

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 WITH LITURGY OF THE PALMS Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Dr Richard Davey
5.00 pm	COMPLINE Officiant: The Reverend Dr Helen Hall
ALL SAINTS'	

10.30 am SUNG EUCHARIST WITH LITURGY OF THE PALMS Celebrant & Preacher: The Reverend Christopher Harrison

COLLECT FOR THE DAY

Almighty and everlasting God, who in your tender love towards the human race sent your Son our Saviour Jesus Christ to take upon him our flesh and to suffer death upon the cross: grant that we may follow the example of his patience and humility, and also be made partakers of his resurrection; 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.

	This month we pray for the women of Afghanistan.
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PARISH CYCLE OF PRAYER

Members of the Convent of the Holy Name, Pauline Collins, Maureen & Harry Black, Christopher Browne, Canon David White, Thelma Bracey, Betty Clarke, Rita Hubbard, Liz Kent, Gloria Thomas, Imogen Rex, David Towers, Marjorie Taylor, Chris Taylor, Rev. James Saxton, James Barrie. 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 delighted to announce that, following an interview at the beginning of this week, Ian Wright has been appointed as Head Verger for the parish. Ian will work alongside Paul and Chi, and will predominantly be on duty in St Peter's Monday-Thursday, 10am-4pm, and Sunday afternoons. We look forward to working with Ian as he takes on this new role!

The Three Hours

We are very grateful to Spencer Martin (viola) and Andy Whitfield (baritone), who will join Peter Siepmann in providing music for the Good Friday service at St Peter's (12 pm). This year, the Three Hours will focus on Christ looking out from the cross, with poems, reflections, readings, silence and music. Members of the congregation are invited to stay for as little or as much of this service as they would like to.

Dawn Eucharist

Following the Easter Vigil and Dawn Eucharist at St Peter's on Easter morning, there will once again be a light breakfast offered in the Coffee Room. All are welcome.

Easter Breakfast

As has become tradition, Lina and Wilfred Morgan will host an Easter Breakfast on Easter Monday, 1st April, from 10am at their home. All donations will be in aid of Mercy Ships, and charity long supported by the Overseas Committee and the parish. If you would like to attend the breakfast, please sign up at the back of church.

Holy Week and Easter Services

Maundy Thursday, 28th March 12.00 pm - Holy Communion (All Saints') 7.30 pm - Sung Eucharist with vigil (St Peter's)

Good Friday, 29th March

12.00 pm - The Three Hours (St Peter's)1.30 pm - Service for Good Friday (All Saints')

Easter Day, 31st March

6.00 am - Easter Vigil & Dawn Eucharist (St Peter's)
8.15 am - Holy Communion (St Peter's)
10.30 am - Sung Eucharist (All Saints')
10.45 am - Sung Eucharist (St Peter's)

St Peter's and the Parish Office will be open as usual during Easter Week - however, there will not be any midweek services that week.

Christopher's retirement

Christopher's final Sunday in the parish will be on 21st April. His final service at All Saints' will be on Sunday 14th April, and the 10.45 am Sung Eucharist at St Peter's on 21st will be a whole parish service. All are very much encouraged to attend!

Volunteer stewards needed at St Peter's!

In order to enhance our ministry of welcome at St Peter's, we are looking for people who would be willing to come into the church for a few hours each week to welcome visitors. Training will be provided. This is a wonderful opportunity to contribute to our ministry as an inclusive, welcoming church, seeking to live out God's love and inclusive welcome to those who come into our church for a wide variety of reasons each day. If you are interested in knowing more about what this will entail please talk to Ian. An application pack will be available shortly.

Preparation of revised Electoral Roll

Every year, the Electoral Roll in each parish is revised and the procedure includes the receipt of applications of those wishing to apply for their names to be added. All eligible members of the congregations are encouraged to be on the Electoral Roll to give a true picture of our church and parish membership. Only people whose names are entered on the Roll by **7**th **April** will be entitled to take part in the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) to be held on Thursday 2nd May 2024. May I stress that if your name is already on the current Electoral Roll you should NOT complete a form now as names are carried forward to 2025!

Application forms for membership of the Electoral Roll are available at the back of each church. Please place completed forms in the box provided or hand it to one of the churchwardens or, at St Peter's, directly to me. Once the revised Roll is prepared, a full list of names of people on it will be posted at the back of each church for inspection to enable any omission or other error to be corrected. *Keith Charter (Electoral Roll Officer)*

Conversation Lessons

Lavanya and her family are regular members of our congregation. Her husband and two boys speak fluent English - Lavanya understands but doesn't speak English and would like conversation lessons. These could be with her before church for half an hour (Mildred Penfold taught Giovanni this way), but you could meet for coffee or arrange other sessions which were mutually convenient.

If you are interested in helping - and it could be team of us - please let me know. Dorothy Mountford, Churchwarden

FORTHCOMING SERVICES IN THE PARISH

Monday 25 th March	1.15 pm	Meditation	St Peter's
Tuesday 26 [™]	11.00 am 1.15 pm	Holy Communion Holy Communion	All Saints' St Peter's
THURSDAY 28 ^{тн} Maundy Thursday	11.00 am 12.00 pm 7.30 pm	Holy Communion Holy Communion Sung Eucharist & Vigil	St Peter's All Saints' St Peter's
Friday 29 ^{тн} Good Friday	12.00 pm 1.30 pm	The Three Hours Good Friday Service	St Peter's All Saints'
SUNDAY 31 st Easter Day	6.00 am	Easter Vigil & Dawn Eucharist The Reverend Dr Richard	St Peter's Davey
·	6.00 am 8.15 am	Eucharist	Davey St Peter's
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Readings for this morning

Philippians 2.5-11 Mark 14.1-15.47

PARISH CLERGY TEAM

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

PARISH ADMINISTRATOR Adele Siepmann

VERGERS

Mike Chappell Paul Stevenson Chigozie Nwachukwu

MINISTRY ASSISTANT lan Wright

The Parish Office *Tuesday, Thursday & Friday, 10 am - 2 pm* St Peter's Square Nottingham NG1 2NW 0115 9483658 office@nottinghamchurches.org www.nottinghamchurches.org **Readings for next Sunday morning** Acts 10.34-43 John 20.1-18

Rector Associate Priest Pioneer Minister to Students at All Saints' Priest with permission to officiate Priest with permission to officiate Priest with permission to officiate

DIRECTOR OF MUSIC Dr Peter Siepmann

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

