

ST PETER'S WEEKLY NEWS

9 JULY 2023



CHOIR PRACTICE – Friday 14th July at 6.00pm. This will be the last practice until September.

CHILDREN'S CHOIR - The children are leading our music this morning. To start the service they are singing 'You Know Me' by Kristina Arakelyan, an award winning young British composer. This will be followed during communion by Samuel Sebastian Wesley's 'Who Can Express the Noble Acts of the Lord', composed while Wesley was organist of Gloucester Cathedral. The Children's Choir learns and performs music for our monthly Family Service and other occasions. Their singing enriches our worship and community, and they benefit by developing musicality, confidence and teamwork. We are on the lookout for more Children's Choir members - please talk to our musicians about getting involved.

AMNESTY INTERNATIONAL LETTER WRITING GROUP: Tuesday 11th July @ 6pm. We are meeting online again this month to write letters for the release of prisoners of conscience. If you'd like to join us let Fr David know and he can send you the link.

GEMSTONES PICNIC: Sunday 16th July after the parish Mass our young families will be gathering in Montpelier Park for their annual, end of term picnic. Everyone is invited. We will relocate to the church hall if the weather isn't good.

BEST FEET FORWARD: Saturday 22nd July our walking group are heading out to Sarratt and Chess Valley. We are meeting in the church carpark at 10am and drive to Sarratt in the Chess Valley, west of Watford. From there we will do a circular walk through the Chess Valley, finishing at The Cricketers pub in Sarratt for some well-deserved refreshment.

STEWARDSHIP 2023: We will launch this year's Stewardship Programme 2023 on **Harvest Sunday, 10th September**. Our theme is 'Giving in Grace', how in God's grace we can give to God's service through the church community we are part of. Prayerfully consider your financial giving to the church and be ready to review it as part of your renewed pledge to support the life and work of the church. Giving to our parish is our only source of income. Please give generously, either by standing order; via our contactless payment at the West Door of the Church, or through our Online Giving Page. 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). There will be no collection during the Mass. You are encouraged to make your regular offerings via standing order through your bank. These details can also be used to make a BACS transfer (Parish Bank details are: Bank: HSBC; Account Name: **Parochial Church Council of St Peter's Ealing Parish**; Account Number: **60377082**; Sort Code: **40 11 58**)

ORGAN ANNIVERSARY RECITAL - Saturday 15th July 7:30pm

The completion of the organ rebuild will be celebrated by a recital given by international concert organist Martin Baker. Martin was Master of Music at Westminster Cathedral and previously organist of both St Paul's Cathedral and Westminster Abbey. His programme will include music by Walton, Whitlock, JS Bach, and Widor, plus one of his legendary improvisations. The recital falls on the eve of Dedication Sunday, the 130th anniversary of the church and organ. Tickets now available from Mark or the Parish office or by programme, at the door on the day.

EALING HALF MARATHON Sunday 24th September – are recruiting volunteers. If you would like to help, please go to the link to register.

<https://www.ealinghalfmarathon.com/volunteer/>

LADY CHAPEL NEWS - Over the last week we have had the two beautiful Lady Chapel oak floor-standing candle holders conserved. The work was made possible by a generous member of the congregation and was carried out locally by King & Son in Hanwell. The candle holders should be back in situ by Sunday looking fantastic — do take a look! This is part of an ongoing programme of activity to further enhance the Chapel following last summer's restoration. Other work includes repairing the damaged reredos and WWII Memorial, recovering the seats - thanks to Sarah Hare - and potentially installing a storage cupboard. Do ask if you'd like to know more.

ST PETER'S DEDICATION FESTIVAL WEEKEND 130 YEARS OF MINISTRY

Saturday 15th July:

7.30 Organ recital by Martin Baker followed by a wine reception.

Sunday 16th July:

10am Parish Dedication Mass followed by bubbles reception.

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Worship this week	
Sunday 9th July Trinity 5 10am Parish Family Mass 5.30pm Evening Prayer	Sunday 16th July St Peter's Dedication Festival 9am Pebbles 10am Festival Parish Mass 5.30pm Evening Prayer
Daily Prayer:	
Morning Prayer: Mon to Thurs @ 9am Evening Prayer: Mon, Tues & Thurs @ 5pm Contemplative Prayer: 4.30pm (Lady Chapel)	For information about baptisms, weddings and funerals please contact Fr David or the Parish Office.
Notices & Diary Dates:	
July: 11 th : 6pm AI Letter Writing Group (Zoom) 12 th : 7.30pm Deanery Synod (St George's, Southall) 13 th : 6pm Diocesan Synod (St Mellitus College) 15 th : 7.30pm Organ Recital in celebration of the completion of Phase 2 of the organ restoration programme and the 130 th anniversary of the building of St Peters. 16 th : 10am Parish Dedication Festival Mass; after Mass Families Picnic in the park 18 th : 7.30pm PCC Meeting (Vicarage) 20 th : 7pm Beer & Curry (The New Inn, S.Ealing Rd) 22 nd : 10am BFF Walk: Sarratt & Chess Valley (Church Hall Carpark)	August: 12 th : Best Feet Forward: Rickmansworth Lakes September: 2 nd : 6pm Parish BBQ (Vicarage Garden) 3 rd : 11.30am Events Team Meeting (Church Hall) 9 th : Best Feet Forward 10 th : Harvest Sunday. 10am Stewardship Launch and Harvest Sunday Mass. Giving in Grace. 11 th : 7.30pm Standing Committee Meeting (Vicarage) 13 th : AI Letter Writing Group (Zoom) 17 th : 11.30am Buildings & Grounds Team Meeting (Lady Chapel) 20 th : 7.30pm PCC Meeting (Church) 21 st : 7pm Beer & Curry Group (TBA)
This Week's Reading Programme:	
Mon: Nehemiah 12.27-47; 2 Corinthians 1.1-14. Tues (Benedict, abbot): Nehemiah 13.1-14; 2 Corinthians 1.15—2.4. Weds: Nehemiah 13.15-end; 2 Corinthians 2.5-end. Thurs: Esther 1; 2 Corinthians 3. Fri: Esther 2; 2 Corinthians 4. Sat (Swithun, bishop): Esther 3; 2 Corinthians 5.	
Prayer Requests:	
Please pray for: Sick: Roy Honey; Charles Harding; Harry Jones; Richard Dubois. Recently deceased: Colin Bradbury; Peter White. Years Mind: week 9 - 15 July: David Sladen; Joan Jones. Parish family: John & Daniel Cobb, Saira Salimi; Valerie Cross; Jehmel Cross; Michael, Saskia & Elliott Cross; Vanessa Forster, Harry Landon, Milo & Floyd Forster Landon; Karen Foster; Linda Foster; Sophie Foxall, Kieran & Orlaith Santry; Richard & Rosanna Fullerton; Jane, Stan & Tyler Gee. (To add names to this list please contact Fr David or the Parish Office)	