does anyone have a comfortable armchair that they no longer need or would like to sell? If so, please contact Louise Emrullahu on 07950 496011



Singing Day with John Rutter

Saturday 30th March 2019

A fantastic opportunity to sing at Bradford Cathedral under the guidance of the legendary John Rutter

1000	Doors Open
1100 - 1245	Session 1
1350 - 1525	Session 2
1550 - 1645	Session 3



Music to include :- Rutter, Handel, Haydn, Mozart, Mendelssohn, Brahms. (Music available to borrow or purchase)

Entry by ticket only - Book your ticket early - Places limited

Tickets: £20 per singer

Available from www.bradfordcathedral.eventbrite.com or Bradford Cathedral Office

Refreshments provided, Please supply your own lunch

Proceeds to Bradford Cathedral Music & Bradford Area RSCM

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Far from the Home I Love



A SPECIAL CONCERT BY
MARGARET FINGERHUT
PIANO



Acclaimed international pianist Margaret Fingerhut has devised a very special concert that she is performing across the UK to raise awareness of refugee needs as well as to collect funds for City of Sanctuary refugee groups.

Through music and words, Margaret tells the story of some of the many composers who were refugees because of war or persecution, or who migrated for their work. Her programme includes Chopin, Grieg, Handel, Haydn, Prokofiev and Rachmaninov, and she has specially commissioned a new piece by Arian, the Kurdish Syrian composer who wrote the Refugee National Anthem for the 2016 Olympics.

Thursday | 28th March 2019 | 7:30pm
The Wesley Centre, Oxford St, Harrogate, HG1 1PP

Tickets: £15
Box Office : <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/far-from-the-home-i-love-a-special-piano-concert-by-margaret-fingerhut-tickets-538609365117>

Concert in aid of Harrogate District of Sanctuary
<http://www.harrogatedistrict.cityofsanctuary.org>

City of Sanctuary
For more information please visit
www.margaretfingerhut.co.uk or www.cityofsanctuary.org/farfromhome

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 (17th March) will be noon on Wednesday 13th March. Please send any items (including photos) to Alan Garrow or to Marian Chambers (addresses below)



*The bans of marriage are published between **Samuel Vowe Peake** and **Kadilobari Cynthia Ngaage**; and **Emily Olga Battye** and **Anthony Douglas**. These are for the second time of asking.*

*And also between **Leroy Colin Harding** and **Paula Dorothy Strain**. 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.*

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Sanctuary, our youth group, is on from 7:00 - 8:30 pm - TONIGHT!



Come and meet **St Peter's Library Cat!** Are you up for his Lent challenge?