ST PETER'S WEEKLY NEWS 18 FEBRUARY 2024



CHILDREN'S FACILITIES - Activities and toys for children during Mass can be found at West End of the Church and in the Lady Chapel.

IVY CAFÉ – we meet every Wednesday afternoon at 3pm in the Church Hall. Everyone is welcome.

CHOIR PRACTICE – next practice on Friday 23rd February at 6.00pm. Choir practice also takes place on Sundays at 9:15am and after coffee.

ANNUAL PARISH CHURCH MEETING (APCM) - Sunday 21st April 2024. It is that time of year again when we prepare for our APCM. If you normally produce reports would you make sure these are with Fr David by **Sunday 10th March.**

We are also looking for candidates for election to the Parochial Church Council. If you are eligible and would like to stand please complete the necessary nomination forms and pass them to Fr David or Cornelia Harding, our PCC Secretary.

CHALICE FOR ADA LOVELACE: Ada Lovelace School recently consecrated its school chapel. The school is now in need of a decent chalice and patten. These will cost in the region of £700 and cannot be covered by school budgets. Fr David thought it would be a lovely gesture if Ada's parish church could provide a set. The PCC have agreed to make a collection towards this gift. If you can make a donation please see Fr David or Chris Harris. Thank you to those who have already donated. We have raised £200 so far. We would love to get this done pretty soon.

LENT 2024 – There are a few options to help you make a holy Lent this year: **Mondays at 7.30pm**: Lent Course. Reflecting in the Passion. A bible study exploring the presentation of the Passion narrative in the four Gospels. **Tuesday at 9.30pm**: Compline on Zoom, please contact Rev Margaret for Zoom link.

Wednesdays at 4.30pm: Contemplative Prayer Gathering & 7.30pm Stations of the Cross with Compline

DIGITAL ORDERS OF SERVICE. This can be emailed to you during the week, allowing you to download the order onto your digital device (smartphone; tablet etc). This saves on paper and printing. If you would like to do this and don't yet receive the order of service digitally, please contact the parish office and Lesley will be very happy to add you to our list.

STEWARDSHIP – St Peter's is reliant on the generous support of its congregation. It would be great if you could make a regular standing order into the Church's bank account. One off gifts can be made via the tap-to-donate point at the back of the Church, or through our Online Giving Page – a link to which can be found on the 'Support' page of our website. Gift Aid declarations can be made via the tap-to-donate point and Online Giving Page (if we don't already have one from you).

Parish Bank details are: Acc Name: Parochial Church Council of St Peters Ealing Parish Acc No: 60377082: Sort Code: 401158

SHARING IN PARISH LIFE: As Lent arrives the Staff Team are encouraging us all to consider how we might contribute more to the life of St Peter's. We need welcomers, coffee rota participants, servers, readers and intercessors. We are definitely on the road to recovery after lockdowns but there are holes in our volunteer teams and we need your help. We are all encouraged to contribute. So please step up and help as much as you can, don't wait to be asked.

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Password: StPeter 1662	

Worship this week

Sunday 18th February 2024 First Sunday of Lent

9am Pebbles 10am Parish Mass 5.30pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 25th February Second Sunday of Lent

10am Parish Mass5.30pm Evening Prayer

Daily Prayer:

Morning Prayer: Tuesday -Thursday @ 9am Evening Prayer: Mon, Tues & Thurs @ 5pm Contemplative Prayer: Wednesday @ 4.30pm

For information about baptisms, weddings and funerals please contact Fr David or the Parish Office.

Notices & Diary Dates:

February:

19th: 7.30pm Standing Committee Meeting (Vicarage); 7.30pm Lent Study Group: Reflections in the Passion (Lady Chapel)

20th: 9.30pm: Compline on Zoom, please contact Rev Margaret for Zoom link.

21st: 7.30pm Stations of the Cross (Church)
26th: 7.30pm Lent Study Group: Reflections on the Passion (Lady Chapel)

27th: 9.30pm: Compline on Zoom, please contact Rev

Margaret for Zoom link.

28th: 7.30pm Stations of the Cross (Church)

March:

2nd: 9.30am-Ipm Parish Quiet Morning (Lady Chapel)
3rd: 11.30am Events Team Meeting (Church Hall)
4th: 7.30pm Lent Course: Reflections in the Passion (Lady Chapel)

6th: 7.30pm Stations of the Cross (Church)

9th: Best Feet Forward 10th: Mothering Sunday

I Ith: 7.30pm Lent Course: Reflections in the Passion

(Lady Chapel)

13th: 6pm Amnesty Letter Writing Group (Zoom);

7.30pm Stations of the Cross (Church)

17th: 11.30am PCC Meeting (Lady Chapel)

This Week's Reading Programme:

Mon: Genesis 41.25-45; Galatians 3.23—4.7. **Tues**: Genesis 41.46—42.5; Galatians 4.8-20.

Weds (Ember Day): Genesis 42.6-17; Galatians 4.21—5.1.

Thurs: Genesis 42.18-28; Galatians 5.2-15.

Fri (Polycarp, bishop; Ember Day): Genesis 42.29-end; Galatians 5.16-end.

Sat (Ember Day): Genesis 43.1-15; Galatians 6.

Prayer Requests:

Please pray for:

Sick: Harry Jones; Richard Dubois. **Recently deceased:** Simon Blumlein.

Years Mind: week 18 – 24 February: Joan Price; Bernard Smith; Michael Johnson.

Parish family: Lety, Mike, Francesca & Anna Tiley; Elsa, Matthew and Lydie Vladimery; Kristina, Laura, Alice & Maggie Wilson-Brown; Francis Wood; Marie-Anne, Oscar & Victor Yeadon; Taiwo Ajose; Moira Babary; Josh & Tia Baker; Simon, Robina, Alice & Henry Baker; Trevor & Christine Bates; Claire Bates.

(To add names to this list please contact Fr David or the Parish Office)