



# The Catch



Weekly News sheet for St Peter's Church, in the Parish of Ipsley

Trinity Sunday

WELCOME TO ST PETER'S

11th June 2017

**Collect for the week:** Holy God, faithful and unchanging: enlarge our minds with the knowledge of your truth, and draw us more deeply into the mystery of your love, that we may truly worship you, Father, Son and Holy Spirit, one God, now and forever. Amen

## PREACHING THEMES FOR TODAY

**9.45am** Simon, Andrew, James and John. Workers

John 1: 35-42

**11.15am** Theme: **Who is God**

Isaiah 40: 27-31

John 14: 22-31

**6.30pm** Trinity Sunday

**Car Parking:** Please ensure that you only use the 2 levels of designated car parking or at GKN. If you're not sure please ask.

## Today's Services

- 9.45am Contemporary Worship
- 11.15am Morning Worship
- 6.30pm Holy Communion with anointing

## DIARY FOR THE WEEK

9.00am	Morning Prayers	<b>Mon 12</b>
2.00pm	Craft Group	
9.00 am	Morning Prayers	<b>Tue 13</b>
9.00am	Holy Communion	<b>Wed 14</b>
7.30pm	Pilgrim Course	
9.30am	Informal communion & coffee morning @ St John's	<b>Thu 15</b>
10.00am	Little Miracles	
7.30pm	Parish Ministry Team	
9.00am	Morning Prayers	<b>Fri 16</b>
6.30pm	Ignite	
7.00pm	Bell Ringing	
9.30am	Churchyard Clean Up	<b>Sat 17</b>
9.45am	Holy Communion	<b>Sun 18</b>
11.15am	Holy Communion	
6.30pm	Evening Worship	

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### Christian Aid Week 2017

A big thank you for every contribution made to this year's effort: cakes baked, money collected or donated, walk sponsored or undertaken and prayer.

A number of volunteers from the various congregations undertook the traditional house to house collecting in some areas of the parish. In addition, many people made a personal donation. The total from envelopes so far is: £635.52.

A slightly more ambitious sponsored walk was undertaken this year to supplement the envelope collections. The group left Worcester Cathedral at 8am with some fanfare and arrived at St Stephen's church, Redditch, 22 miles later, at about 5.30pm. Shorter versions of the walk were 7.5 miles from Stoke Pound, 5 miles from St Bartholomew's, Tardebigge and 2.5 miles from St Philip's, Webheath. The weather, starting very sunny, quickly became less fair, not to mention, soggy at times.

In the meantime Afternoon Tea began at 3.30pm, the venue and a number of helpers being provided by St Stephen's. A small number of folk attended, one of whom, from another church, noticed our publicity and came in. Everyone enjoyed spending time together, catching up or getting to know each other. However, the big moment came when the walkers arrived to great applause. £72.70 was raised from the Tea alone. Left over cakes were offered for a donation on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup>, (£31) giving a grand total of £103.70.

Once again huge thanks to everyone who contributed including those who trudged the closes from door to door and, of course, all 35 people who made that walk of any length. The current total raised from the walk is £637, giving a total of £1480.70 so far.



**Pilgrim Course** will be starting again this coming Wednesday June 14th at 7:30pm in the Huband Room. This course is called "The Bible". Please try to be there if you possibly can.

[www.facebook.com/groups/StPetersRedditch/](http://www.facebook.com/groups/StPetersRedditch/)

## “ALWAYS KEEP ON PRAYING” for:



**Juan Carlos and Penny Marces in Peru:** Their work at Jesus el Nazareno, pray for those who are affected by the recent flooding and mudslides;

**Those who are sick:** Lily-Mai Bishop, Kathy Eden, David Kollar, Barbara Sayer, Malcolm Smith, June Wilsnagh, Claire Stearn, Betty Wood, Kate Bainbridge;

**Those recovering from surgery:** Michael Able, Cherry Gilks, Chris Tilley;

**Those who grieve:** Families of Coptic Christians killed in Egypt;

**Our Nation:** For our elected politicians as they try to form a new government with Brexit negotiations starting soon, for all those affected by the tragedies in Manchester and London and the ongoing investigations;

**Migration Crisis:** For Alice (Hilda Russell’s granddaughter) working with Syrian refugees abroad;

**Parish Prayers:** Foxcote Close, Winyates; Illshaw Close, Winyates Green; Claybrook Drive, Matchborough; Wishaw Close, Greenlands; Ryton Close, Matchborough;

**CPAS:** Their new initiative “Venture in Schools” which started in May as part of taking the gospel into schools, their work as a “Patronage Society” offering support enabling mission and training leaders;

- **Building** on the successful day of 25th March we will be holding another work party on **Sat 17 June** from 9-30 am, when hopefully those who were unable to come in March might join us to continue improving the Church grounds.
- **Summer Social Activities:** We need volunteers for summer socials this year. We like to have one for each weekend (either Friday night, Saturday or Sunday). It is good to be able to spread the load and we would be really grateful for any who might like to open up their home or garden for some activity (you decide!), or to come up with an idea for something else, but preferably away from the Huband room /church. If you have ideas please share them with Jacqui Street, Felicity Melley, Di Veal or Mary Shaw or email [suej\\_wellfield@hotmail.com](mailto:suej_wellfield@hotmail.com)
- **Damage to roof:** Repair to the connecting roof is being dealt with by the DCC. A temporary cover is in place.
- **Tradecraft:** The next Tradecraft stall will be on Sunday June 18th.

Summer Fun day - Saturday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2pm – 5pm

**HELP!!** Still Needed for the day

Several dress makers dummies for Church displays

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**St Peter's church** is part of the Team Parish of Ipsley which consists of St Peter's Ipsley, St John's Greenlands and Christ Church Matchborough.

### CONTACTS

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Notices for "The Catch" to: the office

### PASTORAL CARE TEAM:

9.45am Service Rhoda Lingard  
Lynne Davis  
11.15am Service Chris McLaren  
6.30pm Service Heather Berry

If you have any concerns please contact the above and let Chris McLaren as team leader know as well.

### HOUSE GROUPS

Tues am: Chris Tilley 528914  
Tues pm: Linda Nicholas 451635  
Tues eve: Judy Bainbridge  
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Wed eve: Judy Evans 404522  
For further information please contact the group leader.



### Children's Activities @ St Peter's

Kids Zone twice a month in  
St. Peters@9:45

#### Weekday Clubs:

- *Scramblers for 0-5 years on Mondays*
- *Little Miracles: twins, triplets and more 0-5 years on Thursdays*
- *Ignite for 7-11 years on Friday evenings*