

# ST PETER'S WEEKLY NEWS

## 24 DECEMBER 2023



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

**CHOIR PRACTICE** – The Choir are now on Christmas break. **Practice will resume on** Friday 5<sup>th</sup> January at 6.00pm. Choir practice also takes place on Sundays at 9:15am and after coffee.

**IVY CAFÉ** – will meet again on Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> January from 3.00pm.

**DER ZIMBELSTERN** – Our new Zimbelstern (bells stop) was installed for Advent Sunday, making us the only church in West London to have one. Mark has explained the history and liturgical significance of the Zimbelstern, with a photo of ours on the organ restoration display at the back of church. Do have a look.

**DIGITAL ORDERS OF SERVICE.** One of the many things we have learnt through lockdown is the use of 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 a huge amount 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. Our preference is for regular standing orders into the Church's bank account. One off gifts can be made easily 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**

**PARISH OFFICE** – The Parish Office will re-open at 10am on Wednesday 3 January.

**The Post Box is now available at the back of the church for the posting of Christmas Cards for other members of the congregation.**

**PLEASE LOOK AND SEE IF THERE ARE CARDS FOR YOU TO COLLECT!!**

## **CHRISTMAS AT ST PETER'S**

### **TODAY: CHRISTMAS EVE**

**Christingle Service for all the family**

**4.00 pm**

**Midnight Mass**

**11.30 pm**

### **Monday 25<sup>th</sup> December: CHRISTMAS DAY**

**Mass of the Holy Nativity**

**10.00 am**

### **Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> December**

**Parish Mass**

**10.00am**

### **Monday 1<sup>st</sup> January**

**New Year's Day Mass**

**12 noon**

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Office Hours: Monday – Friday: 10am-12noon	Click here for <a href="#">St Peter's online Giving page</a>
<b>Parish Wi-Fi:</b> Name: StPeter-Guest; Password: StPeter1662	Parish Office Hours are 10-12 noon Monday to Friday

<b>Worship this week</b>	
<b>Sunday 24<sup>th</sup> December</b> <b>Advent 4</b> 10am Parish Mass <b>Christmas Eve</b> 4pm Christingle Service 11.30pm Midnight Mass <b>Christmas Day</b> 10am Mass of the Holy Nativity	<b>Sunday 31<sup>st</sup> December</b> <b>Christmas I</b> 10am Parish Mass  <b>Monday 1<sup>st</sup> January</b> Naming of Jesus – New's Year's Day 12noon New Year's Day Mass followed by drinks in the vicarage
<b>Daily Prayer:</b>	
There will be no daily office this week.	For information about baptisms, weddings and funerals please contact Fr David or the Parish Office.
<b>Notices &amp; Diary Dates:</b>	
<b>December:</b> <b>TODAY:</b> 4pm Christingle Service (Church); 11.30pm Midnight Mass <b>25<sup>th</sup>:</b> 10am Mass of the Holy Nativity	<b>January 2024:</b> <b>1<sup>st</sup>:</b> 12 noon New Years Day Mass and drinks at the Vicarage <b>7<sup>th</sup>:</b> 11.30am Events Team Meeting <b>8<sup>th</sup>:</b> 7.30pm Standing Committee Meeting <b>13<sup>th</sup>:</b> 10am Best Feet Forward <b>15<sup>th</sup>:</b> 7.30pm Safeguarding Team Meeting (Vicarage) <b>18<sup>th</sup>:</b> 7pm Beer and Curry Meeting (The Grange Pub, Ealing Common and the India Villa, Station Parade) <b>23<sup>rd</sup>:</b> 7.30pm PCC Meeting (Vicarage)
<b>This Week's Reading Programme:</b>	
<b>Mon:</b> Isaiah 62.1-5; Matthew 1.18-end <b>Tues (Stephen, deacon):</b> Jeremiah 26.12-15; Acts 6. <b>Weds (John, Apostle):</b> Exodus 33.12-end; 1 John 2.1-11. <b>Thurs (The Holy Innocents):</b> Baruch 4.21-27 or Genesis 37.13-20; Matthew 18.1-10. <b>Fri (Thomas Becket. Archbishop):</b> Jonah 1; Colossians 1.1-14. <b>Sat:</b> Jonah 2; Colossians 1.15-23.	
<b>Prayer Requests:</b>	
<b>Please pray for:</b> <b>Sick:</b> Roy Honey; Harry Jones; Richard Dubois. <b>Recently deceased:</b> Andrei Doicin; Jane Robinson (Deacon); Henrietta Owens. <b>Years Mind: week 24-30 December:</b> Elwyn Jones; Connie Ives; David Hewlings. <b>Parish family:</b> Margaret Musisi & Linda Olaneye; Fr David & Sarah Neno; Patrick Neyman; Christine Neyman; Catharine, Julian, Joshua & Rawdon Partridge; Jim Patterson; Richard, Susan & John Peatfield; Alex, Alex, Beatrice & Bertie Pridgeon; Madeleine, Graham, Elsa, Edmund & Finlay Reid; Rodney Reid.  (To add names to this list please contact Fr David or the Parish Office)	