

**THIS WEEK – SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
ST STEPHEN'S DEDICATION FESTIVAL & GIFT DAY  
THE TWENTIETH SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY &**

<b>ST STEPHEN</b>	<b>10.45</b>	<b>SOLEMN MASS</b> The Rev'd Dr Rob Sawdy Readers: Diana Shiner, Ruth Marshall Voluntary: Toccata in G - Dubois Hymns: 205, 206, 208, 210 (omit v 4 & 5)
	<b>16.00:</b>	<b>SPECIAL DEDICATION EVENSONG CANCELLED</b>
<b>ST PETER</b>	<b>08.00</b>	<b>COMMUNION</b> The Rev'd Dr Rob Sawdy
	<b>10.00</b>	<b>SUNG EUCHARIST</b> Preside: The Rev'd Canon Michael Smith Sides: Marion Trimby, Jenny Groves Readers: Steve Jones, Helen Ryder Intercessor: Neil Richard Flowers: Rachel Luther Voluntary: "Erhalt uns, Herr, bei deinem Wort" Helmut Walcha Hymns: 500, 300, 621, 398, 308, 466
	<b>16:00</b>	<b>NO EVENSONG AT ST PETER'S</b>
	<b>18:30</b>	<b>SPECIAL DEANERY EVENSONG AT ST LUKE'S CHURCH WINTON</b>
<b>ST AUGUSTIN</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>COMMUNION</b> The Rev'd Dr David Wheeler Readers: Julie Gavin, Simon Dixon Intercessor: Barbara Sparling Hymns: NEH: 437, 366, 296, 294, 476

**WEEKDAY SERVICES**

**WEDNESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**ST STEPHEN 10:00 LOW MASS**  
The Rev'd Dr Paul Collins

**THURSDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER**

**ST PETER 12:15 COMMUNION - KEBLE CHAPEL**  
The Rev'd Robin Harger

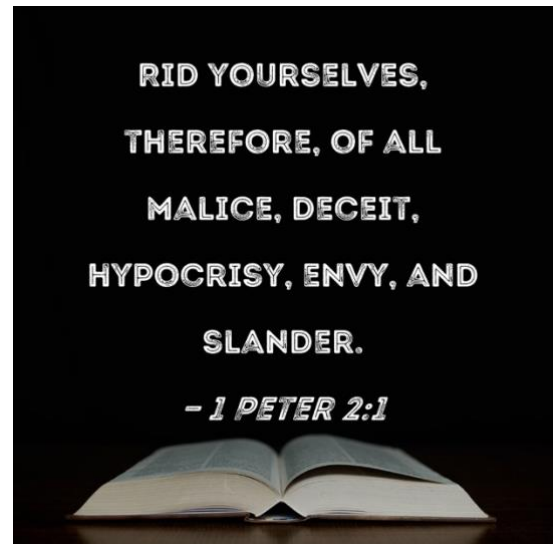
**NEXT WEEK – SUNDAY 20<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER  
THE TWENTY FIRST SUNDAY AFTER TRINITY**

<b>ST STEPHEN</b>	<b>10.45</b>	<b>SOLEMN MASS with BAPTISM</b> The Rev'd Dr Rob Sawdy The Rev'd Robin Harger Readers: Danny Campbell, Roger Anderson
<b>ST PETER</b>	<b>08.00</b>	<b>COMMUNION</b> The Rev'd Canon Andrew Gough
	<b>10.00</b>	<b>SUNG EUCHARIST</b> Preside: The Rev'd Canon Andrew Gough Sides: John Slade, Marion Trimby Readers: Chris Mayne, Ronalyn Richard Intercessor: Mike Emsley Flowers: Ghia Anis, Pauline Burns
	<b>16:00</b>	<b>CHORAL EVENSONG</b>
<b>ST AUGUSTIN</b>	<b>10.00</b>	<b>COMMUNION</b> The Rev'd Dr Chris Steed Readers: Gillian Clearie, Janet Lawrence

**BOURNEMOUTH  
TOWN CENTRE PARISH  
PEW NEWS**

**St Peter  
St Augustin - St Stephen**

**Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> October  
DEDICATION SUNDAY & GIFT DAY**



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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!**

*IF YOU WISH TO BE ADDED TO THE WEEKLY MAILING LIST PLEASE CONTACT THE PARISH OFFICE, AS IT'S A GREAT WAY OF KEEPING IN TOUCH WITH WHAT'S GOING ON IN THE PARISH*

## WELCOME

Welcome to our parish of St Peter's, St Stephen's & St Augustin's. Please make yourself known to one of our Sides People or Duty Warden and we hope you will feel at home with us. All welcome. Please stay on for a cup of tea and a chat after the service! Colouring packs for the children are available in the play area at the back of St Peter's. Please help yourself.

### CHANGE OF EVENSONG SERVICES ON OCTOBER 13<sup>TH</sup>

Remember there will be no 4pm service in St Peter's this Sunday, the 13<sup>th</sup> October, as we will be joining other churches from the Deanery at 6.30pm in St Luke's Church, Winton for a joint deanery evensong service. Ample on-street parking is available and several choirs from churches across the deanery will be taking part. This is a big deal for our young choir, so a supportive attendance would be greatly appreciated by all who can make it and The Rev'd Canon Michael Smith, Area Dean, would love to see you all there!

**Please note the St Stephen's Dedication Festival Day Evensong that was planned for 4pm on Sunday, led by Canon Andrew Gough has been cancelled**, due to unforeseen circumstances! Apologies to anyone who was planning to attend.

### FUNERAL FOR THE LATE REV'D CANON HENRY GLYM JAMES

This will take place on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> October at 2pm in St Nicholas Church, 137 Broadway, BH6 4EP. Simon and Clare (son & granddaughter) warmly invite all of Glyn's friends from the parish to join them and there will be refreshments in the church hall following the service.

### THE REV'D CANON JIM RICHARDSON

Some of you may already have seen this but for those who haven't, Anna Richardson has explored the struggles and losses of battling with dementia. Poignant and sometimes upsetting but well worth a watch if you can.

<https://www.channel4.com/programmes/anna-richardson-love-loss-dementia>

### FOODBANK DONATIONS

This week, there are several critical stock levels on essential items that could use your support with: Peanut Butter, Cream Crackers, Peanut Butter, Tinned Puddings (ring-pull), Tinned Meat (ring-pull); Sweet treats and chocolate. For toiletries, we are especially short of shower gel, shampoo, conditioner, shaving gel/foam, disposable razors, bars/tablets of soap, deodorant. Washing up liquid & strong carrier bags too!

### HARVEST FESTIVAL – 6<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER

Thank you to all who brought in a generous amount of donations last week. Hugely appreciated by the foodbank and its customers.

### GHIA & FRANK'S HARVEST THANKSGIVING BUFFET

A HUGE thank you to Ghia & Frank Anis, plus her friends and children, who generously brought in home-cooked food and provided the congregation with another amazing spread after the main Harvest Thanksgiving service. This was a wonderful act of kindness and generosity towards us all and was befitting of the theme running through what Harvest Thanksgiving is all about. All who stayed enjoyed the feast and friendship! Thank you to you all.

### CHRISTMAS CARDS ON SALE NOW

Marion's Souvenir Stall inside St Peter's is now getting stocked up with Christmas cards (plus cards for all other occasions too!), so please come and see what she has to offer. If you pop in and it is unmanned, the contactless payment point is just to the righthand side of the stall or put your money into the safe next to it.

**YOUR PRAYERS ARE ASKED FOR:** The Rev'd Glyn James RIP, Carol Fidler, Eileen & David Ker, Elizabeth Brochet, Felicity Carter, Ian MacDonald, Joan Schiera, June Deedman, Keith Sturgess, Malcolm Warwick, Mary Durham, Maureen Page, Michael Hill, Paul Higgs, Roger Marley, Rosemary Larkin, Rosemary Simmonds, Thelma Lockwood, Tony Caruana, Val Spence

## REGULAR FEATURES IN BTCP

**PRAYER GROUP** – Usually takes place on the 3rd Monday of the month at 7:30 pm in the Keble Chapel. All are welcome. Please contact Tim Moorhouse (07733 536626) for further details.

**TUESDAY GARDENING GROUP** – St. Peter's Church Grounds. Usually takes place from 9.30am-noon every week, unless the weather prevents it! Tools are provided or bring your own. Just don't forget to dress for the weather of the day and bring your gardening gloves! Refreshments and camaraderie supplied!

**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 Julie Gavin on 01202 556759.

**PARRY'S CAFÉ** – OPEN from 10.30am – 2pm every Wednesday and Friday inside St Peter's Church, from the last Friday in January to the end of December. A range of hot and cold drinks, cakes, snacks and light lunches served daily. All welcome to pop in and enjoy!

**WEDNESDAY LUNCHTIME RECITALS** – Takes place every Wednesday, 12.45pm, St Peter's Church from February to mid-December. Entry is FREE and Parry's Café is open for a light lunch, snacks, hot & cold drinks, cakes and much more!

**ST AUGUSTIN'S MONTHLY COFFEE MORNING** – First Thursday of the month, from 10am-11am, in the church annexe. For more information, contact Roger/Jackie Uren on 01202 778935, or Lisa in the Parish Office: [btcp@live.co.uk](mailto:btcp@live.co.uk)

**ST PETER'S RINGERS** – Practice night Thursday evenings from 7.30pm-9.00pm and regular ringing and social events with other Bournemouth towers. Existing ringers and new learners very welcome, full training available. Please contact our Tower Captain, Peter Murdock-Saint at: [stpetersringers@gmail.com](mailto:stpetersringers@gmail.com)

**FRIDAY LUNCHTIME JAZZ** – Takes place on the last Friday each month, 1-2pm, St Peter's Church. Entry is FREE and Parry's Café is open for a light lunch, snacks, hot & cold drinks, cakes and much more. Sometimes on other Fridays of the month too! So watch out for additional dates!

**ST STEPHEN'S ORGAN RECITAL SERIES** – From Saturday 6<sup>th</sup> April at 11am and are then on the first Saturday of each month through to November. Refreshments are served.

**BIBLE STUDY GROUP** – Every Sunday at St Peter's Church, straight after the main morning service and coffee - around 11.15/11.30am, in the downstairs meeting room. The book of I Corinthians is the topic of discussion, with everyone having the opportunity to contribute or ask questions. Contact Richard Lambert 07404 608603 or [lambertrich@hotmail.co.uk](mailto:lambertrich@hotmail.co.uk)

**SATURDAY 12<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - THE GIN TO MY TONIC GIN, RUM & VODKA FESTIVAL BOURNEMOUTH**

St Stephen's Church  
12-4pm or 6-10pm.

**The best craft gin, rum & vodka festival in Bournemouth. Meet and sample with the best craft distillers.**



Take a 'spirited' adventure with the UK's Best Craft Gin, Rum & Vodka Festival – includes Lemonade. We are uniting hundreds of different craft gins, spirits and distillers under one roof to create what can only be described as one epic celebration! Come along and sample some of the best in the business there is and buy some of your early Christmas presents! Food and drink vendors will be on site, so you can keep yourself topped up with tea and snacks whilst you shop. Think of it as a specialist pre-Christmas Christmas Market.

Tickets £14.99 General Admission or £30 VIP. For full info: <https://thegintomytonic.com/event/gin-festival-bournemouth/>

**SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – CANCELLED – DEDICATION FESTIVAL EVENSONG** – St Stephen's Church, 4pm. Unfortunately the Director of Music has cancelled this special Evensong service due to unforeseen circumstances.

**SUNDAY 13<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – SPECIAL DEANERY EVENSONG** – St Luke's Church, 6.30pm. This is the first deanery evensong in years so join the St Peter's Choir, plus choirs and churches from across the deanery as they come together for this special service. Led by The Rev'd Canon Michael Smith, Area Dean.



**WEDNESDAY 16<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER LUNCHTIME CONCERT**

St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm.  
Sam Hanson will be performing on Piano.  
Entry & Parry's Café open from 10.30am.  
All welcome!

**THURSDAY 17<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – FUNERAL SERVICE FOR THE REV'D CANON HENRY GLYN JAMES** – St Nicholas' Church, 2pm, 137 Broadway, BH6 4EP. All who knew Glyn are warmly invited to join Simon and Clare (son & granddaughter) to celebrate his life and refreshments will be served afterwards in the hall.

**FRIDAY 18<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – FEVER UP CANDLELIGHT CONCERTS**

St Peter's Church

**7pm - A Tribute to Coldplay**

Doors/Bar open from 6.15pm

Tickets: <https://feverup.com/m/184104>

**9pm - Hans Zimmer's Best Works**

Doors/Bar open from 8.15pm

Tickets: <https://feverup.com/m/184105>

Full details in church/on website/on

Facebook but expect all the greats, from

Paradise to Yellow at the 7pm concert and The Lion King to Pirates of the Caribbean at the 9pm concert.



**WEDNESDAY 23<sup>RD</sup> OCTOBER LUNCHTIME CONCERT**

St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm.  
Michael Sidaway is back performing for us! FREE Admission and Parry's Café will be open from 10.30am. All welcome!

**FRIDAY 25<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER – LAST FRIDAY OF THE MONTH LUNCHTIME JAZZ, SWING & BLUES CONCERT**

St Peter's Church, 1-2pm.

We welcome The Karen Pitt Sextet

back to St Peter' to perform.

If you didn't catch this band last year, make sure you don't miss them this time around!

Parry's Café will be open as usual from 10.30am serving a selection of hot and cold drinks, snacks and light lunches.

All welcome to come and enjoy this free monthly toe-tapping treat for the whole community to enjoy!



**WEDNESDAY 30<sup>TH</sup> OCTOBER - LUNCHTIME CONCERT** - St Peter's Church, 1.15-1.45pm. University Music Scholars performing. FREE Admission and Parry's Café will be open from 10.30am.



**SATURDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER ORGAN RECITALS SERIES 2024**

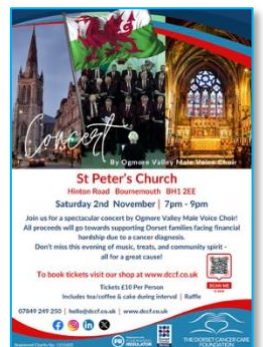
St Stephen's Church, 11am.  
Matthew Kelley, from Canford School and Wimborne Minster will be performing in the final recital of the 2024 series at St Stephen's Church. Doors open at 10.30am, with refreshments served before. All welcome to attend this FREE ENTRY community event although generous donations welcome!

**SATURDAY 2<sup>ND</sup> NOVEMBER THE OGMORE VALLEY MALE VOICE CHOIR CONCERT – IN AID OF THE DORSET CANCER CARE FOUNDATION**

St Peter's Church, 7-9pm.

Join us for an evening of great music, treats and community spirit, with all proceeds going towards supporting Dorset families facing financial hardship due to a cancer diagnosis.

To book tickets either visit the shop at [www.dccf.co.uk](http://www.dccf.co.uk) or scan the QR code. Tickets are £10, which includes tea/coffee and cake during the interval. There is also a raffle!



**SUNDAY 3<sup>RD</sup> NOVEMBER – ALL SOULS EVENSONG** – St Peter's Church, 4pm. This evensong service, led by the former Acting Bishop of Southampton, Bishop Geoff Annas, will see our choir alumni join the current members of the St Peter's Choir. A beautiful service to support all those who are bereaved and to remember those we love and see no longer. In this Feast of All Souls service, we remember with thanksgiving, the people we love who have died. All welcome to come along and join this service of remembrance. The commemoration of the departed on All Souls' Day allows us to remember with thanksgiving those whom we have known directly - those who gave us life, or who supported and encouraged us on life's journey or who nurtured us in faith. During this service, everyone is invited to bring the names of loved ones departed, and to light a prayer candle as our individual commendation to God of those whom we remember but see no more.

## **COLLECT**

*Almighty God to whose glory we celebrate the dedication of this house of prayer: we praise you for the many blessings you have given to those who worship you here: and we pray that all who seek you in this place may find you, and, being filled with the Holy Spirit, may become a living temple acceptable to you; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen***

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### GENESIS 28.11–18

Jacob came to a certain place and stayed there for the night, because the sun had set. Taking one of the stones of the place, he put it under his head and lay down in that place. And he dreamed that there was a ladder set up on the earth, the top of it reaching to heaven; and the angels of God were ascending and descending on it. And the Lord the Lord stood beside him and said, 'I am the Lord, the God of Abraham your father and the God of Isaac; the land on which you lie I will give to you and to your offspring; and your offspring shall be like the dust of the earth, and you shall spread abroad to the west and to the east and to the north and to the south; and all the families of the earth shall be blessed in you and in your offspring. Know that I am with you and will keep you wherever you go and will bring you back to this land; for I will not leave you until I have done what I have promised you.' Then Jacob woke from his sleep and said, 'Surely the Lord is in this place - and I did not know it!' And he was afraid, and said, 'How awesome is this place! This is none other than the house of God, and this is the gate of heaven.'

So Jacob rose early in the morning, and he took the stone that he had put under his head and set it up for a pillar and poured oil on the top of it.

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### 1 PETER 2.1–10

Rid yourselves of all malice, and all guile, insincerity, envy, and all slander. Like newborn infants, long for the pure, spiritual milk, so that by it you may grow into salvation - if indeed you have tasted that the Lord is good.

Come to him, a living stone, though rejected by mortals yet chosen and precious in God's sight, and like living stones, let yourselves be built into a spiritual house, to be a holy priesthood, to offer spiritual sacrifices acceptable to God through Jesus Christ. For it stands in scripture: 'See, I am laying in Zion a stone, a cornerstone chosen and precious; and whoever believes in him will not be put to shame.' To you then who believe, he is precious; but for those who do not believe, 'The stone that the builders rejected has become the very head of the corner' and 'A stone that makes them stumble and a rock that makes them fall.' They stumble because they disobey the word, as they were destined to do.

But you are a chosen race, a royal priesthood, a holy nation, God's own people, in order that you may proclaim the mighty acts of him who called you out of darkness into his marvellous light. Once you were not a people, but now you are God's people; once you had not received mercy but now you have received mercy.

### JOHN 10.22–29

At that time the festival of the Dedication took place in Jerusalem. It was winter and Jesus was walking in the temple, in the portico of Solomon. So the Jews gathered around him and said to him, 'How long will you keep us in suspense? If you are the Messiah, tell us plainly.' Jesus answered, 'I have told you, and you do not believe. The works that I do in my Father's name testify to me; but you do not believe, because you do not belong to my sheep. My sheep hear my voice. I know them, and they follow me. I give them eternal life, and they will never perish. No one will snatch them out of my hand. What my Father has given me is greater than all else, and no one can snatch it out of the Father's hand.'

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## **POST COMMUNION PRAYER**

*Father in heaven, whose Church on earth is a sign of your heavenly peace, an image of the new and eternal Jerusalem: grant to us in the days of our pilgrimage that, fed with the living bread of heaven and united in the body of your Son, we may be the temple of your presence, the place of your glory on earth and a sign of your peace in the world; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen***