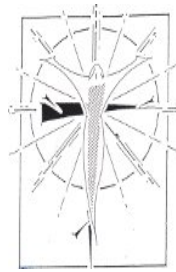


THIS WEEK - SUNDAY 26th FEBRUARY**Sunday Next Before Lent**

ST PETER	08:00	HOLY COMMUNION
	Preacher:	Rev'd Steve Parselle
	10:00	SUNG EUCHARIST
	Preacher:	Rev'd Bryan Apps
	Duty Warden:	Jane Styslinger
	Sidespeople:	Arthur & Josephine Chagadama, Mike Anderton
	Readers:	Debbie Mantock, Ken Mantock
	Intercessor:	Neil Bichard
	Chalice Asst:	Pauline Burns, Thomas Gubbins, Rob Sawby
	Hymns:	563, 248, 502, 40, 538 Gloria: How Sumsion in F
Setting:	Lead me, Lord - Wesley	
Anthem:	Pauline Burns, Frank Anis,	
Servers:	Karen Warner, Sue Martin	
Coffee:	Peter Woods, Philip Memory, Jean Nicholls	
Flowers:	Sue Legge, Lynda Mayne, Tracy Slade	
16:00	CHORAL EVENSONG	
Preacher:	The Rector	
Hymns:	248, 396, 22 Psalm 84	
Responses:	Ayleward	
Canticles:	Dyson in C minor	
Anthem:	God be in my head – Walford Davies	
ST STEPHEN	11:00	LOW MASS – Lady Chapel (Wrap up warmly!)
Preacher:	Canon John Turpin	
Chalice Asst:	Sylvia Kraushaar, Malcolm Warwick, Trevor Lamb	
Readers:	A Morgan, D Shimer, K Murgatroyd	
ST AUGUSTIN	10:00	HOLY COMMUNION
Preacher:	The Rector	
Sidespeople:	June Deedman, Jennie Maund	
Readers:	Edmund Postlethwaite, Barbara Sparling	
Intercessor:	Barbara Sparling	
Hymns:	391, 234, 440, C358, 436	



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St Peter - St Augustin
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Sunday 26th February 2017

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**MID-WEEK SERVICES**

MONDAY 27th FEBRUARY		
ST PETER	12:15	Holy Communion – Resurrection Chapel
WEDNESDAY 1st MARCH – ASH WEDNESDAY		
ST STEPHENS	10:00	Solemn Mass
ST PETERS	19:00	Choral Solemn Eucharist – With ASHING
THURSDAY 2nd MARCH		
ST AUGUSTIN	11:00	Holy Communion
ST PETER	12:15	Holy Communion – Keble Chapel
SATURDAY 4th MARCH – ASH WEDNESDAY		
ST STEPHENS	10:00	Low Mass

NEXT WEEK - SUNDAY 5th MARCH**First Sunday of Lent**

ST PETER	08:00	HOLY COMMUNION
	Preacher:	Rev'd Steve Parselle
	10:00	GOOD NEWS @ 10
	President:	The Rector
	Preacher:	Mr Andy Saunders
	Duty Warden:	Jane Styslinger
	Sidespeople:	Phillip Memory
	Flowers:	NONE during Lent
	Coffee:	Jacque Walker, Helen Young
	11:15	SHORT COMMUNION
President:	The Rector	
Chalice Asst:	Lucinda Terry	
Readers:	Neil Bichard	
Intercessor:	Wendy Irvine	
16:00	CHORAL EVENSONG	
Preacher:	The Rector	
Hymns:	248, 396, 22 Psalm 84	
Responses:	Ayleward	
Canticles:	Dyson in C minor	
Anthem:	God be in my head – Walford Davies	
ST STEPHEN	11:00	SOLEMN MASS
Preacher:	Rev'd David Lund	
Readers:	S Chappell, P Hannery, D Coombs	
ST AUGUSTIN	10:00	HOLY COMMUNION
Preacher:	Rev'd Steve Parselle	
Sidespeople:	Glen Bainbridge, Rosemary Simmons	
Readers:	David Agar, Sarah Burton	
Intercessor:	Janet Taylor	
Hymns:	160, 386, 372, C135, 367	

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DON'T FORGET...

All notices for next week's newsletter to be sent to the Parish Office by Tuesday. Thank you!

WELCOME ...please make yourself known to one of our Sides People or duty warden and we hope you will feel at home with us. Children are very welcome and accessible facilities are available (ask to be directed by a Sides-person). Also ask for the Sunday School and crèche at St Peter's – operating most Sundays except the first Sunday, when we encourage young families (and anyone liking an informal service) to come to the monthly 10am Goodnews@10.

GOOD NEWS @10 - On the first Sunday of each month, at St Peter's with its conversational emphasis on sharing how God's word in the Bible relates to our lives. From 10am-10.45am. There will be time for coffee, and then at 11.15am there will be a short communion service beginning at the peace greeting in the Keble Chapel. Please come to both.

WOMEN'S WORLD DAY OF PRAYER – Friday 3rd March, 10.30am, St. Peter's Church. Contact Virginia Beck for further details at virginiabeck@sky.com

LENT FAITH GROUPS – If anyone is interested in exploring any aspects of our faith in greater depth during the six weeks of Lent, our Rector is keen to hear from you. Please contact Ian as soon as possible so they can be arranged and look on the News Sheet in the next couple of weeks for further details.

CHORAL EVENSONG - Wednesday 8th March, St Stephen's Church at 6.00pm - sung by the Bournemouth University Chamber Choir. Directed by Ian Davies.

ST PETER'S FESTIVAL SUNDAY – Sunday 26th March. This will indeed be a day of rejoicing, with musicians from Bournemouth University and the Arts University providing our musical mass, followed by a accompanied 3pm choral evensong and finishing up the day with a free evening concert at 7pm. Bournemouth Archdeacon, the Ven Dr Peter Rouch will be preaching and many of Bournemouth's dignitaries will be joining us for the celebrations. Following the celebratory musical morning mass, we would like everyone to join together for a shared buffet lunch and a glass of fizz, juice, tea or coffee! We have volunteers to cover the food contributions but we now need donations of Prosecco please, to keep the costs of event to a minimum. Please bring your donations to church on any Sunday running up to the event and hand them to a Sides Person or the Duty Warden. Many thanks for helping us demonstrate what a great show St. Peter's can put on!

CONFIRMATION CLASSES - The Rector will be starting confirmation classes for those who would like to be confirmed at the Easter Vigil in Winchester Cathedral, by Bishop Tim, at 8pm, on Saturday, 15th April 2017. Please let him have your name if you would like to be confirmed.

STUDY GROUP, every Friday at 12pm, in the downstairs meeting room in St. Peter's Church. Everyone welcome. Contact Richard Lambert for further details.

PRAYER GROUP – Monday 20th March at 7.30pm, held in the Parish Office in St. Peter's Church. Please do come and join us to keep all that we are about surrounded with prayer. Contact Ian Terry for further details.

Your prayers are asked for:

St Augustin: Sue Agar, Wendy Bule, Nick Carter, Jean Fuller, Michael Hill, Kimberley Page, Avril Turner

St Peter: Menna James, Brenda Giviner, Simon House, Sally Boulter, Ann Passmore, Elizabeth Bennett, Carol Fiddler

St Stephen: Jane Delahunty, Christopher Rowland, Lesley Murgatroyd, Sheila Sturgess, Keith Sutton, Angela Anderson, Joanna Dear, Betty Sessford

ALICE MILLAR – has now joined the St Peter's Development Project Team as project coordinator for the Resurrection Chapel Stone & Voice project. If you see Alice around the church, please introduce yourself and make her feel welcome. She can be reached at stoneandvoice@gmail.com

ARTS 4 DEMENTIA - have launched their new 'Reawakening' programme with weekly music sessions at St Peter's Church. They will run from 14th Feb - 16th May, from 11am-1pm on Tuesdays. These choir & organ rehearsals are for people with mild memory loss and their companions - a musical celebration in the beautiful, historic church where the composer Sir Hubert Parry was baptised, led by Bournemouth Symphony Chorus soprano Gemma Dixon, with organist Timothy Rice. See <http://www.arts4dementia.org.uk/Event/music-at-st-peters-church-bournemouth> for full details. There are not many of us who haven't been touched in some way by this condition, so please do spread the word and encourage those you know to come along and benefit from what has, from the first session, proved to be a beautiful way to spend two hours. All newcomers are very welcome.

PANCAKES & QUIZ AFTERNOON – Tuesday 28th February, 3-5pm in the Annex, St Augustin's Church. Tickets are £3.50. Contact Roger Carter on 01202 294940/07989 291809.

LUNCHTIME CONCERT – Thursday 2nd March, 12.20pm-1.10pm, St Stephen's Church. A selection of light classics for Clarinet and Piano, given by Steven Mingay (clarinet) and Ian Harrison (piano). Light refreshments available. Free admission.

JOHN MITCHELL THANKSGIVING SERVICE – Thursday 9th March, 12.15pm at Wimborne Minster. Please do come and join the family and friends of the late John Mitchell and celebrate the life of the ex chorister of St Peter's from the 1950s and a well-known local singer.

LENTON STUDY - In St Stephen's Hall "the Ellen Berry" room on Thursdays March 9th, 16th, 23rd, 30th and April 6th at 10.30am. The two books chosen are "Dethroning Mammon" by Archbishop Justin Welby and "Hanging by a Thread" by Sam Wells (Vicar of St Martin's in the Field). To obtain the books contact Rosemary Hadland 01202 467239.

ST STEPHEN'S ADCM – Sunday 19th March at 12.30pm, St. Stephen's Church. All welcome.

SPONSORED SKYDIVE - 8th April. Carolyn Emsley, one of St Peter's own, hopes to raise awareness & funds for Macmillan Caring Locally (MCL) through her daring jump! MCL monies are spent in the B'mth/Christchurch/Poole conurbation and not to the national charity. If you wish to donate to Carolyn's Skydive, please do - as every little helps! Visit: www.justgiving.com/Michael-Emsley or see Carolyn or Mike in church.

Collect

Almighty Father, whose Son was revealed in majesty before he suffered death upon the cross: give us grace to perceive his glory, that we may be strengthened to suffer with him and be changed into his likeness, from glory to glory; who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen

Exodus 24. 12-18

The Lord said to Moses, 'Come up to me on the mountain, and wait there; and I will give you the tablets of stone, with the law and the commandment, which I have written for their instruction.' So Moses set out with his assistant Joshua, and Moses went up into the mountain of God. To the elders he had said, 'Wait here for us, until we come to you again; for Aaron and Hur are with you; whoever has a dispute may go to them.' Then Moses went up on the mountain, and the cloud covered the mountain. The glory of the Lord settled on Mount Sinai, and the cloud covered it for six days; on the seventh day he called to Moses out of the cloud. Now the appearance of the glory of the Lord was like a devouring fire on the top of the mountain in the sight of the people of Israel. Moses entered the cloud, and went up on the mountain. Moses was on the mountain for forty days and forty nights.

2 Peter 1.16-21

For we did not follow cleverly devised myths when we made known to you the power and coming of our Lord Jesus Christ, but we had been eyewitnesses of his majesty. For he received honour and glory from God the Father when that voice was conveyed to him by the Majestic Glory, saying, 'This is my Son, my Beloved, with whom I am well pleased.' We ourselves heard this voice come from heaven, while we were with him

on the holy mountain. So we have the prophetic message more fully confirmed. You will do well to be attentive to this as to a lamp shining in a dark place, until the day dawns and the morning star rises in your hearts. First of all you must understand this, that no prophecy of scripture is a matter of one's own interpretation, because no prophecy ever came by human will, but men and women moved by the Holy Spirit spoke from God.

Matthew 17.1-9

Six days later, Jesus took with him Peter and James and his brother John and led them up a high mountain, by themselves. And he was transfigured before them, and his face shone like the sun, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly there appeared to them Moses and Elijah, talking with him. Then Peter said to Jesus, 'Lord, it is good for us to be here; if you wish, I will make three dwellings here, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah.' While he was still speaking, suddenly a bright cloud overshadowed them, and from the cloud a voice said, 'This is my Son, the Beloved; with him I am well pleased; listen to him!' When the disciples heard this, they fell to the ground and were overcome by fear. But Jesus came and touched them, saying, 'Get up and do not be afraid.' And when they looked up, they saw no one except Jesus himself alone. As they were coming down the mountain, Jesus ordered them, 'Tell no one about the vision until after the Son of Man has been raised from the dead.'

Post Communion Prayer

Holy God, we see your glory in the face of Jesus Christ: may we who are partakers at his table reflect his life in word and deed, that all the world may know his power to change and save. This we ask through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen