

NOTICES FOR SUNDAY JULY 8th 2018
6th AFTER TRINITY

Monday

2.45pm **Ladies' Group** in the Committee Room
7.30pm **Hand Bells** (A group) in the Committee Room

Tuesday

7.30pm **Bible Study** in the Committee Room.

Wednesday

10.00am **Holy Communion.**
8.00pm **BFG meeting** in the Committee Room.
9.00pm **Standing Committee** in the Committee Room.

Friday

9.00 am **Morning Prayer (Said)**

Saturday

10.00am There will be a **Working Party** in and around the church/church hall; there are a number of tasks to address and the more volunteers we have, the quicker each will be done! If you could and would be willing to spare some time during the morning, we would be very grateful please; refreshments will be provided. Thank you in anticipation.....!

Next Sunday – 7th after TRINITY

8.00am Holy Communion
10.0am Parish Communion
6.30pm Evensong

Open church 2018

The church is now open to the public on a Thursday afternoon between 1 and 3pm. Charlie Chadwick kindly organises a rota for people to 'steward' the church. It is preferable that two people at a time do this, and if you are able to help out for a couple of hours, please look for the sign-up sheet at the back of church.

Dates for your diary

Saturday August 4th we will hold our **Summer Tea party**. As always, we will require lots of help please both in terms of donations of cake and in offering lifts to those in need. **There is now a sign-up sheet at the back of church.**

Also on the 4th there is a **concert at 7.00pm in church**; the talented **Darren Hogg** (organ) and **Frank Stubbs** (trumpet) return to give us another wonderful musical soiree. Should be a marvellous evening, so save the day!

WELCOME TO ST. PETER'S CHURCH

*Growing in Love, Deepening Faith,
Working for God, Welcoming All*

To Newcomers:

We are especially glad to see you. By way of introduction please fill in a pew slip and return it to a Sidesperson or contact the Parish Office on 681 1940.

Please join us for coffee served in the hall after the 10 am Service

Please take this notice sheet home.

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SERVICES

8.00am HOLY COMMUNION

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10.00 am PARISH COMMUNION

Common Worship ~ **HA & M** ~ Ledsham

Please note that the side chapel is equipped with toys and soft-play equipment with an audio connection to the service.

Hymn: 156

Gradual Hymn: 144

Sermon: The Vicar

Offertory Hymn: 814

Anthem: Go Forth Into The World With Peace-Rutter

Communion Hymn: 128

Final Hymn: 595

**6.30pm
EVENSONG**

Green Prayer Book ~ **HA & M**

Hymn:664

Psalm: 48

OT Lesson: Jeremiah 20.1-11a

NT Lesson: Romans 14.1-17

Anthem: Lead Me Lord-Wesley

Hymn: 682 (ii)

Sermon: The Vicar

Hymn: 721

RIP

George Rowland

Barbara Higginson

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Collect

Merciful God, you have prepared for those who love you such good things as pass our understanding: pour into our hearts such love toward you that we, loving you in all things and above all things, may obtain your promises, which exceed all that we can desire; 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.

First Reading

2 Corinthians 12.2-10

I know a person in Christ who fourteen years ago was caught up to the third heaven—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows. And I know that such a person—whether in the body or out of the body I do not know; God knows— was caught up into Paradise and heard things that are not to be told, that no mortal is permitted to repeat. On behalf of such a one I will boast, but on my own behalf I will not boast, except of my weaknesses. But if I wish to boast, I will not be a fool, for I will be speaking the truth. But I refrain from it, so that no one may think better of me than what is seen in me or heard from me, even considering the exceptional character of the revelations. Therefore, to keep me from being too elated, a thorn was given to me in the flesh, a messenger of Satan to torment me, to keep me from being too elated. Three times I appealed to the Lord about this, that it would leave me, but he said to me, ‘My grace is sufficient for you, for power is made perfect in weakness.’ So, I will boast all the more gladly of my weaknesses, so that the power of Christ may dwell in me. Therefore I am content with weaknesses, insults, hardships, persecutions, and calamities for the sake of Christ; for whenever I am weak, then I am strong.

Second Reading

Mark 6.1-13

He left that place and came to his home town, and his disciples followed him. On the sabbath he began to teach in the synagogue, and many who heard him were astounded. They said, ‘Where did this man get all this? What is this wisdom that has been given to him? What deeds of power are being done by his hands! Is not this the carpenter, the son of Mary and brother of James and Joses and Judas and Simon, and are not his sisters here with us?’ And they took offence at him. Then Jesus said to them, ‘Prophets are not without honour, except in their home town, and among their own kin, and in their own house.’ And he could do no deed of power there, except that he laid his hands on a few sick people and cured them. And he was amazed at their unbelief.

Then he went about among the villages teaching. He called the twelve and began to send them out two by two, and gave them authority over the unclean spirits. He ordered them to take nothing for their journey except a staff; no bread, no bag, no money in their belts; but to wear sandals and not to put on two tunics. He said to them, ‘Wherever you enter a house, stay there until you leave the place. If any place will not welcome you and they refuse to hear you, as you leave, shake off the dust that is on your feet as a testimony against them.’ So they went out and proclaimed that all should repent. They cast out many demons, and anointed with oil many who were sick and cured them.

Post Communion Prayer

God of our pilgrimage,
you have led us to the living water:
refresh and sustain us
as we go forward on our journey,
in the name of Jesus Christ our Lord.