

ST PETER'S WEEKLY NEWS

28 JUNE 2026



CHILDREN'S FACILITIES – Activities and toys for children during Mass can be found at the Junior Church corner and in the Lady Chapel.

CHOIR PRACTICE – Choir practice is on Sunday mornings at 9.15am in Church.

GIVING GENEROUSLY – Our programme for 2026 looking at church finances and how we can contribute. Do take time to look at the noticeboards on your way into the church hall. Please use the Giving Generously Pledging cards to pledge your gift to St Peter's church for the coming year. They are completely confidential, only to be seen by the Stewardship Recorder and Church Treasurer, Any questions speak to one of the team (Linda Foster; Elsa Vladimery; Allison McAllister; Fr David)

PETERTIDE CELEBRATIONS. TODAY. The Very Revd Michael Tavinor is our guest preacher for this service. There will be a drinks reception after mass. Do come along and celebrate our dedication.

MONDAY 29TH JUNE is the actual feast day of St Peter and we will be having a short, said mass at 7.30pm followed by drinks in the vicarage garden.

REVD SUSAN'S FIRST EUCHARIST: HEARTFELT THANKS Thank you to everyone involved in making last Sunday such a golden occasion. I was overwhelmed by the loveliness of the service and by the feast which followed - and for all the beautiful voices and loving hands that made this possible. Thank you too for your very generous gift to me. I shall think carefully how to use it, but shall certainly let you know and show you soon I hope. I have felt your prayers in my preparations and it is the greatest privilege to be able to continue to serve God in your fellowship here at St Peter's. Thank you! Susan

DEDICATION FESTIVAL. Sunday 19th July we will be keeping our Dedication Festival; it will be St Peter's 133rd birthday. Do make sure this is in your diary, lets celebrate together the founding of our parish and the beginning of the summer holidays.

EALING DEANERY PRAYER GATHERING. Thursday 2nd July 9.30-10.30am St Mary's, Hanwell. A programme of gathered prayer across the Willesden Area arrives in Ealing at St Mary's, Hanwell on Thursday 1st July. Do come along if you can.

EALING HALF MARATHON 2026: we still have a few free spaces for the Ealing Half Marathon for runners who would run to raise funds for St Peter's Church. We are also thinking of creating a team with a team vest. If you are interested, please speak to Fr David

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Rooted and Grounded in Love

What might it look like for the kingdom of God to be among us? At its root is a call for human relationships and communities to mirror the character of God: God who is love. Jesus taught his disciples that as the Father has loved him so he in turn has loved them, and that they are to abide in that love (John 15.9). Moreover, when giving them the 'new commandment' – to love one another – he stresses that it is by loving one another that others will know that they are his disciples (John 13.34-35). It is the outpouring of love in human relationships and human actions that manifests the values of God's kingdom, causing truth, mercy, justice and compassion to spring forth and permeate the world. When we have love for one another – love which comes from God, the source of love – the kingdom is made present among us.

We are left then with two complementary challenges. The first is to simply get on with life, the best life that (with God's help) we are capable of living, cultivating an awareness of God's presence 'in ordinary'. The second is to abide in God's love, and (again, with the help of the Holy Spirit in us) seek to ground all our thoughts, words and actions in love. Then, the kingdom of God will be among us.

Peter Morger
 Sub-Dean of Christ Church Oxford
 The Canterbury Preacher's Companion 2026

Worship this week

Sunday 28th June 2026

Petertide Day

10am Parish Mass with Steppingstones
5.30pm Evening Prayer

Sunday 5th July 2026

Trinity 5 (proper 9)

9am Pebbles
10am Parish Mass
5.30pm Evening Prayer

Daily Prayer:

Morning Prayer: 9am Mon-Weds & Fri
9.30am Thurs Ealing Deanery Prayer Gathering
(St Mary's, Hanwell)
Evening Prayer: 5pm Mon, Tues & Thurs
Contemplative Prayer: 4.30pm Weds
Mid-week Mass: 12.30pm Tues

For information on or to book baptisms, weddings or funerals please contact Fr David or the Parish Office.
Confessions are heard by appointment.
Contact Fr David

Notices & Diary Dates:

June:

TODAY: Petertide celebrations. Guest preacher The Very Revd Michael Tavinor Dean Emeritus of Hereford Cathedral and former curate of this parish. Drinks reception to follow Mass.

29th: 7.30pm St Peter's Day Mass with drinks in the Vicarage garden

July:

1st: 7.30pm Finance Team Meeting (Vicarage)

7th: 7.30pm Ealing Deanery Synod (St Mary's, Ealing)

8th: 6pm Amnesty International Letter Writing Group (Zoom)

14th: 7.30pm PCC Meeting (Church)

16th: 7pm Men's Beer & Curry

19th: 10am Parish Dedication Celebration Mass

This Week's Reading Programme:

Mon (Peter the Apostle): Isaiah 49.1-6; Acts 11.1-18.

Tues: Judges 14; Luke 18.1-14.

Wed: Judges 15.1—16.3; Luke 18.15-30.

Thurs: Judges 16.4-end; Luke 18.31-end.

Fri (Thomas the Apostle): 2 Samuel 15.17-21 or Ecclesiasticus 2; John 11.1-16.

Sat: Judges 18.1-20, 27-end; Luke 19.11-27.

Prayer Requests:

Please pray for:

Sick: Richard Dubois; Val Cross; Neil Robson, Patricia Hampton; Sandra Doyle; Saskia; Olumide Olukoya.

Recently deceased: Sue Wright.

Years Mind: week 28 June – 4 July: June Blake (2021).

Parish family: Hannah Watkin; Peter Wilkinson; Frank Wood; Marie-Anne, Oscar & Victor Yeadon; Minghui Zhang; Busayo Agbaje, Daphne & Michael; Moira Babary; Josh & Tia Baker; Simon, Robina, Alice, Henry & Heath Baker; Christine & Trevor Bates; Claire Bates.

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