

THIS WEEK - SUNDAY 3RD MARCH
SUNDAY NEXT BEFORE LENT

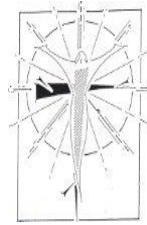
ST STEPHEN	10:45	SOLEMN MASS The Rev'd David Lund
	Readers:	Jenny Hillborne Charlie Claydon
	Intercessor:	Stephen Chappell
	Chalice:	Malcolm Warwick, Trevor Lambe, Dena Coombes
	Setting:	Richmond Hill Mass By Stephen Carleston
	Motet:	Here, O my Lord By Percy Whitlock
	Hymns:	178, 177, 408, 234
ST AUGUSTIN	10:00	HOLY COMMUNION The Rev'd Steve Parselle
ST PETER	08.00	HOLY COMMUNION The Rev'd Steve Parselle
	10:00	SUNG EUCHARIST The Rector
	Preacher:	The Rev'd Dr Paul Collins
	18:30	JOINT EVENSONG AT CHRISTCHURCH PRIORY

MID-WEEK SERVICES

MONDAY 4TH MARCH		
ST PETER	12:15	HOLY COMMUNION - The Rector Resurrection Chapel
WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH		
ST STEPHEN	10:00	ASH WEDNESDAY - The Rector Hymns: 63, 69, 382, 67
ST PETER	19:00	ASH WEDNESDAY - The Rector Hymns: 95, 96, 411, 98, 532
THURSDAY 7TH MARCH		
ST AUGUSTIN	11:00	HOLY COMMUNION The Rev'd Steve Parselle
ST PETER	12:15	HOLY COMMUNION - Keble Chapel The Rev'd Steve Parselle
SATURDAY 9TH MARCH		
ST STEPHEN	10:00	LOW MASS - The Rector

NEXT WEEK - SUNDAY 10TH MARCH
FIRST SUNDAY OF LENT

ST STEPHEN	10:45	SOLEMN MASS Canon John Turpin
	Readers:	Anne Lloyd Stephen Chappell
	Intercessor:	Kathleen Murgatroyd
	Chalice:	Kathleen Murgatroyd, Rosemary Hadland, Fr Peter Huxham
ST PETER	08.00	HOLY COMMUNION The Rev'd Steve Parselle
	10:00	SUNG EUCHARIST The Rector
	Preacher:	The Rev'd Dr Chris Steed
	16:00	EVENSONG The Rector
ST AUGUSTIN	10:00	MATINS Mr Roger Marley



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St Peter
St Augustin - St Stephen

Sunday 3rd March
The Sunday Next Before Lent



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DON'T FORGET...

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

SUNDAY 3RD MARCH – ADCM REPORTS DEADLINE
- ST PETER'S - Please make sure all reports that need to go in to the ADCM full report for the 17th, are with Lisa Babb by today. Thank you!

SUNDAY 3RD MARCH – EVENSONG - NOT at St Peter's Church. At Christchurch Priory at 6.30pm, so please come along and support.

TUESDAY 5TH MARCH - PANCAKE DAY AT ST AUGUSTIN'S - 3pm in the Annexe. Price £3 for 2 traditional pancakes and a cuppa. A healthy, fruity version available at a small supplement. Please come along for some friendly chat over a cup of tea.

WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH – LUNCHTIME RECITAL - St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm. Parry's OPEN

BTCP LENT COURSE

Although the Lent Course (Thursdays, 1- 2pm in the Resurrection Chapel, from 7th March and running for the six weeks of Lent) is open to anyone, those who want to benefit most should order themselves a copy of Rowan Williams book, 'Being Disciples' (currently £7.62, including postage, from Amazon, and keep your reading, thinking, praying about it all at least a week ahead of the course. Rowan offers questions for discussion/reflection at the end of each chapter and we shall use those as 'jumping-off' points in discussion.

THURSDAY 7TH MARCH – LENT COURSE – Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. All welcome. Parry's OPEN for lunch.

SATURDAY 9TH MARCH – LUNCHTIME CONCERT - St Stephen's Church, 11am. Simon Earl - Organ. This is a free concert with retiring collection. Refreshments available.

WEDNESDAY 13TH MARCH – LUNCHTIME RECITAL - St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm. Parry's OPEN

THURSDAY 14TH MARCH – LENT COURSE – Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. All welcome. Parry's OPEN for lunch.

SUNDAY 17TH MARCH – ST PETER'S ADCM - St Peter's Church, 11.30am.

SUNDAY 17TH MARCH – ST STEPHEN'S ADCM REPORTS DEADLINE - Please make sure all reports that need to go in to the ADCM full report for the 31st, are with Ian Harrison by today. Thank you!

WEDNESDAY 20TH MARCH – LUNCHTIME RECITAL
- St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm. Parry's OPEN

THURSDAY 21ST MARCH – LENT COURSE – Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. All welcome. Parry's OPEN for lunch.

SATURDAY 23RD MARCH – CODA FIDDLE LUNCHTIME CONCERT - St Peter's Church, 11.30am. Parry's OPEN

SUNDAY 24TH MARCH – BU & AUB CONCERT - St Peter's Church, 7pm. Bar OPEN

THURSDAY 28TH MARCH – LENT COURSE – Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. All welcome. Parry's OPEN for lunch.

THURSDAY 29TH MARCH - LUNCHTIME JAZZ, SWING & BLUES – St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm. Fedora Cafe. Parry's OPEN

SUNDAY 31ST MARCH – ST STEPHEN'S ADCM - St Stephen's Church, 12.15pm.

THURSDAY 4TH APRIL – LENT COURSE – Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. All welcome. Parry's OPEN for lunch.

SATURDAY 6TH APRIL – LUNCHTIME CONCERT - St Stephen's Church, 11am. Tim Rice - Organ. This is a free concert with retiring collection. Refreshments available.

SUNDAY 7TH APRIL – ROSL CONCERT - St Peter's Church, 4pm. Parry's Café OPEN

THURSDAY 11TH APRIL – LENT COURSE – Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. All welcome. Parry's OPEN for lunch.

MONDAY 29TH APRIL – BTCP APCM - St Peter's Church, 7.30pm.

FRIDAY 3RD MAY - MONDAY 6TH MAY – ST STEPHEN'S MAY FESTIVAL - St Stephen's Church, Multiple music and social events. See separate flyer for full details and to book.

SATURDAY 18TH MAY – LUNCHTIME CONCERT - St Stephen's Church, 11am. David Price - Organ. This is a free concert with retiring collection. Refreshments available.

SATURDAY 18TH MAY – EVENSONG - St Peter's Choir will be singing at Portsmouth Cathedral so please come along and support.

YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:

St Augustin:

Kimberley Page, Vinni Cope

St. Stephen:

Angela Anderson, Bunty Ross, Christopher Rowland, Jane Delahunty, Lesley Murgatroyd, Marion Dennis, Sheila Sturgess

St Peter:

Brenda Ginever, Carol Fidler, David Friel, Elizabeth Bennett, Geoff Halstead, Matthew Simms, Rosemary Miles, Susan Haynes, Toby Wilcox, Val Spence, Vangjijel Gorreju

PREPARATION OF NEW ELECTORAL ROLL FOR 2019

As you may, or may not be aware, every six years each parish is required to prepare a new electoral roll.

A notice will be displayed on or near the main door of each church in the parish from 28th Feb & once the notice is up, the preparation of the new electoral roll begins. We will endeavour to ensure that reasonable efforts are made to let everyone on the old electoral roll know that a new one is being prepared but any help spreading the word would be appreciated!

During the period of preparation of the roll, members on the previous roll need to apply to be included - inclusion is not automatic. New congregants can also apply during this period. You apply by filling out an application for enrolment form that will be available in church during the preparation period. The preparation period of the roll will end on the 14th April, after which time no new names can be added until after the APCM on April 29th 2019.

ST STEPHEN'S MAY FESTIVAL 2019

Before we know it, May Bank holiday weekend will be upon us, and with it will bring the May Music Festival at St Stephen's. Flyers are all at the back of church, with full details of each of the twelve events that are crammed into the three-day festival so please take one and book your tickets from Anne Lloyd. All details of how to do this are on the flyer.

Ian Harrison would also like as many of you as possible to become a 'Patron' of the festival & supporter of the 'Choral Fund', by giving a donation, anything from £25, to keep this festival a thriving annual tradition. Details of how to do this are also on the flyer and if you're a tax payer, this can also be eligible for gift aid! By donating before March 15th, your name will be included in the festival brochure.

WELCOME

Welcome to St Stephen's. Please do make yourselves known to the "Welcomers" at the door. We are very pleased to see you and hope you enjoy the service. Please stay for refreshments afterwards, which are served at the back of church, where you will have a chance to meet members of this community. Toilet facilities are available in the North Porch at the back of church.

REGULAR FIXTURES IN BTCP

MONDAY LUNCH CLUB – Takes place third Monday of every month, 12.15pm in the Annexe at St. Augustin's Church. Please contact Janet Lawrence on 01202 556955 to book. Next lunch is on 18th March 2019. All welcome.

PRAYER GROUP – Parish Office, St. Peter's Church. Usually takes place on the 3rd Monday of the month at 7.30pm. All welcome. Contact Tim Moorhouse (01202 252541) or Ian Terry (07733 336047) for info. The next meeting is on Monday 18th March 2019 at 7.30pm.

TUESDAY CLUB (Card & Board Games) – Takes place every Tuesday, 2pm, in the South Vestry, St. Augustin's Church. All welcome. Just come along and join in or contact Janet Taylor on 01202 540057.

FELLOWSHIP GROUP – 2nd Thursday every month at 10.30am, in the South Vestry, St. Augustin's Church. Chatter with tea/coffee/ biscuits! Plans for our fellowship group include fundraiser ideas! All welcome. Just come along or contact Ros Atkin on 01202 553138.

LENT COURSE - Following on from our February 4-week Sharp Edges course, the Rector and Rob Sawdy, Parish Warden, will be leading our 6-week Lent Course. Like Sharp Edges, the course will run on Thursdays, beginning 7th March, in the Resurrection Chapel, St Peter's Church, 12.50-1.45pm. Parry's Café will be open for lunch.

BIBLE STUDY GROUP – Takes place every Friday at 12pm, in the downstairs meeting room in St. Peter's Church. All welcome. Just come along or contact Richard Lambert: 07404 608603.

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 34.29-35

Moses came down from Mount Sinai. As he came down from the mountain with the two tablets of the covenant in his hand, Moses did not know that the skin of his face shone because he had been talking with God. When Aaron and all the Israelites saw Moses, the skin of his face was shining, and they were afraid to come near him. But Moses called to them; and Aaron and all the leaders of the congregation returned to him, and Moses spoke with them. Afterwards all the Israelites came near, and he gave them in commandment all that the Lord had spoken with him on Mount Sinai.

When Moses had finished speaking with them, he put a veil on his face; but whenever Moses went in before the Lord to speak with him, he would take the veil off, until he came out; and when he came out, and told the Israelites what he had been commanded, the Israelites would see the face of Moses, that the skin of his face was shining; and Moses would put the veil on his face again, until he went in to speak with him.

2 CORINTHIANS 3.12 - 4.2

Since then, we have such a hope, we act with great boldness, not like Moses, who put a veil over his face to keep the people of Israel from gazing at the end of the glory that was being set aside. But their minds were hardened. Indeed, to this very day, when they hear the reading of the old covenant, that same veil is still there, since only in Christ is it set aside. Indeed, to this very day whenever Moses is read, a veil lies over their minds; but when one turns to the Lord, the veil is removed. Now the Lord is the Spirit, and where the Spirit of the Lord is, there is freedom. And all of us, with unveiled faces, seeing the glory of the Lord as though reflected in a mirror, are being transformed into the same image from one degree of glory to another; for this comes from the Lord, the Spirit.

Therefore, since it is by God's mercy that we are engaged in this ministry, we do not lose heart. We have renounced the shameful things that one hides; we refuse to practise cunning or to falsify God's word; but by the open statement of the truth we commend ourselves to the conscience of everyone in the sight of God.

LUKE 9.28-36 [37-43A]

Now about eight days after these sayings Jesus took with him Peter and John and James, and went up on the mountain to pray. And while he was praying, the appearance of his face changed, and his clothes became dazzling white. Suddenly they saw two men, Moses and Elijah, talking to him. They appeared in glory and were speaking of his departure, which he was about to accomplish at Jerusalem. Now Peter and his companions were weighed down with sleep; but since they had stayed awake, they saw his glory and the two men who stood with him. Just as they were leaving him, Peter said to Jesus, 'Master, it is good for us to be here; let us make three dwellings, one for you, one for Moses, and one for Elijah' - not knowing what he said. While he was saying this, a cloud came and overshadowed them; and they were terrified as they entered the cloud. Then from the cloud came a voice that said, 'This is my Son, my Chosen; listen to him!' When the voice had spoken, Jesus was found alone. And they kept silent and, in those days, told no one any of the things they had seen.

[On the next day, when they had come down from the mountain, a great crowd met him. Just then a man from the crowd shouted, 'Teacher, I beg you to look at my son; he is my only child. Suddenly a spirit seizes him, and all at once he shrieks. It throws him into convulsions until he foams at the mouth; it mauls him and will scarcely leave him. I begged your disciples to cast it out, but they could not.' Jesus answered, 'You faithless and perverse generation, how much longer must I be with you and bear with you? Bring your son here.' While he was coming, the demon dashed him to the ground in convulsions. But Jesus rebuked the unclean spirit, healed the boy, and gave him back to his father. And all were astounded at the greatness of God.]

POST COMMUNION

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