



ST. PETER'S

— SHIPLEY —

Sunday 30th April 2023

Fourth of Easter



Worship This Sunday

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 key transforming community bringing about this change, as a church alive with the joy of knowing and worshipping Jesus Christ.

9:30am Morning Worship

Mark.5.21-43

10:25am APCM

All documents for this meeting can be accessed via the church website

6:30pm Holy Communion

Frustration at home

Isa. 50.6-11

Mark 6.1-6

(John Rainer)

***Following Jesus – making disciples –
serving others***

This week: 1st May – 7th May		
Monday	7.00pm CoAnon Family Group	Upper Room
Wednesday	9.00am Morning Prayer online 2.00pm Well Together Singing Group	Lounge
Thursday	7.00am – 10.00pm Local Election 10.00am Diane’s Exercise Class 2.00pm Active Seniors	Church Lounge Lounge
Friday	9.00am Morning Prayer online 9.30am See & Know followed by lunch 1.00pm Funeral of Elizabeth Laing 7.15pm Youthie	Church & Lounge Church Lounge
Saturday	9.00am Hot Aire Band practice. If you are interested in becoming a member please visit: www.hotaire.org	Lounge
Sunday 7th May	10.30am Service for Coronation followed by lunch and children’s activities in the car park (weather permitting) or Lounge. 8.00pm Risen	Church & Car Park/Lounge Upper Room

Daily Readings

Online daily prayers are available on Monday, Wednesday and Friday this week. The set readings for the week are as follows. You can find liturgy for prayers on our website [here](#).

1st May 2023 – 6th May 2023

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
Morning Prayer					
Ps. 139; 146 Prov. 4. 10-18 James. 1. 1-12	Ps. 139 Deut. 9. 23-10.5 Eph. 4.17-end	Ps. 135 Deut. 10. 12 - end Eph. 5. 1-14	Ps. 118 Deut. 11. 8-end Eph. 5. 15-end	Ps. 33 Deut. 12. 1-14 Eph. 6. 1-9	Ps. 34 Deut. 15. 1-18 Eph. 6. 10-end
Evening Prayer					
Ps. 149 John. 1. 43-end	Ps. 116 Luke. 3. 1–14	Ps. 47 Luke. 3. 15 –22	Ps. 85 Luke. 4. 1 -13	Ps. 36 Luke. 4. 14– 30	Ps. 84 Luke. 4. 31-37

Can u help?

If you would like to be a **door steward**, helping to give people a warm welcome when they arrive at church, please speak to Gemma Richards or Mervyn Silva.

The **Healing Prayer Team** are looking to find new members to join those who pray at various services.

See and Know are seeking new helpers on Friday mornings in termtime. There are a number of roles which have arisen as a result of the growth of the group.

If these are not for you, but there is something you'd like to assist with in church, please speak to John or one of the wardens - we'd love to hear from you!

Adele Attwood

It is with sadness that we pass on the news of the death of Adele Attwood, formerly of Nab Wood Drive and St Peter's, last Tuesday. She had been in residential care in Bradford for some time. Details of her funeral will be passed on as soon as we know them. Your prayers for Janet and Jonathan are requested.

Saturday 6th May at St Paul's

In place of the usual Saturday Cafe we will be having '**Coronation Cuppa**' in church itself. Doors will open at **10am** with the TV coverage from **London live streamed on the screens** and we will have the **bells rung at the end of the coronation service**. Instead of our usual cafe menu there will be a cuppa & biscuits/cake available in church.

Coronation of King Charles III, May 2023

On Sunday 7th May there will be only one service, at 10.30am in church for all ages. This will be followed by a party in the car park (weather permitting, otherwise in one of the halls) to celebrate the coronation of King Charles III and you are all invited! Please do sign up to help with the event if you can. There will be sign-up sheets at the back of the church. We appreciate all of your support in advance. See you there! Please do let the office know if you have any allergen requirements.

Welcome Space : Fridays 11.00am – 2.00pm

Welcome Space launches on **5th May at 11am**. We look forward to welcoming you all back. Please do sign up for the volunteering positions on the clipboard on the welcome desk for the month of May. Anyone who hasn't been involved or volunteered before who might be interested in doing so, please contact Kerry in the office.

Christian Aid Week 2023 - 14 – 20 May

Envelopes and materials for this are available from this Sunday. We will be setting aside Sunday 14th May as the week when we think especially about the work of Christian Aid, and services for the day will have that focus. There is no street collection this year in the parish. Filled envelopes should be handed in on 14th May.

A date for your diary – on Saturday 20th May we will be hosting a **quiz for Christian Aid** in the Lounge at 7.30pm, an opportunity to get together for some fun and to raise money for Christian Aid this year.

Open Gardens – date for your diary.

10th and 11th June, 1-5pm. 17 gardens will be open over the weekend. A lovely occasion in support of The Children's Society. £3 per adult. Programmes are now available on the welcome desk. Helen Scott

A message from Duncan Milwain – Curacy and Ordination

My ordination as deacon will take place on Saturday, 1st July, 2023 at 11.00am in Bradford Cathedral. You are - of course - welcome to attend. The service will last no longer than two hours. There is some unallocated seating available in the cathedral on a first-come-first-served basis. Doors will be open from 10.00am and you are asked to be seated by 10.45am. The service will also be live-streamed on the cathedral's Facebook and YouTube channels and available for up to two weeks after the event. As you will know parking on site is extremely limited and so any parking/getting to the cathedral should be factored in to timing!

Dan Furlong, a former member of St. Peter's, will also be being ordained at the same time. Please do come along and support Duncan and Dan.

Joy

We're currently getting everything palletted up ready for the container for Yemen on May 24th. Any help on the day would be welcome. Kathy

Bradford North Foodbank – Shipley

A huge thank you for all your donations which help us to be able to continue to feed people who need help and to signpost them to further support. This week the Trussell Trust has reported that almost 3 million food parcels were provided to people needing help throughout the UK in the last year.

At the moment we especially need: **soup, pasta sauce jars, hot chocolate, biscuits, UHT Milk (whole milk and semi skimmed), UHT fruit juice (not from the chiller cabinet), instant mash, toothbrushes, deodorant, shower gel and shampoo.**

Please remember to save **empty washing up liquid bottles** and **carrier bags** as we are very short of both at the moment.

Please continue to pray for the work of the foodbank, the people who come, the staff, and volunteers who give their time to support and listen to people in need. Thank you. Anthea, Julie, Pete, Stuart and Sue

Saturday morning prayers

Please use the link below to join online prayers on 29/4 at 10 am for around half an hour's prayer for the church, community, and wider world. Please contact Gemma Richards on 07743122828 if you need further information. All are welcome. You shouldn't need a password but if you do, it is hello <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/78195925208?pwd=YmjNHjQkNb07KH1PLaQyaddmWVNc.1>

Meeting ID: 781 9592 5208

Passcode: hello

Eco Tips

This week's tip is from Hugh Firman, getting out in nature is great, but rather than take your car a distance, get to know your local area. There are great walks locally including round Hirst Wood, Shipley Glen, Northcliffe or along the canal. Have you got an eco tip or challenge to share? Please email gemmarichards15@hotmail.com

PRAYER REQUESTS

Pray for those who are ill or have other needs, especially members of St. Peter's family: John and Barbara Arkley, Dave Atkin, Lis Bals, Alison Barnard, Jo Baxter, Maureen Bragg, Sue Dent, Hazel Fawley, Glenys Gillow, Moira Gledhill, Lorna Hartley, Gina Hearne, Ian Hearne (Gina's son), Rowena and Keith Hodgson, Pat Hornby, Barbara Lehane, Val Ross, Joyce Taylor, and Joan Yeates.

Mission Partner News

News from Garry Ion

Please pray for Garry and his family following the death of his mother this week after a long illness. Pray for the continued development of the projects in Cumbria he is involved with.

From St John Perry

Thanks for praying through the exciting days running up to ordination in Sabah. The live stream caused many comments - the dancing girls seem quite a hit! You can see 14 becoming deacons, and 2 deacons becoming priests (the ones with straight stoles). There were in fact 3 deacons ordained with a missionary commissioning... StJohn to work with Malay speakers in London; a Ghanaian/American based in the US; and a Timorese from Indonesia to serve the Anglican church across the border from Sabah. There is also work in Thailand which is growing.

During the clergy training days that followed the service, special commissioning letters were presented from the archbishop as well as prayer and space given to share the overseas vision. **Pray** for the successful processing back here in the UK of the key *permission to officiate* letter for St John, to cover the Rochester, London and Canterbury dioceses.

Spring prayer items > Pray for renewed contacts now into the Malaysian community across London. > Give thanks for recent encouragements with the Indonesian Christian Fellowship. There's enthusiasm for a UK retreat.


Sudan

Please continue to pray for a ceasefire to hold in Khartoum, and for the safety of Archbishop Ezekiel and the Christian community there.

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 (mandythorlby@gmail.com, or 07801 138180). If you'd like to donate to the Helping Hands Fund, please contact Andy Thorlby thorlbya@yahoo.co.uk 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 Vose, T: (07972647427), E: safeguarding@stpetes.org.uk. Child Line can be contacted on 0800 1111.

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