

# The Parish of Saint Peter le Poer

Diocese of London

## Weekly News Sheet



### 18<sup>th</sup> August 2019 – Ninth Sunday after Trinity

Welcome to St Peter's Church. We extend a very warm welcome to all. Please join us for refreshments in the hall after the Parish Mass.

#### This week's Services

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<b>Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> August</b> <b>Ninth Sunday after Trinity</b>	11am	<b>Parish Mass</b> <b>Revd Johnny Jukes</b>
<b>Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> August</b>	7pm	<b>No Service</b>
<b>Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> August</b>	12:30pm	<b>No Service</b>
<b>Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August</b> <b>Tenth Sunday after Trinity</b>	11am	<b>Parish Mass</b> <b>Revd Matthew Foy</b>

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#### Notices

**Farewell Lunch.** Please note there will be a bring and share farewell lunch for Matthew, Tracey, Hannah and Jacob Foy on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> September at 12:30pm in the vicarage garden (if the weather is inclement it will be in the hall).

**Midweek Services** Please note there will be no midweek services during August

**Music in the Gardens.** Every Sunday afternoon in July & August from 2-5pm at Muswell Hill Methodist Church. See the noticeboard for more information.

**Hymn Selection.** Please could you let us know what your favourite hymns are and we will try and add them to the service list to be sung at an appropriate time. Just let Tim or James know, preferably by email to [office@saintpeterlepoer.org.uk](mailto:office@saintpeterlepoer.org.uk) Next week's readings are at the end of this newsletter and are intended to guide the hymn selection.

**Welcomer Rota.** Please add your name to the welcomer rota on the services rota at the back of the church to indicate what Sundays you are able to assist.

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**First Reading (Jeremiah 23.23-29)**

*A reading from the Book of the Prophet Jeremiah*

Am I a God near by, says the Lord, and not a God far off? Who can hide in secret places so that I cannot see them? says the Lord. Do I not fill heaven and earth? says the Lord. I have heard what the prophets have said who prophesy lies in my name, saying, 'I have dreamed, I have dreamed!' How long? Will the hearts of the prophets ever turn back— those who prophesy lies, and who prophesy the deceit of their own heart? They plan to make my people forget my name by their dreams that they tell one another, just as their ancestors forgot my name for Baal. Let the prophet who has a dream tell the dream, but let the one who has my word speak my word faithfully. What has straw in common with wheat? says the Lord. Is not my word like fire, says the Lord, and like a hammer that breaks a rock in pieces?

**Psalm 82. Response: Arise O God and judge the earth**

**Second Reading (Hebrews 11.29-12.2)**

*A reading from the Letter to the Hebrews*

By faith the people passed through the Red Sea as if it were dry land, but when the Egyptians attempted to do so they were drowned. By faith the walls of Jericho fell after they had been encircled for seven days. By faith Rahab the prostitute did not perish with those who were disobedient, because she had received the spies in peace.

And what more should I say? For time would fail me to tell of Gideon, Barak, Samson, Jephthah, of David and Samuel and the prophets— who through faith conquered kingdoms, administered justice, obtained promises, shut the mouths of lions, quenched raging fire, escaped the edge of the sword, won strength out of weakness, became mighty in war, put foreign armies to flight. Women received their dead by resurrection. Others were tortured, refusing to accept release, in order to obtain a better resurrection. Others suffered mocking and flogging, and even chains and imprisonment. They were stoned to death, they were sawn in two, they were killed by the sword; they went about in skins of sheep and goats, destitute, persecuted, tormented— of whom the world was not worthy. They wandered in deserts and mountains, and in caves and holes in the ground.

Yet all these, though they were commended for their faith, did not receive what was promised, since God had provided something better so that they would not, without us, be made perfect.

Therefore, since we are surrounded by so great a cloud of witnesses, let us also lay aside every weight and the sin that clings so closely, and let us run with perseverance the race that is set before us, looking to Jesus the pioneer and perfecter of our faith, who for the sake of the joy that was set before him endured the cross, disregarding its shame, and has taken his seat at the right hand of the throne of God.

### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

You will be hated by all because of my name, says the Lord,  
but the one who endures to the end will be saved.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

### **Gospel: Luke 12.49-56**

Jesus said to his disciples: 'I came to bring fire to the earth, and how I wish it were already kindled! I have a baptism with which to be baptized, and what stress I am under until it is completed! Do you think that I have come to bring peace to the earth? No, I tell you, but rather division! From now on, five in one household will be divided, three against two and two against three; they will be divided:

father against son

and son against father,

mother against daughter

and daughter against mother,

mother-in-law against her daughter-in-law

and daughter-in-law against mother-in-law.'

He also said to the crowds, 'When you see a cloud rising in the west, you immediately say, "It is going to rain"; and so it happens. And when you see the south wind blowing, you say, "There will be scorching heat"; and it happens. You hypocrites! You know how to interpret the appearance of earth and sky, but why do you not know how to interpret the present time?'



## **Anglican Cycle of Prayer** ([www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer.aspx](http://www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer.aspx))

### **Sunday 18 August 2019**

Pray for the Anglican Church of Southern Africa

The Most Revd Thabo Makgoba - Archbishop of Capetown and Primate of Southern Africa

### **Monday 19 August 2019**

Okinawa (Japan) The Rt Revd David Eisho Uehara

Bukuru (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Jwan Zhumbes

Keewatin (Canada) The Rt Revd David Norman Ashdown

### **Tuesday 20 August 2019**

Oklahoma (The Episcopal Church) Vacant

Bunbury (Australia) The Rt Revd Dr Ian Coutts

### **Wednesday 21 August 2019**

Okrika (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Tubokosemie Atere

Bungoma (Kenya) The Revd George Mechumo

### **Thursday 22 August 2019**

Oleh (Nigeria) The Rt Revd John Usiwoma Aruakpor

Bunyoro-Kitara (Uganda) The Rt Revd Samuel Kahuma

### **Friday 23 August 2019**

Kentucky (The Episcopal Church) The Rt Revd Terry White

Kericho (Kenya) The Rt Revd Ernest Kiprotich Ng'eno

Khartoum (Sudan) The Most Revd Ezekiel Kumir Kondo (Primate)

### **Saturday 24 August 2019**

Kibondo (Tanzania) The Rt Revd Sospeter Ndenza

Kigali (Rwanda) The Rt Revd Louis Muvunyi

Kigeme (Rwanda) The Rt Revd Assiel Musabyimana

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## **Your prayers are asked for:**

***The sick & those in need in our Parish or known to us***

### **Recently Departed:**

### **Anniversaries of Death:**

*Mon:* Florence Adams *Sat:* Stanley Young

*To update these lists, or to receive the sacraments at home, please contact a Churchwarden.*



The readings and psalms for next Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> August (Tenth Sunday after Trinity) are :-

Isaiah 58.9b-14

Psalms 103.1-8

Hebrews 12.18-29

Luke 13.10-17