

The vision of St Peter's Church is to see the town of Shipley changed by the power of God. We want to see this happen through a Church which is filled with the power of the Holy Spirit and committed to the Word of God. which serves others in order to bring God's Kingdom. We want St Peter's to become a kev transforming community bringing about this change, as a church alive with the joy of knowing and worshipping Jesus Christ.

Sunday 4th September 2022 Twelfth after Trinity



WELCOME TO ST PETER'S SHIPLEY!

If you are a visitor or here for the first time, why not visit the welcome desk at the back of the church which will tell you a bit more about St Peter's and what goes on, or visit our website – <u>www.stpetes.org.uk</u>

Worship This Sunday

9:30am All Age Worship

Generosity and God Matt. 6. 1-4 (Mark Davies)

11:00am Holy Communion

Generosity and God 1 John 3. 16-24; Matt 6. 1-4 (John Rainer)

6:30 Evening Reset Generosity and God Jeremiah 5. 20-31: 2 Cor. 9. 6-15

Following Jesus – making disciples – serving others

This week: 5 th September [–] 11 th September 2022					
Monday	9.00am Morning Prayer online	Facebook page			
	7.00pm Bradford & Aire Valley Co-Anon	Upper Room			
	Family Group				
	7.30pm PCC Meeting	Small hall			
Wednesday	9.00am Morning Prayer online				
	2.00pm Well Together Service Singing	Lounge			
	Group				
Thursday	2.00pm Active Seniors	Lounge			
Friday	9.00am Morning Prayer online				
	9.30am See & Know	Church			
Sunday 11 th	9.30am All Age Worship with HC	Church			
September	11.00am Morning Worship				
	6.30pm Holy Communion				
	6.30pm SCT Youth event	Kirkgate Centre			
	8.00pm Risen	Lounge			

Daily Readings

Online daily prayers will resume on Monday 5th September. The set readings for the week are as follows. You can find liturgy for prayers for the week on our website <u>here</u>.

5th September – 10th September 2022

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Ps. 98 2 Sam. ch. 11 Acts. 8. 26 - end	Ps. 106 2 Sam. 12. 1 - 25 Acts. 9. 1 – 19a	Ps. 111 2 Sam. 15. 1 - 12 Acts. 9. 19b - 31	Ps. 115 2 Sam. 15. 13 - end Acts. 9. 32 - end	Ps. 139 2 Sam. 16. 1 - 14 Acts. 10. 1 - 16	Ps. 121 2 Sam. 17. 1 - 23 Acts. 10. 17 - 33
Ps. 105 Mark. 6. 45 - end	Ps. 107 Mark. 7. 1 – 13	Ps. 119. 129- 152 Mark. 7. 14 - 23	Ps. 116 Mark. 7. 24 - 30	Ps. 130 Mark. 7. 31 - end	Ps. 118 Mark. 8. 1 - 10

NOTICES

PCC Meeting

PCC members are reminded that we meet on Monday $5^{\rm th}$ September at 7.30pm in the Small Hall.

Communion Assistants Training

I would like to meet with as many of you as possible who are licensed to assist with Communion or to take Communion to the housebound on **Tuesday 20th September at 7.30pm** in church for a short training session. Please put this date in your diary : we will write to you individually with an invitation nearer the time.

Harvest at St Peter's

Our Harvest services this year will be on 25th September. As in past years, Harvest gifts will be given to the Bradford North Foodbank. A poster with details of items needed urgently is enclosed with this newsletter.

Active Seniors

Help is urgently needed at Active Seniors. This is only 2 hours 2-4pm on alternate Thursdays. Also, if you are able to bake a cake you will be welcomed with open arms. Please ring Angela Tate 01274 587839.

Bradford North Foodbank - Shipley

Thank you for all your donations. We would be grateful for the following items: Hot chocolate, UHT milk (semi-skimmed or full fat), snacks, biscuits, instant mash, tinned carrots, deodorant, toothbrushes, and toothpaste.

Please also keep saving your empty washing up liquid bottles. **We also need bags. These need to be suitable for heavy food shopping e.g bags for life.** If you are able to help in any way, please leave donations in the box in the porch or give to Kerry during office hours in the week.

Also, enclosed is our Harvest Appeal flyer. Please do donate items from the list if you are able to.

Many thanks for your generosity. Anthea, Julie, Pete, Stuart and Sue

JOY shop, Yemen & Ukraine

Just sent over £600 worth of vegetable soup powder, some medical supplies, warm clothes and 32 pairs of walking boots for the soldiers on the front, (some are wearing only flipflops they are so desperate for boots) The convoy sets off on Monday, so pray for their safety as they head to the frontline. Thank you all for your support. Kathy

Message from Shipley Christians Together

SCT would like to encourage people to sign the below online letter: <u>https://action.trusselltrust.org/sign-letter-new-prime-minister</u>

Together, we want to send a clear message to Liz Truss or Rishi Sunak that emergency food is not the solution to pulling people out of poverty, and that they must take urgent action to ensure that everyone has enough income, from work and social security, to afford the essentials we all need to live on. Thank you.

Eco Tip

Oxfam states that 'When a new pair of jeans is made, an estimated 16.2kg of CO2 is emitted – the equivalent of driving over 58 miles in a car.' Could you take on the 'Second hand September' challenge to only buy preloved clothing for 30 days? Have you an eco challenge or tip to share? Please email gemmarichards15@hotmail.com

Who's Who

The Who's Who is now available and copies are being kept in the safe to comply with GDPR regulations. If you would like one, please request one from a Warden. They cost £2.50. We regret we cannot send out copies by email.

PRAYER REQUESTS

Thank you for praying for the young people and their exams recently. Please be praying for our young people as they return to school in the next couple of weeks. Those starting Primary School: Ezekiel Criddle and Eli Naidoo, and various See & Know and Messy Church members. Those starting Secondary School: Eleanor Jordan, Layla Naidoo. Those starting Sixth Form/College: Pip Wright, Charlie Braisby, and various Youthie members. Those starting work: Tom Kershaw, Edmund Milwain.

Pray for those who are ill or have other needs, especially members of St. Peter's family: John and Barbara Arkley, Adele Attwood, Lis Bals, Jo Baxter, Maureen Bragg, June Coulton, Hazel Fawley, Glenys Gillow, Moira Gledhill, Roy Harker, Lorna Hartley, Gina Hearne, Ian Hearne (Gina's son), Rowena and Keith Hodgson, Pat Hornby, Barbara Lehane, Jeff Parkinson, Val Ross, Joyce Taylor, Margaret Wilkinson and Joan Yeates.

Alice Shirengo

Alice asks us to pray for Jose, the youngest of her foster children, who has had Covid 19. He is responding to drugs, but not as well as hoped. Jose misses his mother very much but she is not fit to care for him any more. Please pray for Alice and her family, for financial provision for her and the children she fosters, and for her church in Kenya.

Garry Ion

Garry is a CMS Mission Partner currently working Cumbria Looking after his elderly parents and developing the programme at the Community Shed in Carlisle.

This project works alongside mental health and social services in the area to provide a safe space for those who are struggling with isolation, depression and anxiety. The name has had to be changed from the 'Men's Shed' because one or two female members have arrived! Partnerships are being built with the local psychiatric hospital so that inpatients can have access to therapeutic activity. About thirty people attend in six groups during the week

Garry writes ; " During the lunchtimes we try to have deeper interactive conversations, getting to know more about one another. Out of this, before sessions begin on Friday mornings, we hold a short Bible Study and time of open prayer. It is encouraging to see one or two members come to these meetings to share and ask for prayer."

Pray that through this work the members will begin to discover a relationship with God through Jesus. Garry also asks that we pray for the Christians in Uganda and South Sudan (where he used to work as a builder), who despite immense physical hardship, still have a vibrant faith in Jesus Christ.

Local charities

Please also pray for the local charities we support – BEACON, the Zephaniah Trust, the CAP Debt Centre and the Bradford North Food Bank.

A HELPING HAND

We operate a Helping Hands Fund for any member of our congregation struggling financially. This is there to help with short term one- off needs. You can pick up a leaflet with more information from the welcome desk or church office or contact Mandy Thorlby (<u>mandythorlby@gmail.com</u>, or 07801 138180). If you'd like to donate to the Helping Hands Fund, please contact Andy Thorlby <u>thorlbya@yahoo.co.uk</u> or 01274 510951, or make a donation in the usual way into the church, clearly identified as "Helping Hands Fund".

This Church operates a Safeguarding Policy in line with national and diocesan guidelines. Our Safeguarding Officer is Frances Agar, (01274 780528). Child Line can be contacted on 0800 1111.

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