

St Peters Church

Bishops Waltham



St Peter's and Blessed Mary

Sunday 12 September



Dear James

In case you may not have seen last week, the main thing I would like to highlight is the good news that we are resuming a more regular pattern of services:

Sundays

8am - BCP Traditional Communion Service

9am - Choir led Parish Communion Service (4th Morning Worship)

10:30am - Informal band led Service (4th Communion)

Blessed Mary 11am - Village Service

(1st and 3rd Communion, 2nd Family and 4th Informal)

Blessed Mary 6:30pm - Evensong (12th Sept then 4th Sundays)

Weekdays

Blessed Mary Wednesdays 10am - Midweek Communion in various homes - *15th of September at the home of Janet and Barney Dunford* (4th Wednesday of the month via Zoom)

St Peter's Thursdays 10am - Midweek Communion (3rd Coffee and Cake)

As well as services, groups and activities are beginning to return (see below). If you didn't have opportunity to come to the art exhibition 'Faith in Faces' by Lydia Hunt, please do take a moment to pop into St Peter's where it is on display.

This Sunday we continue in our journey in Matthew as we look at the sermon on the mount and how we as Christians might be 'Salt and Light' in the world. We welcome a guest speaker The Revd Dr Joe Boot (M.A., Ph.D.) who is a cultural theologian and founder of the Ezra Institute for Contemporary Christianity (EICC) and will be helping us think about 'Christianity and Culture' today.

With prayers and blessings for this Sunday and the week ahead.

James

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Sunday Morning Coffee and Fellowship



At St Peter's coffee is now being served between the two services from approximately 10.05/10.10am to 10.40am when the 10:30am service will formally start.

If you come to the 9am service, please do stay for coffee afterwards, and if you come to the 10:30am service, do come beforehand from say 10.15am onwards to help stagger everyone. This will enable us all to be served gradually and then enjoy mixing and talking with each other!

We still need two volunteers for the 9.00am 'shift' and three for the second shift. It would be lovely if you could help sometimes.

Di Hunt and Bev Rutter

SAVE THE DATE – CARRIE ON AFRICA RETURNS!

14th October 2021 – 7.30pm St Peter's Church Hall.

You are invited to join me for an informal evening where I will be speaking about my reflection on the last five years in Africa, my future mission work and to say a big thank you! More details to follow in the coming weeks. I'd love to see you there....



St Peter's Church Choir



We've had a great couple of weeks with our sung worship services giving us all a chance to enjoy singing again. If you enjoyed it, and want to sing more, the choir is always happy to welcome new members! If you aren't sure and would just like to give it a go, then you are more than welcome to join us on Friday evening at 7pm for our rehearsal. We will be meeting every Friday now so if you can't make this week you can come along any week. Please speak to Michael or Emma if you have any questions.

Church Fayre - Bottle Stall



Please help!

Empty bottle bags will be available after both Church Services from Sunday September 5th.

Can you please fill bags with bottles - any sort of bottle from **Shampoo to Champagne!**

Please leave filled bags, at any time, in the car port at the Old Pound, Maypole Green

- contact any of the following and we will collect:

Malcolm Wearn - malcolmwearn@hotmail.co.uk

Gaynor Wearn - gaynorwearn@hotmail.co.uk

Paul Emmerson - paulemmerson46@gmail.com

Vanessa Emmerson - vanessaemmerson@hotmail.co.uk

Church Fayre Raffle Prizes

MCCARTHY'S FRUIT HAMPER

**Boutique ME
Make Up Bag**

**Cut and blow dry
at Hair Art**

**ANATOLIAN TURKISH
MEAL FOR 2**

**a set of 3 neff stainless steel
pans from upfields**

**No 60 SHARING BOARD FOR 2
AND A BOTTLE OF WINE**

**HOME COOKED SUPPER FOR
6 (& WINE)**

A beautiful handmade glass ornament

**BOTTLE OF SPARKLING WINE
FROM THE ANVIL**

**Afternoon Tea for
4 delivered to your home**

Tickets are £1 each or £5 for a book available now from Best Wishes card shop, 5 Brook

St Bishop's Waltham.

Church Fayre Window Competition

PRIZES!

Best decorated home window

Best decorated shop/business window



Decorate your window in a
harvest theme and
submit your photo to us by
20th September 2021

Saturday 25th September 2021

st peter's
bishop's
waltham

**Country
Fayre**

Bringing our community together

People for Prayer

RIP

Peter Watkins

Patrick Earl

Peter Watkins funeral - Thursday 23rd September at 1.15pm in Church

All are welcome in church - there are no restrictions.

You are also welcome for refreshments at the Church Hall but to assist Peter's daughter with numbers for catering please could you tell Di Hunt if you plan to join the family there, as soon as you can.

*Please pray for those who especially need our prayers at this time and all those whose names are written in our Book of Requests for Prayer: **Susan Browne, Marilyn Gamblin and Roy King***

*We pray for the families of those Anniversaries of Death fall around this time, who are recorded
in our Book of Remembrance:*

Michele Everest – 12/09/2011

Vera May Stacey – 13/09/2003

Peggy Doreen Dugmore – 15/09/1996

Bruce Cope - 18/09/2017

Phillip Leslie Parry-Morris - 19/09/1966



Meon Valley Food Bank



Thank you for your continued support.

We will be open next Monday between 10 and 12 to receive food donations.

Food can also be dropped off at the following places...

Marks and Spencers Whiteley, Wickham Coop, Wickham Community Centre, Sainsburys

Bishops Waltham. St Peter's Church, Bishops Waltham.

The Jubilee Hall, Little Shore Lane, Bishops Waltham, Pre-loved Treasures, Swanmore.

The items we require for the coming week are:

Tinned meat meals

Instant Coffee 100g

Tinned vegetables, all types

Tinned Fruit

Toothpaste

Cleaning products

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