

NOTICES:

If you are intending to join Jackie and Andrew Cowie (Emly Deanery Area Dean) in May 2020 for a 10-day pilgrimage, Jackie will need your deposit as soon as possible to secure your place. See the mount of Olives for yourself and visit the **HOLY LAND** to experience the places that we read about in the bible each week. Speak to Jackie for more information.

Join us to hear the performance of this year's summer workshops: **CALIFORNIA SAGA**, Sunday 1 September at our 10 am service.

BRING YOUR OWN PICNIC and a blanket or deck chairs and join us for our **PARISH PICNIC** on Sunday 15 September from 11:30 to 2:30pm after the 10am communion service. We'll be getting together in The Vicarage Garden (If wet we'll be in the church hall). Bouncy Castle and games for children (young and old!)



WILL YOU HELP? We have a great opportunity to make some much needed funds at Alistair Sherwood's concert on Saturday 28 September. Would you be prepared to donate a voucher, alcohol, chocolates, or a new item you'd be pleased to win? If so please pass it to Sarah in the Parish Office. Would you be prepared to coordinate

and manage the raffle? We need someone to gather prizes, set-up the raffle and organise a team to sell tickets on the night. Please speak to Sarah in the Parish Office if you are willing.

We are experiencing a considerable increase in foodbank referrals so our food stocks are depleted. If this continues, we won't have enough food to cover the summer holidays when our gifts are essential to families who receive free school meals. The food we most need is: Tinned peas and carrots / Tin and instant potato / Pasta sauce / Instant noodles / Long life milk / Cereals / Tinned custard and rice pudding / Small sponge puddings / Small jars coffee / Fruit juice / Jams and Spreads. There are collection points in Sainsbury's Walton and Waitrose Hersham, and the warehouse in Faulkners Road is open every Wednesday 10am to 12pm. You are also welcome to leave your donations in the box at the back of church. For more information see the foodbank website



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WELCOME TO THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST. PETER, HERSHAM

Sunday 18th August 2019

The Ninth Sunday after Trinity

All are Welcome

1.

Let us build a house where love can dwell
And all can safely live
A place where saints and children tell
How hearts learn to forgive
Built of hopes and dreams and visions
Rock of faith and vault of grace
Here the love of Christ shall end divisions
All are welcome all are welcome
All are welcome in this place

2.

Let us build a house where prophets speak
And words are strong and true
Where all God's children dare to seek
To dream God's reign anew
Here the cross shall stand as witness
And as symbol of God's grace
Here as one we claim the faith of Jesus
All are welcome all are welcome
All are welcome in this place

3.

Let us build a house where love is found
In water wine and wheat
A banquet hall on holy ground
Where peace and justice meet
Here the love of God through Jesus
Is revealed in time and space
As we share in Christ the feast that frees us
All are welcome all are welcome
All are welcome in this place

4.

Let us build a house where hands will reach
Beyond the wood and stone
To heal and strengthen serve and teach
And live the Word they've known
Here the outcast and the stranger
Bear the image of God's face
Let us bring an end to fear and danger
All are welcome all are welcome
All are welcome in this place

5.

Let us build a house where all are named
Their songs and visions heard
And loved and treasured taught and claimed
As words within the Word
Built of tears and cries and laughter
Prayers of faith and songs of grace
Let this house proclaim from floor to rafter
All are welcome all are welcome
All are welcome in this place

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COLLECT

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

POST COMMUNION PRAYER

Holy Father, who gathered us here around the table of your Son to share this meal with the whole household of God: in that new world where you reveal the fullness of your peace, gather people of every race and language to share in the eternal banquet of Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

8.00 am Holy Communion *Please use Parish Communion service sheet*

Old Testament	Jeremiah 23:23-29	(Bible page 737)
New Testament	Hebrews 11:29 - 12:2	(Bible page 223)
Gospel	Luke 12:49-56	(Bible page 72)

10.00 am Parish Communion

Please use Parish Communion service sheet

During August there will be a children's activity in church during the sermon
See above 8.00am service for the readings.

Hymns:

1. Be still for the presence of the Lord (67)
2. The church's one foundation (636)
3. Let us build a house where love can dwell (front page of this news sheet)
4. Let there be love shared among us (386) Sung twice.

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THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S: *Parish Office closed Thursday and Friday*

Tues - Fri 9.00 am Morning Prayer: You are very welcome to join us regularly or occasionally.

Mon 19th • Sue off-duty
3.00 pm "Foodbank" from 3pm to 5pm, church open for private prayer.

Tue 20th • Jackie off-duty
2.00 pm "Foodbank" from 2pm to 4pm, church open for private prayer.
7.45 pm Bell ringers' practice

Wed 21st 10.00 am Holy Communion
7.30 pm Summer music workshop

NEXT SUNDAY - The Tenth Sunday after Trinity (25th Aug)

8.00 am Holy Communion

10.00 am Parish Communion

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12.00 pm Baptism Service

6.40 pm Refreshments before...

7.00 pm ...**MUSIC TO CALM THE SOUL** - Join us for an hour or so, for soothing sounds and relaxing classical music, designed to ease away the stresses and strains of the week, in the candlelit setting of our beautiful church. Invite your friends and bring a cushion and your slippers.

Tickets are selling well so buy them sooner rather than later to avoid disappointment!

AMERICAN TROUBADOUR SONGS AND STORIES: A concert performed by Alistair Sherwood on Saturday 28 September in church. Pre-concert drinks served from 7pm. Performance 7.30pm. Tickets £10 with £3 going to St. Peter's church roof fund. Look above the middle stained-glass window on the right-hand side of church to see the damage the leak has caused. Help us make this concert a sell-out by inviting your friends. **Tickets on sale after the Sunday 10am service (18 Aug) from Martin Daniels.**

To book your tickets online go to www.ticketsource.co.uk/hersham-pcc