

Collect for today:

God, the giver of life, whose Holy Spirit wells up within your Church: by the Spirit's gifts equip us to live the gospel of Christ and make us eager to do your will, that we may share with the whole creation the joys of eternal life; 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**

Post Communion prayer:

God our Father, whose Son, the light unfailing, has come from heaven to deliver the world from the darkness of ignorance: let these holy mysteries open the eyes of our understanding that we may know the way of life, and walk in it without stumbling; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Readings for Communion:

Hebrews 4:12-16

Mark 10:17-31

St Peter's Church Sunday 13th October

Twentieth Sunday after Trinity

Sunday 13th October 8:00 am: BCP Communion 10:00 am: Holy Communion Both services led by Revd Sami Lindsey Readers: Val Barba & Hillary Scoppie Prayers: Lynda Gibbs Coffee: Tricia & John Lessells Welcome: Maureen Coomes & Pat Ellson Church Warden: Angela Pitches 4:00 pm: Family Service Led by Revd Linda Harwood & Beth Tearne 7:00 pm: Sunday Sanctuary Monday 14th October

9:30 am: Little Fishes

Thursday 17th October 10:30 am: Holy Communion Led by Revd Linda Hardwood

Sunday 20th October

8:00 am: BCP Communion 10:00 am: Holy Communion Both services led by Revd Linda Harwood & Rhi Brooks

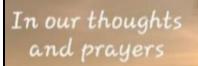
Thursday 24th October

10:30 am: Morning Prayer Led by Diane Purves

Saturday 26th October

10:30 am: Coffee Concert Sunday 27th October

8:00am: BCP Holy Communion Led by Revd Linda Harwood 10:00 am: Holy Communion Led by Rt Revd Martyn Snow 5:00 pm: Choral Evensong Led by Revd Linda Harwood



Pray for the faithful departed and their families, including: Barbara Eglen, John Prosser, Linda Lazarus, Diana Davey, Anthoney Paylor & Mary Witt.

Pray for people who are frail or have long term illness, including: Anne Wills, Eleanor Tissingh, Peter Martin, Helen Bence, Elaine Morton, Rosemary Collict, Alex Hughes & Isabella Cooper.

Pray for people who are unwell in body or mind, including: Freda Brookes, Beryl Starie, Mark Dobson, June Dobney, Barry Simons, Judy Mansfield, Hilda Lewis, Jean Bateman, Ken & Wendy Brown, Revd Jon Tearne, Jill Williams, Bob Wright and Ella-Rose.

Elaine's half marathon was cancelled for Sunday 6th October, so she is now taking part in the Ely half marathon on Sunday 13th October, we wish you luck Elaine, fundraising for Ekojoe Yoga Gardens!

MComms, Q & A (part 2)

..... concluding the notes from the evening with Rev'd Steve Bailey at St. Peter's on 10th Sept. (see also part 1, published 15-09-24)

Q. (as follow-up to the previous question about the number of clergy per Minster Community) *Could Linda be asked to move somewhere else?* A. We don't know, but Linda herself, as a selfsupporting (non-stipendiary) curate, has some autonomy in the matter.

Q. Has it (MComms) been trialled?

A. There have been two pilot studies (Areas 1 & 2) and feedback, in Synod, is promising. Steve is excited that a particular focus is on 'outreach in our communities'.

Q. Could we end up with four ministers all working slightly differently, or will it change again and again? A. Once set up, the groupings 'will be firmly set in stone'. 'The over-arching model will be the same, but the local details will be different.'

Q. Has there been any talk of closures, rurally? A. This is 'a nettle that has not yet been grasped'. The C of E is adamant that there should be 'A Christian presence in every community.'

Q. 'What can two old people do?'

A. 'Pray for the Christian presence in all communities.' 'When it comes to the forming, it will be a lot of work, and it will be crucial that it's done right.'

'Try and help shape it in a positive way...... be a bit more proactive and positive and make it work as best it possibly can.'

Q. Will there be an opportunity to have another update?

A. Yes, after Discernment Day.

Other notes from the evening:

- our Minster model will not be based on one large Resourcing Church, as in Mkt. H'boro'. It will be 'a reimagined model.'
- re. clergy for services of Holy Communion in each church involved, 'All things are on the table'.
- the cathedral is funded by Church Commissioners who manage the assets of the C of E. This funding is quite separate from the churches of the Diocese.

Oadby Food Bank 07723121794. The Food Bank will be open on 18th October & 1st November from 11:30 am to 12:30 pm at Trinity Methodist Church. Donations of food can be placed in the collection box in St Peter's and can also be dropped off at the Methodist Church via Zeph's Café. we would welcome



donations of dried lentils in bags no larger than 500g

A list can be found on the Oadby Food Bank website of

food needed. A big thank you to all for your continued support!

Unfortunately, we cannot accept any fresh foods, alcohol or any foodstuffs which are out of date.

Rev'd Jon Tearne

We want to update you on how Jon Tearne is doing and on some interim arrangements until he is back at work.

Jon is continuing to make progress but is still recuperating from his illness, so it will likely be some weeks before a return to ministry. He and Beth are hugely grateful for the love and prayer they have felt from St Peter's. In the interim, we plan to ensure leadership is in place and maintain momentum with critical activities. Sami Lindsey from St John's has offered to give St Peter's approximately two days per week to ensure oversight is in place. The PCC has gratefully accepted this in the spirit of the ongoing partnership with St John's. Sami will be present roughly two Sundays out of four from October to lead services and preach.

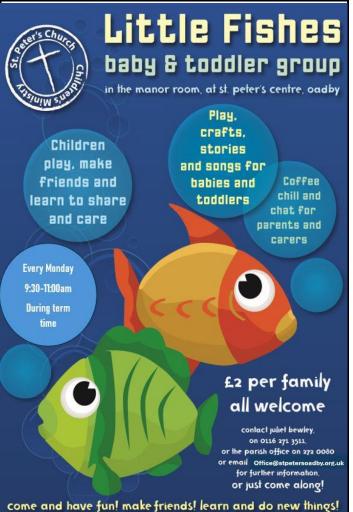
Please speak to Linda, Anne, or Angela if you have questions. Please continue to pray for Jon, Beth, and Eliana as Jon recovers.



All Souls Service 3rd November at 6pm If you would like a name to be read out at this service please let Emma in the office know at <u>ejackson@stpetersoady.org.uk</u> or alternatively talk to one of the church wardens

We'd like to offer John Nicholls our congratulations on his new post, but we are sad to be losing him as our Music Director. If you would like to contribute to his leaving gift, please use the link below

https://stpetersoadby.churchsuite.com/do nate/fund/o3uwoc1n



Internet Links w/c Sunday 13th October 2024 Sunday 10am service. Follow on YouTube: https://youtube.com/live/SYydJoaIW58 **St Peter's Events** http://stpetersoadby.org.uk/home/events/ Retreat 2024 **St Peter's Church Website** A wonderful time was had by all who attended www.stpetersoadby.org.uk this year's retreat at the Hayes Conference St Peter's Church YouTube Channel Centre! youtube.com/@stpeterschurchoadby Whatever we may understand about the St Peter's Church Facebook group page world, God is the mystery at its heart and if https://www.facebook.com/groups/113961 we want to live with God, we must learn to 825357162/ live with mystery. Poem read by Jean Morning Prayer (weekdays on Facebook) https://www.facebook.com/groups/10644 93037269373/ **Church of England Safeguarding Team:** safeguarding@churchofengland.org Parish Office Email & Phone number office@stpetersoadby.org.uk 0116 2720080 Revd Linda Harwood is a part time, selfsupporting (non-stipendiary) curate, her working days are as follows, Sunday, Monday am, Tuesday am, and Thursday am. Linda's contact email is Sunday Iharwood@stpetersoadby.org.uk If you wish to make a donation at St Peter's or payment to St Peter's by bacs the details are as follows ACC: 00011535 Sort code 40 **52 40** Please use a reference to describe the payment. **Notices** 7 ill 8pm Unfortunately, we are no longer collecting

blister packs in church, as we are having difficulty recycling them.

The office will be closed week commencing 21st October due to October half term