



Sunday 9th June 2nd After Trinity

Contact information

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Please use this email address and phone number for anything which needs to go through the office.

Thank you

CLERGY

Following the retirement of Revd Janet this position is vacant. Please contact the office or churchwardens for assistance.

Churchwardens

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PRAYERS

We pray for those who live in:

Abbey Court, Alma Court, Dropmore Road, Fairfield Road, Lambourne Close, Long Drive, Pipers Close.

Prayers for the sick and in need:

Stoyan and Kalin, Sue Dobson, Ros & Vic Townshend, Daniel Field, Mary Goding, Shirley Field, Christina, John, Miguette, Amelia, Alex, Laura, Tony, Sally, Jo, Katie, Patrick, Millie Cook and family, Milena and family, Tara, Autum, Kia, Margaret, Selena, Andrew, Samantha, Lili, Geoff Day

Recently Departed:

David Newman, Derek Lake, James White, William Langton.

From the Book of Remembrance:

Dorothy Langdon, Albert Limmer, John Chevous, Peter Larter,

Please add to the sheet on the heater cupboard if you would like us to continue to pray for a loved one or would like us to add someone to the list for **JUNE**

Please continue to pray for Revd Sue and our LLM Ian

SERVICES

Weekly Services



Sunday 8am BCP

Sunday 10am Parish Eucharist

2nd Sunday 10am WOW Service

Wednesday 9.30am Parish Eucharist

Morning Prayer Tues-Fri 9am apart from Wednesday

Evening Prayer Tues- Fri 5pm apart from Wednesday

Communion may be received either sharing the common cup, on the north side-Vicar's right, or by intinction,(vicar dips wafer in wine), on the south side-vicar's left.

Please use the whole of the front of the dais not just the rails. Thank you

Please join us in Cornerstone after the 10am service for refreshments



COMMUNION CAFE

Our next service will be on Monday June 10th. We look forward to our time together.

10AM PARISH EUCHARIST

SUNDAY 9th JUNE

8am Preaching: Revd Sue Smith

Presiding : Revd Sue Smith

10am: **WOW**

SUNDAY 16th JUNE

8am Preaching: Revd Sue Smith

Presiding : Revd Sue Smith

10am: Preaching: Revd Sue Smith

Presiding : Revd Sue Smith

Duty Warden: Jackie

Sidespeople: Judy, David

Readers : Sue L, Cliff

Intercessions: Ian

Chalice: Pete, Sue L

DO WE HAVE A NEW VICAR YET?



Briefly the answer is "No" !

The process will take several months. Our Parish Profile is now approved and will be available on our website for prospective candidates.

Dates have been confirmed for the advertising, shortlisting and interviewing process.

Please see noticeboard for more details

Heavenly Father, during this vacancy, guard and grow this church of St. Peter, Burnham, as we serve you together in this period without an incumbent.

Call to us a true Shepherd, touch them with our love for this place, and unite us in ministry.

Help us to share responsibility, grow in faith, love one another, care for those in need, reach out to others, and welcome newcomers. Amen.

INCLUSIVE CHURCH

Please do let us know if there are **any** barriers to your worship or church life.



Ethnicity should enrich us; it should make us a unique people in our diversity and not be used to divide us.

Ellen Johnson Sirleaf

CHILDREN

We believe that children and young people can follow Jesus and be full members of the church, and that discipleship is possible at any age. They are integral to our churches, but we need to make sure there are no obstacles preventing them from getting involved.



Sunday 9th June 2nd After Trinity NEWS & NOTICES



Our monthly WoW services are aimed at the younger members of our community and can be noisy, chaotic and boisterous. If you are uncomfortable with this environment the earlier 8am service on this day or Communion Café on the following Monday may be more suitable.

LITTLE ANGELS

We meet on term-time Thursdays 9.30-11.30am



We are very short of volunteers to help with refreshments in June. If you can help please contact Ian on 07919 165062 Thank you

BIRTHDAYS

A very happy birthday to all our church family members who have birthdays this week.



Please let Pam know if you would like to be added to our Birthday book

LIGHTHOUSE



We are collecting Loo roll tubes Cereal Boxes (Regular sized-flattened please) Pasta, beans, lentils, rice (for shakers) Stickers Coloured Paper Sellotape New felt tip pens There is a box in Cornerstone for your donations.

SOCIAL & FUNDRAISING

CREAM TEAS

Cream Tea Weekend - in aid of Rennie Grove Peace Hospice Care and St Peter's Church A lovely weekend of scones, with cream and jam of course, cake and real tea or coffee in china cups. Don't forget to use your tea strainer! Lovely to see so many people and so many visitors. We raised over £700 to be split between the two charities. A big thank you to all who came to have a relaxing afternoon and to all who donated, both financially and the bakers, washer uppers, tea makers, etc. We couldn't have done it without you.



WINTERSHALL

The coach is leaving from outside the United Reformed Church at 8.20 am. Please remember to bring a chair or blanket to sit on, some lunch and plenty to drink especially if it is hot. You may also want to remember to bring some sun block and a hat (we can only hope). Please check the

weather forecast before you leave in case you need raincoats and umbrellas. Once the play is over the coach will be returning and dropping off at the same place.

Please remember you cannot park your car at the United Reformed church, please allow time for parking.

TRIP TO BOURNEMOUTH

We have a coach trip to Bournemouth on Thursday 15th August. We will be leaving Burnham at 8.30 am, returning home from Bournemouth at 4 pm and the cost is £20. Please obtain a ticket from Cornerstone office or after the service. Seats are limited so it will be first come first served.



100 CLUB

The Club restarts on 1st July. If you pay by Standing Order you don't need to do anything, your subscription will renew automatically and you will retain the same number. For those who pay by cash/cheque/card please renew by 1st July if possible so we can get all the admin organised - thank you to all those who have already renewed. If you are not a member of the 100 Club why not think about joining? Annual subscription is £20 per number and you can have as many numbers as you wish. 100 Club application forms are on the heater cupboard. See Sheila or Lisa for more information. The last draw of this year's 100 Club, the St Peter's Day Draw, will take place during the 10 o'clock service on 30th June when there will be 1 x £100 prize.



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ST PETER'S WEEK

To kick off St Peter's Week you are warmly invited to Friendly Bombs' production of The Happy Prince on Tuesday 25th June at 7pm



Other Activities

Wednesday 26th June-St Peter's Welcome Wednesday
Sunday 30th June-Sparkling Bring & Share Lunch
Please sign up in Cornerstone
Monday 1st July-Girls' Brigade vs Church Rounders Match

Vickie will also be producing a quiz. More details to follow.....

FUTURE PLANS

Watch out for details of Harvest Supper
Handbells
Quiz Afternoon
Christmas Market Trip
Eco Crafternoon

VILLAGE FETE – Saturday 13th July

Do you have any spare gifts bought just in case and never gave?
Or maybe something you received and won't use? Please bring it in for our Gift Tombola.

We also desperately need gift bags to put the prizes in.

HOLIDAY RAFFLE

We are planning on having a raffle at our harvest celebrations and we would love it to be a hamper of goodies from people's holidays.

If you are going away between now and September or even take a day trip somewhere, please consider buying something (long dated if it is a food item) to go into our raffle. Please give any items to Jenny or to Pam in the office. Thank you and happy holidays!

EASYFUNDRAISING

Do you shop online? Go through Easyfundraising to find your retailers and raise money for St Peter's as well at no cost to you, just register St Peter's Church - Burnham as your good cause on:

www.easyfundraising.org.uk

Search online? Use Easysearch to find what you are looking for. Register St Peter's Church - Burnham as your good cause on www.easysearch.org.uk and search away.

CARE AND SHARE NEWS

If anyone can help us with the following items, we would be very grateful

- Tins of Soup
- Tins of Sweetcorn
- Tins of baked beans
- Tins of spaghetti (strands or hoops)
- Tinned Meats in sauce (eg chilli con carne, curry, meatballs, minced beef and onion, chicken in white sauce)
- Jars of pasta sauces
- Packets of rice
- Packets of pasta
- Biscuits
- Cooking oil
- Tissues
- Bin bags

Thank you so much for any items, you are able to provide.

ECO CHURCH



The earth is the Lord's and everything in it, The world and all those

who live in it

For he has founded it on the seas

And established it on the rivers

(Ps 24)

Will you strive to safeguard the integrity of creation, and sustain and renew the life of the earth?

With the help of God I will.

We are collecting used ink cartridges for The Well.

Please do help yourself to a scrap notebook from the heater cupboard. These are made from office paper which would otherwise go straight to

the recycling bin. Thanks to Vickie and Kony for making these up.

ECO NEWS

We have received **£92** from Eco-Friendships for our recent clothes bin donations

ECO TIPS

Make the most of fruit and vegetables which are currently in season.

We have a wonderful Wednesday market and a greengrocers in the High Street where packaging is kept to a minimum



In season foods – Asparagus, Aubergine, Beetroot, Blackcurrants, Broad Beans, Broccoli, Cauliflower, Cherries, Chicory, Chillies, Courgettes, Cucumber, Elderflowers, Gooseberries, Lettuce, Marrow, New Potatoes, Peas, Peppers, Radishes, Raspberries, Redcurrants, Rhubarb, Rocket, Runner Beans, Samphire, Sorrel, Spring Greens, Spring Onions, Strawberries, Summer Squash, Swiss Chard, Tayberries, Turnips, Watercress



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COLLECT

Lord, you have taught us that all our doings without love are nothing worth: send your Holy Spirit and pour into our hearts that most excellent gift of love, the true bond of peace and of all virtues, without which whoever lives is counted dead before you. Grant this for your only Son Jesus Christ's sake, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **AMEN**

FIRST READING

1 Samuel 8:4-11, 16-20

Then all the elders of Israel gathered together and came to Samuel at Ramah, and said to him, 'You are old and your sons do not follow in your ways; appoint for us, then, a king to govern us, like other nations.' But the thing displeased Samuel when they said, 'Give us a king to govern us.' Samuel prayed to the Lord, and the Lord said to Samuel, 'Listen to the voice of the people in all that they say to you; for they have not rejected you, but they have rejected me from being king over them. Just as they have done to me, from the day I brought them up out of Egypt to this day, forsaking me and serving other gods, so also they are doing to you. Now then, listen to their voice; only—you shall solemnly warn them, and show them the ways of the king who shall reign over them.'

So Samuel reported all the words of the Lord to the people who were asking him for a king. He said, 'These will be the ways of the king who will reign over you: he will take your sons and appoint them to his chariots and to be his horsemen, and to run before his chariots; He will take your male and female slaves, and the best of your cattle and donkeys, and put them to his work. He will take one-tenth of your flocks, and you shall be his slaves. And in that day you will cry out because of your king, whom you have chosen for yourselves; but the Lord will not answer you in that day.' Israel's Request for a King Granted

But the people refused to listen to the voice of Samuel; they said, 'No! but we are determined to have a king over us, so that we also may be like other nations, and that our king may govern us and go out before us and fight our battles.'

SECOND READING

2 Corinthians 4:13-5:1

But just as we have the same spirit of faith that is in accordance with scripture—'I believed, and so I spoke'—we also believe, and so we speak, because we know that the one who raised the Lord Jesus will raise us also with Jesus, and will bring us with you into his presence. Yes, everything is for your sake, so that grace, as it extends to more and more people, may increase thanksgiving, to the glory of God.

So we do not lose heart. Even though our outer nature is wasting away, our inner nature is being renewed day by day. For this slight momentary affliction is preparing us for an eternal weight of glory beyond all measure, because we look not at what can be seen but at what cannot be seen; for what can be seen is temporary, but what cannot be seen is eternal.

For we know that if the earthly tent we live in is destroyed, we have a building from God, a house not made with hands, eternal in the heavens.

GOSPEL

Mark 3:20-end

and the crowd came together again, so that they could not even eat. When his family heard it, they went out to restrain him, for people were saying, 'He has gone out of his mind.' And the scribes who came down from Jerusalem said, 'He has Beelzebul, and by the ruler of the demons he casts out demons.' And he called them to him, and spoke to them in parables, 'How can Satan cast out Satan? If a kingdom is divided against itself, that kingdom cannot stand. And if a house is divided against itself, that house will not be able to stand. And if Satan has risen up against himself and is divided, he cannot stand, but his end has come. But no one can enter a strong man's house and plunder his property without first tying up the strong man;

then indeed the house can be plundered.

'Truly I tell you, people will be forgiven for their sins and whatever blasphemies they utter; but whoever blasphemes against the Holy Spirit can never have forgiveness, but is guilty of an eternal sin'— for they had said, 'He has an unclean spirit.'

The True Kindred of Jesus
Then his mother and his brothers came; and standing outside, they sent to him and called him. A crowd was sitting around him; and they said to him, 'Your mother and your brothers and sisters are outside, asking for you.' And he replied, 'Who are my mother and my brothers?' And looking at those who sat around him, he said, 'Here are my mother and my brothers! Whoever does the will of God is my brother and sister and mother.'

POST COMMUNION

Loving Father, we thank you for feeding us at the supper of your Son: sustain us with your Spirit, that we may serve you here on earth until our joy is complete in heaven, and we share in the eternal banquet with Jesus Christ our Lord. **AMEN**