

Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> January The Third Sunday of Epiphany

# **PARISH NOTICES**

A warm welcome to anyone who is visiting today, or who is here for the first time.

### **SERVICES TODAY**

### ST PETER'S

8.15 am Holy Communion

Celebrant: The Reverend Dr Richard Davey

10.45 am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Dr Richard Davey

5.00 pm Taize Service

Officiant: The Reverend Dr Richard Davey

ALL SAINTS'

10.30 am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Dr Helen Hall

#### COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty God, whose Son revealed in signs and miracles the wonder of your saving presence: renew your people with your heavenly grace, and in all our weakness sustain us by your mighty power; 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.

# ANGLICAN CYCLE OF PRAYER Pray for the Church of

South India (united).

#### PRAYER FOR THE WORLD

This month we pray for all those who have been affected by the recent earthquake in Japan, including those who have lost family members, those who were injured, and those who suffered damage or loss to their homes or workplaces. Pray for all those who are involved in caring for those affected, and in the rebuilding work.

### PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER

Members of the Convent of the Holy Name, Pauline Collins, Tabby Bayanai, Maureen & Harry Black, Christopher Browne, Canon David White, Thelma Bracey, Betty Clarke, Rita Hubbard, Liz Kent, Gloria Thomas, Imogen Rex, David Towers, Marjorie Taylor, Cathryn Vindelis, Chris Taylor.

Joan Crawforth, Bridgett Spalding R.I.P.

Induction Loop system at St Peter's - please switch your hearing aid to the 'T' position.

Please do not attend if you have symptoms of Covid-19, or if you have been in contact with someone who has tested positive.

We are deeply saddened to announce the death of Bridgett Spalding, who died on New Year's Eve following a short illness. Bridgett was a very involved member of St Peter's congregation, and will be hugely missed by all. Our thoughts and prayers are with Bridgett's family and friends as they come to terms with her loss. Bridgett's funeral will take place at St Peter's on Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February, 10 am.

We announced the very sad news before Christmas that **Joan Crawforth** has died following a stroke. Joan, and her late husband Laurie, played an integral part in the life of this parish, and will be hugely missed. Our thoughts and prayers are with Joan's family and friends at this very difficult time.

A Service of Thanksgiving for Joan's life will take place at St Peter's on Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January, **2.00 pm (please note the change of time)**.

### **Coffee Break Concerts**

The next series of Coffee Break Concerts begins on Saturday 27<sup>th</sup> January with Musicians from Luther College (USA). All concerts begin at 11am with coffee and biscuits available from 10.15am. Entry is through donation to the church music fund.

# 28th January - Racial Justice Sunday

The preacher at the 10.45 service at St Peter's will be Nimisha Patel, who is on placement with St Peter's as part of the diocesan Licensed Lay Ministry course.

### Welcome lunch

All are welcome to a lunch for new members of our congregations on Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January, 12pm at St Peter's. This is an opportunity to meet other new members, as well as getting to know others in the parish. If you would like any more information, please speak to Dorothy Mountford.

# **Light Night**

St Peter's will once again open its doors for the city's Light Night events, taking place on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> and Saturday 3<sup>rd</sup> February, 5-9 pm. If you are able to volunteer to help for some of that time, it would be greatly appreciated - please speak to Dorothy Mountford.

# Bible study meetings

Bible Study sessions have now resumed. The meetings will be on Zoom, starting at **2.15 pm** (note the change of time) and will end at around 3.30 pm. Please contact the parish office or Ian Wright for the zoom link. The next meeting is on 25<sup>th</sup> January, and will focus on Psalm 23.

**We're now registered with easyfundraising**, which means you can help us for free. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them - at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online.

Please sign up to support us at: <a href="https://tinyurl.com/nottmcityparish">https://tinyurl.com/nottmcityparish</a>

# Silver Smarties Appeal in Aid of 'World Vision UK'

Tubes of smarties are now available from members of the overseas committee. Please eat/share and enjoy them then fill your empty tube with 20p pieces between now and Ascension Day in May. If you're a cash free person, please consider giving a £10 donation, which is an equivalent to a full tube of 20p pieces.

This year the Overseas committee has decided to support a specific charity - World Vision UK. Last year we raised over £820 for the general Overseas Committee funds - we are very grateful for your support!

# Date for your diary...

• Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> January - please note that there will not be a service of Mediation on this day.

# FORTHCOMING SERVICES IN THE PARISH

MONDAY 22 <sup>ND</sup> JANUARY	1.15 pm	Meditation	St Peter's
TUESDAY 23RD	11.00 am 1.15 pm	Holy Communion Holy Communion	All Saints' St Peter's
THURSDAY 25TH	11.00 am	Holy Communion	St Peter's
SUNDAY 28 <sup>TH</sup>	8.15 am	Holy Communion The Reverend Dr Richard	St Peter's Davey
	10.30 am	Sung Eucharist All Saints' The Reverend Dr Richard Davey	
	10.45 am	Sung Eucharist St Peter's The Reverend Christopher Harrison Nimisha Patel	
	5.00 pm	<b>Choral Compline</b> The Reverend Dr Helen H	St Peter's

# Readings for this morning

Revelation 19.6-10 John 2.1-11

### PARISH CLERGY TEAM

The Reverend Christopher Harrison The Reverend Dr Richard Davey The Reverend Dr Helen Hall The Reverend Gill Page The Reverend Owen Page

#### PARISH ADMINISTRATOR

Adele Siepmann

### **VERGERS**

Mike Chappell Paul Stevenson Chigozie Nwachukwu

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### Readings for next Sunday morning

Hebrews 2.14-end Luke 2.22-40

### Rector

Associate Priest
Priest with permission to officiate
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### **DIRECTOR OF MUSIC**

Dr Peter Siepmann

### **CHURCHWARDENS**

Lorraine Smedley & David Towers All Saints' Dorothy Mountford & Jane Henson St Peter's

