



# The Parish of Saint Peter le Poer

Diocese of London

## Weekly News Sheet



### 8<sup>th</sup> September 2019 – Twelfth 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 service.

#### This week's Services

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<b>Sunday 8<sup>th</sup> September</b> <b>Twelfth Sunday after Trinity</b>	11am	<b>Parish Communion</b> <b>Revd Philip Sudell</b>
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<b>Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> September</b>	No service today
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<b>Friday 13<sup>th</sup> September</b>	12:30pm	<b>Revd Philip Sudell</b>
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<b>Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September</b> <b>Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity</b>	11am	<b>Parish Communion</b> <b>Revd Philip Sudell</b>
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#### Notices

**Choir.** The Community Choir starts shortly and we hope that many will join in on Monday mornings.

**Craft and Chat - Wednesday 11th September 1.45 to 3.45 pm in the church hall.**

Come along with craft you are doing at the moment or if you would like to learn new crafts. more information please call Alyson on 07931 930180

**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 (Deuteronomy 30.15-20)**

A reading from the Book of Deuteronomy

<sup>15</sup> See, I have set before you today life and prosperity, death and adversity. <sup>16</sup> If you obey the commandments of the Lord your God that I am commanding you today, by loving the Lord your God, walking in his ways, and observing his commandments, decrees, and ordinances, then you shall live and become numerous, and the Lord your God will bless you in the land that you are entering to possess. <sup>17</sup> But if your heart turns away and you do not hear, but are led astray to bow down to other gods and serve them, <sup>18</sup> I declare to you today that you shall perish; you shall not live long in the land that you are crossing the Jordan to enter and possess. <sup>19</sup> I call heaven and earth to witness against you today that I have set before you life and death, blessings and curses. Choose life so that you and your descendants may live, <sup>20</sup> loving the Lord your God, obeying him, and holding fast to him; for that means life to you and length of days, so that you may live in the land that the Lord swore to give to your ancestors, to Abraham, to Isaac, and to Jacob.

### **Psalm 1**

### **Second Reading (Philemon 1-21)**

A reading from the Letter to Philemon.

<sup>1</sup> Paul, a prisoner of Christ Jesus, and Timothy our brother,

To Philemon our dear friend and co-worker, <sup>2</sup> to Apphia our sister, to Archippus our fellow soldier, and to the church in your house:

<sup>3</sup> Grace to you and peace from God our Father and the Lord Jesus Christ.

<sup>4</sup> When I remember you in my prayers, I always thank my God <sup>5</sup> because I hear of your love for all the saints and your faith toward the Lord Jesus. <sup>6</sup> I pray that the sharing of your faith may become effective when you perceive all the good that we may do for Christ. <sup>7</sup> I have indeed received much joy and encouragement from your love, because the hearts of the saints have been refreshed through you, my brother.

<sup>8</sup> For this reason, though I am bold enough in Christ to command you to do your duty, <sup>9</sup> yet I would rather appeal to you on the basis of love—and I, Paul, do this as an old man, and now also as a prisoner of Christ Jesus. <sup>10</sup> I am appealing to you for my child, Onesimus, whose father I have become during my imprisonment. <sup>11</sup> Formerly he was useless to you, but now he is indeed useful both to you and to me. <sup>12</sup> I am sending him,

that is, my own heart, back to you. <sup>13</sup> I wanted to keep him with me, so that he might be of service to me in your place during my imprisonment for the gospel; <sup>14</sup> but I preferred to do nothing without your consent, in order that your good deed might be voluntary and not something forced. <sup>15</sup> Perhaps this is the reason he was separated from you for a while, so that you might have him back forever, <sup>16</sup> no longer as a slave but more than a slave, a beloved brother—especially to me but how much more to you, both in the flesh and in the Lord.

<sup>17</sup> So if you consider me your partner, welcome him as you would welcome me. <sup>18</sup> If he has wronged you in any way, or owes you anything, charge that to my account. <sup>19</sup> I, Paul, am writing this with my own hand: I will repay it. I say nothing about your owing me even your own self. <sup>20</sup> Yes, brother, let me have this benefit from you in the Lord! Refresh my heart in Christ. <sup>21</sup> Confident of your obedience, I am writing to you, knowing that you will do even more than I say.

### **Gospel Acclamation**

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

Speak, Lord, for your servant is listening.

You have the words of eternal life

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia.

### **Gospel (Luke 14.25-33)**

<sup>25</sup> Now large crowds were traveling with him; and he turned and said to them, <sup>26</sup> “Whoever comes to me and does not hate father and mother, wife and children, brothers and sisters, yes, and even life itself, cannot be my disciple. <sup>27</sup> Whoever does not carry the cross and follow me cannot be my disciple. <sup>28</sup> For which of you, intending to build a tower, does not first sit down and estimate the cost, to see whether he has enough to complete it? <sup>29</sup> Otherwise, when he has laid a foundation and is not able to finish, all who see it will begin to ridicule him, <sup>30</sup> saying, ‘This fellow began to build and was not able to finish.’ <sup>31</sup> Or what king, going out to wage war against another king, will not sit down first and consider whether he is able with ten thousand to oppose the one who comes against him with twenty thousand? <sup>32</sup> If he cannot, then, while the other is still far away, he sends a delegation and asks for the terms of peace. <sup>33</sup> So therefore, none of you can become my disciple if you do not give up all your possessions.

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

### **Sunday 8 September 2019**

*Pray for the Province of the Episcopal Church of Sudan*

*The Most Revd Ezekiel Kumir Kondo - Archbishop of the Province of Sudan & Bishop of Khartoum*

### **Monday 9 September 2019**

*Osaka (Japan) The Rt Revd Andrew Haruhisa Iso*

*Canterbury (England) The Most Revd and Rt Hon Justin Welby (Primate)*

*Canterbury (England) The Rt Revd Norman Banks*

*Canterbury (England) The Rt Revd Jonathan Goodall*

*Canterbury (England) The Rt Revd Roderick Charles Howell Thomas*

*Canterbury (England) The Rt Revd Trevor Willmott*

### **Tuesday 10 September 2019**

*Osun (Nigeria) The Rt Revd James Afolabi Popoola*

*Cape Coast (West Africa) The Rt Revd Victor Atta-Baffoe*

### **Wednesday 11 September 2019**

*Osun North (Nigeria) The Rt Revd Abiodun T Olaoye*

*Cape Town (Southern Africa) The Most Revd Thabo Makgoba (Primate)*

*Cape Town (Southern Africa) The Rt Revd Garth Counsell*

*Carlisle (England) The Rt Revd James Scobie Newcome*

*Carlisle (England) The Revd Emma Ineson*

### **Thursday 12 September 2019**

*Osun North East (Nigeria) Vacant*

*Cashel & Ossory (Ireland) The Rt Revd Michael Andrew James Burrows*

### **Friday 13 September 2019**

*Ottawa (Canada) The Rt Revd John Holland Chapman*

*Ottawa (Canada) The Rt Revd Nigel Shaw*

*Central Buganda (Uganda) The Rt Revd Michael Lubowa*

### **Saturday 14 September 2019**

*Otukpo (Nigeria) The Rt Revd David Bello*

*Central Busoga (Uganda) The Rt Revd Patrick Wakula*

*Kisangani (Congo) The Rt Revd Lambert Funga Botolome*

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

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



The readings and psalms for next Sunday 15<sup>th</sup> September  
(Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity) are :-

Exodus 32:7-14

Psalms 51:1-11

1 Timothy 1:12-17

Luke 15:1-10