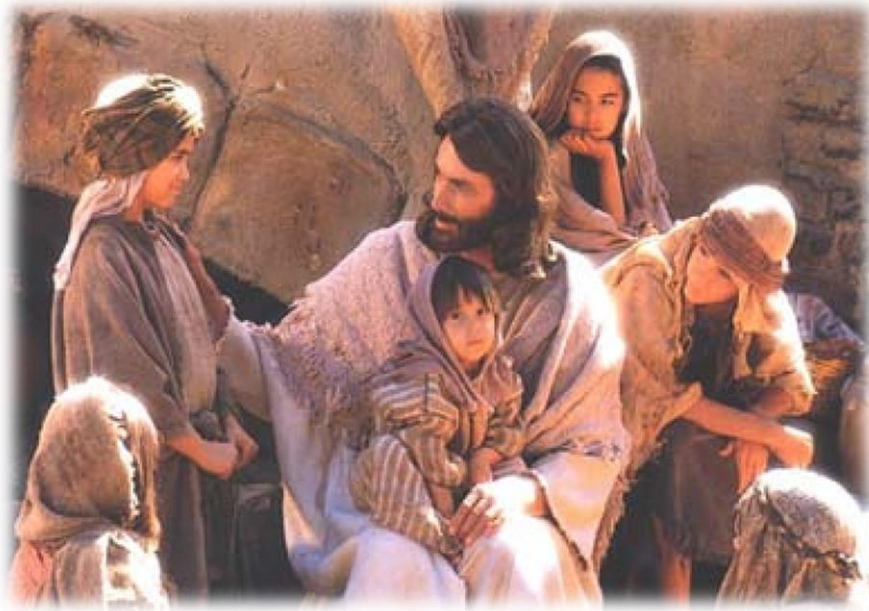




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If you would like to receive personal prayer, please come to the front, when invited, or speak to a member of the ministry team, who will arrange for someone to pray with you.

Please join us after the service for coffee or tea and chat. If you are visiting St. Peter's Church for the first time please make yourself known to us.

If you would like to receive notices and other info electronically, please email office@stpeterschertsey.org.uk and Christine will add you to the distribution list.

21st October 2018

9 am Holy Communion: Eils

10.30 am Informal Worship with communion: Tim & Eils

10.30 am Service at Penton Park: David

4.30pm Alternative Easy Church: Sue

HALF-TERM WEEK AT A GLANCE

Monday 22nd October

- 9.15am Prayers
- 11.30am Stay and Play, Lunch, Coffee and Chat in the hall (for families with additional needs)
- 8pm *Crossover* Home Group meets at *Crossover Cottage*

Tuesday 23rd October – Team Away Day

- 6pm Brownies Sleepover at Paxmead
- 8pm Home Groups meet

Wednesday 24th October

- 9.15am Prayers
- 7pm *God and Friends* Home Group meets
- 8pm Bell-ringing practice
- 8pm Men's Group meet in the *Shack*

Thursday 25th October

Friday 26th October

- 9.30am Holy Communion
- 10am Coffee Break – bring friends for coffee, cake and friendship 😊

Saturday 27th October

- 9am *Zumba* in the hall (call Tracie 07467 943934 to book)

Sunday 28th October

- 9am Communion
- 10.30am Informal Worship
- 10.30am Morning Service at Penton Park



shoebox appeal is underway. Thank you to those of you who have brought in gifts/shoebboxes, just **2 more weeks** to get your boxes filled, wrapped and dropped off at the church before they begin their journey to *Families and the Elderly in Eastern Europe*. If you've not done so already please pick up a leaflet from the display at the back of the church, this gives all the info you need about the two different types of boxes, including a list of contents with ideas as to what to include. Please take your completed boxes to the office. If you can't make up a full box please leave your donations in the box at the back of church or take to the office. Our aim is to collect at least **80** filled shoebboxes to qualify for a free collection. The last date for bringing in filled boxes is **SUNDAY 4th NOVEMBER**. Contact Louise Raven on 07751 324497 / the.ravens@gmail.com with any questions.



We pray for our world, our country, the local community, the recently bereaved and for those known to us personally who are suffering. We continue to pray for Richard, Lyn and Jacob Stoker and Christopher Court. Please pray for the St. Peter's ministry and staff team during this very busy autumn season. And we pray for safe travel and a relaxing and fun-filled week for all children and their families taking a half-term break.

There will be a **Light and Laughter Party** on **Wednesday 31st October, 4-6pm.** Video, craft activities, games, food and a story. Speak to Annie if you can help.



24/7 prayer room will be open during the week leading up to **Remembrance Day**, praying for peace, both global and local. This will begin with a prayer and worship meeting **8 - 9pm** on **2nd November** and runs until **9am, Sunday 11th November**. Speak to Matt for more info or www.24-7prayer.com/signup/60a1c2 to book.

'When Heaven Met Earth – a time to be quiet and meet with God', led by one of our former curates, Barbara Steadman-Allen, **Saturday 17th November, 10am – 12.30pm** at the Abbey followed by an optional bring and share lunch.



The BIG QUIZ 2018 supporting **Tearfund**, takes place on **Saturday evening, 17th November**. Please join us for a fun-filled evening, which will be timed to coincide with similar events throughout the nation, suitable for 13 years and over. Tickets **£5** on the door to include soft drinks, doors open at **7pm**, first round at 7.45pm – don't be late!. Bring your own alcohol. There will also be a raffle.



Funding our Ministries - St. Peter's Church is 100% self-sufficient including stipends, salaries and buildings. We therefore depend upon the generous financial giving of our church. We are a church, which is growing steadily and are looking to a rise in expenditure of around 23% over the next two years. We have very tight financial controls and tithe over 10% of our income each year. Please consider joining our **Planned Giving Scheme**. Details can be found at the back of the church. Please also see the details about leaving a legacy to St. Peter's. Please consider prayerfully whether you can increase the level of your planned giving, or join the scheme for the first time. If you are a taxpayer, we can reclaim an additional 25% from the Inland Revenue.

A big thank you from the Runnymede Foodbank for your very generous donations at the Harvest Services. They weighed in at 165 kgs. Many local people will be blessed. Thank you ☺



Coming Events – dates for your diary:

Weds 31 st Oct	4 – 6pm	Pumpkin Heroes in the hall
Fri 2 nd Nov	8pm	24/7 Prayer week begins with worship and prayer in church
Sun 4 th Nov	6.30pm	Thanksgiving and Light Service in the church
Sun 11 th Nov	9am	24/7 Prayer concludes
Sun 11 th Nov	10am	Civic Service for Remembrance Day in the church
Weds 14 th Nov	11am	Meeting with the Haberdashers Company
Sat 17 th Nov	10-12.30	'When Heaven met Earth' Retreat at The Abbey
Sat 17 th Nov	7pm	Tearfunds 'The Big Quiz 2018'

We would like to form a *Bible Art Journalling Group*. Interested? Please complete the sign-up sheet at the back of the church indicating your preferred meeting time.

We will be having a **Maintenance Morning** on **Saturday 3rd November** from **9am** to tidy the Church and grounds in preparation for remembrance weekend and the winter. Please come for an hour, or however long you can spare, to help tidying the garden, clearing leaves, weeding etc. Please bring your favourite gardening equipment.

Chertsey Museum have two children's activity days, Tues 23rd & Thurs 25th Oct 11am-12nn or 2-3pm for 6 to 12 year olds. (5 year olds if accompanied by an adult) Contact museum to book 01932 565764 / www.chertseymuseum.org. Payment to be made when booking.

Guildford Cathedral *70 Years of the NHS* Choral Evensong this evening (**Sunday 21st**).



Guildford Diocese are looking to recruit an Interim Property Director and an HR Partner, (both roles within the diocesan staff team). Details can be found at <https://www.cofeguildford.org.uk/about/vacancies/non-clergy-vacancies>

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