# ST PETER'S WEEKLY NEWS 5 NOVEMBER 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.

IVY CAFÉ – every Wednesday afternoon from 3.00pm.

**CHOIR PRACTICE** – Friday 11 November at 6.00pm as well as choir practice taking place on Sundays at 9:15am and after coffee.

**AMNESTY** - There will be an Amnesty Raffle for a delicious homemade cake today during coffee in the hall to raise funds for our letter/email writing group which meets monthly on zoom.'

**ANNUAL MEMORIAL SERVICE** – This afternoon at 3pm. If you would like to add names to the memorial service for this afternoon please use the lists available at the Churchwardens desk by the baptistry and do come along to the service.

# ST PETER'S CONCERT DATES -

**December 23rd 7:30pm** The night before Christmas London's most versatile vocal ensemble, The Park Lane Quintet lead favourite Christmas songs plus traditional carols with organ. Christmas readings and A festive sing along with 11 mulled wine and mince pies; the perfect intro to Christmas. Tickets £15 from Eventbright.co.uk (search The night before Christmas) and at the door on the evening.

**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

**ECWNS** - St Peter's is helping to host the homeless as part of the Ealing Churches Winter Night Shelter programme (ECWNS) as we have done in previous years. We will give up to 14 guests dinner and bed and breakfast for the night in the church for each

Thursday evening between 30th November and 21st December inclusive. To do this we need volunteers to cook, look after our guests both in the evening and overnight, and then provide breakfast before getting the sheets washed and the equipment driven over to the next church. Sounds like a lot but we split it up into manageable parcels and the more that volunteer the easier it gets! If you're interested in volunteering please email rolandstumpf@yahoo.com to let him know what you are happy to help with and when – full information and a training pack is provided. For any further details or if you just want to discuss please speak to Father David, Adam Grimley or Roland Stumpf.

Advent 2023 – a number of events have been planned to mark Advent this year. Please see the Advent pamphlet available at the welcomers desk for more information. As our Advent Course we are using **Searching for Home: Advent Reflections on the God who welcomes everyone** by Cole Moreton. If you would like to join the Advent Course sign up on the list available at the Churchwardens Desk. The course book is available for Church House Bookshop and Pitshanger Bookshop.

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# Worship this week

Sunday 5th November

Fourth Sunday before Advent

9am Pebbles

10am Parish Mass

3pm Annual Memorial Service

5.30pm Evening Prayer

# Sunday 12th November Remembrance Sunday

10am Parish Mass with Act of Remembrance 5.30pm Evening Prayer

## **Daily Prayer:**

Morning Prayer: Mon, Tues & Thurs at 9am Evening Prayer: Mon, Tues & Thurs at 5pm Contemplative Prayer: Weds at 4.30pm

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

# **Notices & Diary Dates:**

#### **November:**

**TODAY:** I I.30am Events Team Meeting (Church Hall); 3pm Annual Memorial Service (Church) **6**th: 7.30pm Standing Committee Meeting (Vicarage)

9th: 7pm Christian Basics Course (Zoom)

11th: 10am Best Feet Forward: Hedgerley and Burnham Beeches.

15th: 7.30pm PCC Meeting (Church)

**16**th: 7pm Men's Beer & Curry Meeting (Wheatsheaf Pub & Monty's)

19th: 10am Education Sunday Mass with students from Ada Lovelace School

20th: 7pm Christian Basics Course (Zoom)

21st: 7pm Relicensing of Susan Peatfield as Parish

Reader (St Paul's Cathedral)

22<sup>nd</sup>: 7pm Triennial Archdeacon's Visitation (Church).

27th: 7pm Advent Course: Searching for Home (Zoom)

28th: 7pm Christan Basics Course (Zoom)

#### **December:**

2<sup>nd</sup>: 10am Parish Quiet Morning for Advent (Church)

4th: 7pm Advent Course: Searching for Home (Zoom)

6th: 7pm Christan Basics Course (Zoom)

9th: Best Feet Forward (Thames Path)

IIth: 7pm Advent Course (Zoom)

12th: Mission Team Meeting (23 Mount Park Road)

13th: 6pm Al Letter Writing Group (Zoom)

16th: 9am Parish Quiet Morning (Church)

17th: 5.30pm Carol Service by Candlelight (Church)

18th: 7pm Advent Course (Zoom)

# This Week's Reading Programme:

Mon: Isaiah 1.1-20; Matthew 1.18-end.

Tues (Willibrord, bishop): Isaiah 1.21-end; Matthew 2.1-15.

Weds: Isaiah 2.1-11; Matthew 2.16-end. Thurs: Isaiah 2.12-end; Matthew 3.

Fri (Leo the Great, bishop): Isaiah 3.1-15; Matthew 4.1-11. Sat (Martin, bishop): Isaiah 4.2—5.7; Matthew 4.12-22.

### **Prayer Requests:**

### Please pray for:

**Sick:** Roy Honey; Harry Jones; Richard Dubois. **Recently deceased:** Tony Reid; Charles Harding.

Years Mind: week 5-11 November: Winifred Ruston; Bernard William Dunkley.

**Parish family:** 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)