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| new logo  **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.** | **Sunday 11th June 2023**  **First after Trinity**  Wallpaper : UK, pink, flowers, England, June, gardens, pretty, purple ...  **Worship This Sunday**  **9.30am All Age Holy Communion**  4,000 fed  Mark 8.1 – 13  (John Rainer)  **11.00am Morning Worship**  4,000 fed  Isaiah 55.1-5  Mark 8.1 – 13  (Andy Thorlby)    **6.30pm Holy Communion**  Do you get it?  Isaiah 55.6 - 13  Mark 8.14 – 21  (John Rainer)  ***Following Jesus – making disciples – serving others*** |  |
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| **This week: 12th June – 18th June** |

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| Monday | 9.00am Morning Prayer online  7.00pm CoAnon Family Group  18.45pm Bradford Voice  For more information, please go to [www.bradfordvoices.org.uk](http://www.bradfordvoices.org.uk) | Upper Room  Church |
| Wednesday | 9.00am Morning Prayer online  7.30pm PCC Meeting | Lounge |
| Thursday | 10.00am Diane’s Exercise Class  2.00pm Active Seniors | Lounge  Lounge |
| Friday | 9.00am Morning Prayer online  9.30am See & Know  11.00am Welcome Space | Church  Lounge |
| Saturday | 8.45am Hot Aire Band practice. If you are interested in becoming a member, please visit: [www.hotaire.org](http://www.hotaire.org)  5.30pm Refresh | Lounge  Church |
| **Sunday 18th June** | 11.00am Holy Communion  3.30pm Messy Church  8.00pm Risen | Church  Church  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](about:blank).

**12th June 2023 – 17th June 2023**

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| **Monday** | **Tuesday** | **Wednesday** | **Thursday** | **Friday** | **Saturday** |
| **Morning Prayer** | | | | |  |
| Ps. 30  2 Chron. 33. 1 - 13  Rom. 7. 1 - 6 | Ps. 36  2 Chron. 34. 1 - 18  Rom. 7. 7 - end | Ps. 34  2 Chron. 34. 19 – end  Rom. 8. 1 - 11 | Ps. 37  2 Chron. 35. 1 - 9  Rom. 8. 12 - 17 | Ps. 31  2 Chron. 35.20 – 36.10 Rom. 8. 18 – 30 | Ps. 42  2 Chron. 36. 11 - end  Rom. 8. 31 - end |
| **Evening Prayer** | | | | |  |
| Ps. 28  Luke 12. 1 - 12 | Ps. 33  Luke. 12. 13 – 21 | Ps. 119  Luke 12. 22 - 31 | Ps. 40  Luke. 12. 32 – 40 | Ps. 35  Luke. 12. 41 – 48 | Ps. 46  Luke 12. 49 – end |

**NOTICES**

**Welcome Space: Fridays 11.00am – 2.00pm**

Please do sign up for the volunteering positions on the clipboard on the welcome desk for June. We would like to thank The Orange Grove, Melvyn Davis and Shipley College for their continued support.

If anyone has a spare hand blender, plastic tubs or any other kitchen equipment they’re happy to donate to ‘Welcome Space’ it would be most appreciated. Please speak to Annabel or email her at [annabel.rigby@stpetes.org.uk](mailto:annabel.rigby@stpetes.org.uk) if you can help. Thank you!

**See & know**

We are in desperate need of volunteers. If yourself or know anyone who can help us we will be most grateful. Also, If anyone is willing to donate a 4 slice toaster that fits crumpets we would be most grateful! Please contact Jessica ([jessica.criddle@stpetes.org.uk](mailto:jessica.criddle@stpetes.org.uk)) if you can help! Thank you, Jessica, Liz and all the see & know team.

**Beacon’s Refugee Week Walk**

The annual Beacon Refugee walk is taking place on Wednesday 21st June. For more information please contact Amanda [admin@beaconbradford.org](mailto:admin@beaconbradford.org) , Mobile; 07506 211756 or alternatively visit their website [www.beaonbradford.org/events](http://www.beaonbradford.org/events)

**HIVE moving in**

As you may be aware HIVE a local arts charity are moving into the small hall and upper room whilst their building is being ‘done up’. They are currently helping us to fundraise to do up the two rooms so they can be used for a community space and office. If you are able to we would really appreciate helping us fund raise – donate money to [Hive Bradford fundraising & online donations | KindLink](https://www.kindlink.com/fundraising/hive-bradford/refurb?fbclid=IwAR1ER-us7Q5vUlxsXA17DFJUWlyUd_j-r_uh5Y69qNNUSDgLZS6xNHTD878)– or donate ‘White Silk Emulsion’ paint. It would be most appreciated. Thanks, Staff Team & Hive

**Joy**

Just having to deal with all the paperwork necessary for customs in Yemen for the container on Friday, a bureaucratic nightmare as far as I’m concerned!! Pray I get it sorted & completed in time, as we never know just how much we can get onto the container in the end apart from the pallets already strapped & waiting, (as we fill all available space) so everything has to be updated at the last minute!! Most importantly please pray that its accepted. Thank you all. Kathy

**Notice from Duncan Milwain.**

Duncan’s ordination is 1st July at Bradford Cathedral at 11.00am. If anyone would like to attend, then seats will be available on a first come, first served basis – and in any event the cathedral has asked that anybody coming has to be seated by 10.45am. As you will probably be aware parking at the cathedral is very limited. If enough people would like to come along then we can look at hiring transport to get to the cathedral. There is a sign-up sheet at the back of church. If people could put their names down by June 18th we can then work out how best to deal with this.

There will also be a ‘do’ back here in the lounge at St. Peter’s starting at 1.45pm. We will be providing savoury food – if anyone would like to bring cake or dessert then that would be welcome! Again, please put your name down on the sign-up sheet if you are happy to contribute. Thank you! Duncan

(We understand that the Ordination Service is to be livestreamed by the Cathedral between 11.00am and 1.00pm. Simply click on the link below, <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=XXReOC5XjAk>

**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.

**Did you know that people from St. Peter's donated an amazing 2,176 kg of food in the year to 31 March 2023?** **This makes food parcels for 103 families, providing 3,153 meals alongside other daily essentials.**There is a certificate from the foodbank on display in the new porch.

At the moment we especially need:  **tinned potatoes, soup, dried milk, hot chocolate, UHT Milk (whole milk and semi skimmed), UHT fruit juice (not from the chiller cabinet),  pasta sauce, instant mash.**  
Please also remember to save and donate empty**washing up liquid bottles**.    
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

**Live @ Costa**

Sunday 2nd July Live@Costa at Costa Café, Market Street, Shipley 6.30pm - 8.30pm. An evening of modern indie folk featuring Mary Halsey and Hevelwood. Organised by Shipley Christians Together. Entry is Pay as You Feel with Costa refreshments on sale. All welcome. break in August and September - we are back on 1st October. More information from [info@shipleychristianstogether.org.uk](mailto:info@shipleychristianstogether.org.uk)

**Saturday morning prayers**

If you’d like to join a prayer meeting, for both thanksgiving and intercession, this Saturday morning at 10 am for around half an hour, it would be great to see or hear you. Just click the link below, input the password below if asked (not sure you need to). If you have any questions, then ring me on 01274 510951. If you struggle to get the link below to work, you might try accessing the same link in the church notices, or copying it into your web browser (the bit at the top when in the internet with www etc). Thanks, Andy

Topic: Andrew Thorlby's Zoom Meeting Time: Jun 10, 2023 10:00 AM  
Join Zoom Meeting; <https://us04web.zoom.us/j/74273800659?pwd=kiJaQC6xcEyenA5EQWXzdr5TOVlEbq.1>  
Meeting ID: 742 7380 0659 Passcode: JW0Gj6

**Eco Tips**

Tearfund has an interesting article about how to calculate and offset your carbon footprint, with links to projects you might wish to use to offset your carbon footprint. <https://wearetearfund.org/article/what-is-carbon-offsetting/> Have you an eco tip or challenge to share? Please email [gemmarichards15@hotmail.com](mailto:gemmarichards15@hotmail.com)

**Shipley Great Big Green Week**

This is taking place 10th - 18th June 2023 with a host of events across the town. The week is part of a nationwide celebration of action on climate change, taking place across the UK. Shipley Town Council, along with the support from community groups, volunteers and partners, have put together a calendar of activities offering something for everyone to get involved.

For full details of all events   - see Shipley Town Council website <https://shipleytowncouncil.gov.uk/2023/06/01/shipley-great-big-green-week-get-involved/>

They include nature walks and talks , exhibitions, workshops and talks- including the recently published Shipley Citizens Jury on Climate Report,  free cycle lessons for adults and on Saturday 17th in Market Square loads of stalls and fun activities from local organisations concerned with improving our local environment and tackling the Climate Emergency.

**Prayer & Litter Pick**

A little reminder that our next prayer walk and litter pick around Shipley is this Sunday 11th June @ 2pm. Meet outside Christian Life Church.

**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**

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**Sudan**

The latest Whatsapp message from Archbishop Ezekiel says “The ceasefire agreement never worked and again the extended one is not also working. Fighting is continuing. But we are well and safe. Suria [his wife] is well, we spoke with her yesterday. Sila [his son] fled to South Sudan for security reasons but he is well and safe. The Cathedral is greatly damaged including my house, the Dean’s house and Curate’s house. Everything has been looted from the houses. The Cathedral is occupied by forces! Prayer for protection and food. Thank you so much for your love, care and concerns.”

We understand that Ezekiel is now in Port Sudan on the Red Sea coast with his younger daughter. Suria, his wife remains in the Nuba mountains. He hopes that his time in Port Sudan will only be temporary.

Pray for plans to organise a vigil for Sudan at St Peter’s next month.

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| **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@](about:blank)gmail.com, or 07801 138180). If you'd like to donate to the Helping Hands Fund, please contact Andy Thorlby  [thorlbya@yahoo.co.uk](about:blank)   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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| **CONTACT ST. PETER’S DAY OFF** | | | |
| **Vicar** | John Rainer | 01274 584488 | Friday |
| **Associate Priest** | Brian Greenfield | 01274 788345 | Friday or  Saturday |
| **Licensed Lay Minister** | Viv Brealey 07519 552231 | | |
| **Treasurer** | Mike Moss 07758 575653 | | |
| **Churchwardens** | Mervyn Silva 01274 419815  Gemma Richards 07743 122828 | | |
| **Children & Youth Worker** | Vacant | | |
| **Shipley Neighbours** | 07848413941 | | |
| **Pastoral Co-ordinators** | Carol Brown  Keith Brown | 01274 585242  01274 585242 |  |
| **Church Office** | Mon–Fri  9.00am –12.30pm | 01274 400381 |  |
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