

The Parish of Saint Peter le Poer

Diocese of London

Weekly News Sheet



24th February 2019 – The Second Sunday before Lent

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

Sunday 24th February The Second Sunday before Lent	11am	Parish Mass Fr Guy Pope
Tuesday 26th February	7pm	Mass Fr Martin Poole
Friday 1st March	12:30 pm	Mass Fr Martin Poole
Sunday 3rd March The Sunday next before Lent	11am	Parish Mass Fr Tom Steel

Notices

Women's World Day of Prayer. This year this is on Friday March 1st and our local service will be held at Our Lady of Muswell Church at 2pm, or 11am at St Joseph's Roman Catholic Church in Highgate. Details are on the noticeboard.

Electoral Roll Forms. This year we are conducting a periodic refresh of the Church Electoral Roll and we ask that all members of the congregation fill in a new form (obtainable from Sue Gilbert) before our APCM on April 14th.

Bishop Sarah. The Bishop of London is visiting the Deanery Synod meeting at Hornsey Parish Church on 26th February. Please see the posters on display for more information. Please let James know if you would like to attend so numbers can be conveyed.

Ash Wednesday. Lent begins on Wednesday 6th March; Mass with Imposition of ashes here at 11am. Please bring in your palm crosses next Sunday to make the ashes.

Quiz Night. St Andrew's Supper Quiz, 2 March 7pm for 7.30pm. £10. If anyone is interested in making up a St Peter's table please speak to Lynne.

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Readings for Sunday 24 February, the Second Sunday before Lent

First Reading (Genesis 2.4b–9, 15–25)

A reading from the book of Genesis.

In the day that the Lord God made the earth and the heavens, when no plant of the field was yet in the earth and no herb of the field had yet sprung up—for the Lord God had not caused it to rain upon the earth, and there was no one to till the ground; but a stream would rise from the earth, and water the whole face of the ground— then the Lord God formed man from the dust of the ground, and breathed into his nostrils the breath of life; and the man became a living being. And the Lord God planted a garden in Eden, in the east; and there he put the man whom he had formed. Out of the ground the Lord God made to grow every tree that is pleasant to the sight and good for food, the tree of life also in the midst of the garden, and the tree of the knowledge of good and evil.

The Lord God took the man and put him in the garden of Eden to till it and keep it. And the Lord God commanded the man, ‘You may freely eat of every tree of the garden; but of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall die.’

Then the Lord God said, ‘It is not good that the man should be alone; I will make him a helper as his partner.’ So out of the ground the Lord God formed every animal of the field and every bird of the air, and brought them to the man to see what he would call them; and whatever the man called each living creature, that was its name. The man gave names to all cattle, and to the birds of the air, and to every animal of the field; but for the man there was not found a helper as his partner. So the Lord God caused a deep sleep to fall upon the man, and he slept; then he took one of his ribs and closed up its place with flesh. And the rib that the Lord God had taken from the man he made into a woman and brought her to the man. Then the man said,

‘This at last is bone of my bones and flesh of my flesh;
this one shall be called Woman, for out of Man this one was taken.’

Therefore a man leaves his father and his mother and clings to his wife, and they become one flesh. And the man and his wife were both naked, and were not ashamed.

PSALM 65.

Second Reading (Revelation 4)

A reading from the book of Revelation

After this I looked, and there in heaven a door stood open! And the first voice, which I had heard speaking to me like a trumpet, said, 'Come up here, and I will show you what must take place after this.' At once I was in the spirit, and there in heaven stood a throne, with one seated on the throne! And the one seated there looks like jasper and cornelian, and around the throne is a rainbow that looks like an emerald. Around the throne are twenty-four thrones, and seated on the thrones are twenty-four elders, dressed in white robes, with golden crowns on their heads. Coming from the throne are flashes of lightning, and rumblings and peals of thunder, and in front of the throne burn seven flaming torches, which are the seven spirits of God; and in front of the throne there is something like a sea of glass, like crystal.

Around the throne, and on each side of the throne, are four living creatures, full of eyes in front and behind: the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with a face like a human face, and the fourth living creature like a flying eagle. And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and inside. Day and night without ceasing they sing, 'Holy, holy, holy, the Lord God the Almighty, who was and is and is to come.' And whenever the living creatures give glory and honour and thanks to the one who is seated on the throne, who lives for ever and ever, the twenty-four elders fall before the one who is seated on the throne and worship the one who lives for ever and ever; they cast their crowns before the throne, singing, 'You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.'

Gospel acclamation

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

As he who called you is holy, be holy yourselves in all your conduct, for it is written, 'you shall be holy, for I am holy'.

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Gospel (Luke 8.22–25)

One day Jesus got into a boat with his disciples, and he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side of the lake.' So they put out, and while they were sailing he fell asleep. A gale swept down on the lake, and the boat was filling with water, and they were in danger. They went to him and woke him up, shouting, 'Master, Master, we are perishing!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and the raging waves; they ceased, and there was a calm. He said to them, 'Where is your faith?' They were afraid and amazed, and said to one another, 'Who then is this, that he commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him?'

Anglican Cycle of Prayer (www.anglicancommunion.org/resources/cycle-of-prayer.aspx)

Sunday, 24 February 2019

Pray for the Iglesia Anglicana de la Region Central de America

The Rt Revd Julio Murray Thompson - Primate of IARCA & Bishop of Panama

Monday, 25 February 2019

Malakal (South Sudan) The Most Revd Hilary Garang Deng (Diocesan Bishop), The Rt Revd John Gattek (Diocesan Bishop),

The Rt Revd Peter Gatbel Kunen (Assistant Bishop), The Rt Revd David Kiir Mayath (Assistant Bishop)

Toamasina (Indian Ocean) The Rt Revd Jean Paul Solo (Diocesan Bishop)

Tuesday, 26 February 2019

Malek (South Sudan) The Rt Revd Peter Joh Abraham Mayom (Diocesan Bishop)

Tohoku (Japan) The Rt Revd John Masato Yoshida (Diocesan Bishop)

Wednesday, 27 February 2019

Malek Rup (South Sudan) The Rt Revd Peter Marial Agok (Diocesan Bishop)

Toliara (Indian Ocean) The Rt Revd Todd McGregor (Diocesan Bishop), The Rt Revd Samitiana Jhonson Razafindralambo (Assistant Bishop)

Thursday, 28 February 2019

Malindi (Kenya) The Rt Revd Lawrence Dena (Diocesan Bishop)

Tonj (South Sudan) The Rt Revd Peter Yuol Gur (Diocesan Bishop)

Friday, 1 March 2019

Manchester (England) The Rt Revd David Walker (Diocesan Bishop), The Rt Revd Mark David Ashcroft,

The Rt Revd Mark Davies

Torit (South Sudan) The Most Revd Bernard Oringa Balmoi (Diocesan Bishop), The Rt Revd Martin Abuni (Assistant Bishop),

The Rt Revd Isaac Deu Chon (Assistant Bishop)

Saturday, 2 March 2019

Mandalay (Myanmar) The Rt Revd David Nyi Nyi Naing (Diocesan Bishop)

Toronto (Canada) The Rt Revd Jennifer Andison, The Rt Revd Peter Fenty, The Rt Revd Kevin Robertson,

The Rt Revd Riscylla Shaw, The Most Revd Colin Robert Johnson (Diocesan Bishop), The Very Revd Andrew Asbil

Your prayers are asked for:

The sick & those in need in our Parish and known to us

Recently Departed: Gloria Gayarre

Anniversaries of Death:

Tue: Joan Currie, Lawrence Jack, Douglass Ross (Priest) *Wed:* James Weaver

Thu: Jean Manning *Fri:* Franie Hannem, Grace Ottway

Sat: Harriet Gilbert née Sands

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



This week the Blessed Sacrament lamp burns as a sign of prayer for growth in the mission of the church, and the Lady Chapel lamp for all in long-term care and their carers.

To dedicate a lamp for a week, please speak to one of the Churchwardens