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**St Peter Woking**  
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**Notes  
& News**

**Sunday 7 April 2024**  
**Easter 2**

**\* CMS MISSION SUNDAY – NEXT SUNDAY 14 APRIL – NEW \***

Next Sunday is an opportunity to hear more about the ministry of our CMS Mission Partners Sarah and Simon Cawdell who are based in Uganda, to pray for them and to give towards their ministry. We aim to give £1000 per year to support their work so there will be opportunities to give at the services in church and online. More details next week.



**\* ANNUAL MEETINGS \***

This year we are again combining our annual church meetings, usually held at each church, with our Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) which will be held after our Parish United Service on Sunday 28 April at 10.00am at St Peter's when there will be no Morning Services at All Souls' and St Mark's.

**Today is the last day for submitting Electoral Roll application forms – see notice on page 6.**

Nomination forms for council roles will be available from next week.

**Sunday 7 April 2024**  
**Easter 2**

**All Souls' 9.30am MORNING WORSHIP (CW)**

HYMNS 77 Christ triumphant  
373 Jesus lives! Thy terrors now  
501 O Jesus I have promised  
728 We have a gospel to proclaim

PSALM 133 said from the church Bible (p625)

FIRST READING John 20: 19-31 (p1089)

SECOND READING Acts 4: 32-35 (p1096)

**St Peter's 10.00am HOLY COMMUNION (CW) and Sunday School**  
*(This service will be livestreamed)*

HYMNS 367 Jesus is Lord  
760 When we walk with the Lord  
988 How deep the Father's love for us  
109 Crown Him with many crowns

For the EPISTLE Acts 4:32-35 (p1096)

GOSPEL John 20: 19-31 (p1089)

**St Mark's 11.00am MORNING WORSHIP (CW)**

HYMNS 30 Allelulia, allelulia, give thanks to the risen Lord  
220 He is Lord  
554 Peace is flowing like a river  
456 Make me a channel of your peace  
266 I cannot tell

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SECOND READING Acts 4: 32-35 (p1096)

**Please note:** There is no evening service at St Peter's this week

**\* THIS WEEK PLEASE PRAY FOR ...\***

Mary Angus, Wendy Aplin, Eileen & Peter Bliss, Alison Cole, Lynda Kirk, Eric Rice, Carol & Brian Whitehorn, and Mary & Geoff Williams.

**\* ST PETER'S PREMISES COMMITTEE – NEW MEMBER REQUIRED \***

Do you know of someone who knows a bit about buildings, DIY or gardening? St Peter's needs a new member of the premises committee who can advise on and maybe help with issues to do with the church buildings and churchyard. We meet three times a year. If you can help, or know someone who can, please contact Pauline or Jonathan.

**\* ACCESSING OUR LIVESTREAMED SERVICES \***

The Sunday morning services are livestreamed from St Peter's most weeks on YouTube at 10.00am except the 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday when they usually come from St Mark's at 11.00am via [www.stpeterwoking.org/sundaylive](http://www.stpeterwoking.org/sundaylive) which provides a link to YouTube, a service sheet and other information about the service

**\* JENNY'S JOTTINGS \***

*During Holy Week, a number of us met for a Parish Prayer Meeting, focusing on praying for peace. If you don't usually attend prayer meetings, I would really encourage you to do so – praying together is powerful and encouraging, and something that we should all be prioritising.*

*But for me, the timing of this meeting was also very poignant, as we approached the events of Easter weekend. From the betrayal, friend turning on friend, we see on Maundy Thursday, to the pain and death of Good Friday. We see these reflected in conflicts across the world today. For many of us, watching those events feels like the in-between of Holy Saturday. The mourning, the confusion, the uncertainty. The knowledge that one day there will be no more war, but we are not there yet.*

*But we also look to Easter Sunday – our reminder that from death can come a miracle. That all things are possible. That God's power knows no bounds. If he can raise from the dead, then surely he can raise peace and unity from even the darkest of situations.*

*So, as we remember the events of Easter – I encourage you to continue praying for peace. For Ukraine and Russia, Gaza and Israel, Haiti, Sudan, Myanmar, Ethiopia, and many other places around the world.*

*Jenny*

**\* MORNING PRAYER BIBLE READINGS – UPDATED \***

Monday 8 April	Psalms 130,131	Exodus 15: 1-21
Tuesday 9 April	Psalms 20	Exodus 15:22 – 16:10
Wednesday 10 April	Psalms 119: 1-24	Exodus 16: 11-end
Thursday 11 April	Psalms 15	Exodus 17
Friday 12 April	Psalms 57	Exodus 18

**To join Morning Prayer on Zoom**

**enter Meeting ID: 498 905 544 Passcode: 668876**

**On Thursdays we usually meet in person at St Peter's**

**\* GOOD NEIGHBOUR SCHEME \***

If you want to give something back to your community, come and find out about helping with a new Good Neighbour Scheme for the Hoe Valley area. There are over 100 good neighbour schemes across the county, providing community-based support for people who need help with some of the basics of day-to-day living or who may not have easy access to transport.

A new scheme for Hoe Valley may include:

- Transport to visit friends or to attend doctor, dentist, hospital or optician appointments
- Shopping
- Prescription collection
- Form filling
- Anything a good neighbour would do

Anyone interested in finding out more about setting up a new scheme is invited to attend an informal meeting on Tuesday 9 April (10.30am – 11.30am) or Tuesday 16 April (7.30pm – 8.30pm) at Old Woking Community Centre, Sundridge Road, GU22 9AT.

For more information, contact Jonathan

**\* DATE FOR YOUR DIARY \***

We will be having a churchyard working party to tidy the churchyard and the church centre car park on Saturday 27 April from 9.00am to 12 noon. Please keep this date free. More details nearer the day. Pauline Wilde

**Sunday 14 April 2024**

**Easter 3**

<b>All Souls'</b>	<b>9.30am</b>	<b>Holy Communion (CW)</b>
<b>St Peter's</b>	<b>10.00am</b>	<b>Morning Worship (CW) with the Band</b> <i>This service will be livestreamed</i>
<b>St Mark's</b>	<b>11.00am</b>	<b>Holy Communion (CW)</b>
<b>St Peter's</b>	<b>6.30pm</b>	<b>Evening Prayer (BCP)</b>

**\* REVISION OF THE CHURCH ELECTORAL ROLL \***

We are entering another period of revision of the Church Electoral Roll, which needs to be revised before the Annual Meeting on 28 April. If you are resident in the parish or have attended public worship regularly at one of our churches in the past six months and you are baptised and aged 16 or over, you can now be added to our Electoral Roll, which is like a membership list. Please fill in an application form, available in each church, sign it and return it to me or one of the churchwardens.

You can then attend the Annual Parochial Church Meeting where the elections take place for the churchwardens and church council representatives. If you are already on the Electoral Roll, please let me know if any of your details have changed since last year.

**The closing date is TODAY!** – Brigitte Morton, Electoral Roll Officer, 70 Elmbridge Lane, Woking, email: [brigitte.morton@sky.com](mailto:brigitte.morton@sky.com)

**\* FAMILY MOVIE NIGHT – THURSDAY 11 APRIL**

**4.30pm at ST MARK'S \***

Another one of our popular FREE movie nights with popcorn, nuggets & chips and drinks. Sign up at [www.stpeterwoking.org/movienight](http://www.stpeterwoking.org/movienight) and invite friends. The film will be "The Prince of Egypt".

**\* PIANO CONCERT WITH MATTHEW RICKARD \***

**Sunday 21 April at 3.00pm at St Peter's**

Many of you know that our former organist, Matthew Rickard, plays for Farnham Youth Choir, who have given concerts at St. Peter's before. In July, the choir (with Matthew) will be travelling to New Zealand to compete at the World Choir Games. A bit like the Olympic Games for choirs!

To help raise funds for this tour, Matthew will be giving a piano concert at St. Peter's at 3.00pm on Sunday 21 April. The concert will last for around 50-60 minutes and will feature music by Bach, Brahms and Schubert. Matthew will be joined by a small ensemble from the choir, who will also perform a few items.

Entry will be free with a retiring collection for the choir's New Zealand tour fund. Do come along if you're free.

**\* WOKING HEALING (HOTS) TRAINING – NEW \***

'Woking Healing' are offering training for individuals who would like to join their team, which offers prayer to passersby in the town centre on the **first Saturday of the month, from 1.00pm-3.00pm.**

Training will take place at New Life Church on Tuesdays 23 and 30 April in the evening. Cost @ £12 to cover cost of training manual. Church leader recommendation required.

To find out more contact Andrew Bates – [info@wokinghealing.org](mailto:info@wokinghealing.org)

**\* DEAN PUSEY \***

We are delighted that the Rev'd Dean Pusey, former member of St Mark's and currently curate at Holy Trinity Aldershot, has been appointed to be the vicar of St Mary Magdalene, Peckham. No date has been set for his induction, but it is likely to be in July or September.

Please pray for Dean, Tracey, Lily and Theo as they finish at Holy Trinity and prepare to move.



**\* RESPONSE TO STEWARDSHIP SUNDAY \***

If you were planning on responding to our Stewardship Sunday letters by becoming a regular giver or increasing your giving to the church it would be very helpful if you can do so in the next couple of weeks.

Letters are still available in each church if you didn't receive one or have lost yours or go to [www.stpeterwoking.org/giving](http://www.stpeterwoking.org/giving) for more information.

**\* THE MIKADO – ST PETER'S CHURCH SATURDAY 4 MAY 6.00pm \***

We are delighted to welcome back *Opera Anywhere*, featuring Matthew Rickard, to St Peter's to perform the Mikado.

Tickets are now available from [www.stpeterwoking.org/mikado](http://www.stpeterwoking.org/mikado) and are available to give to friends and neighbours. If you are able to help with serving refreshments or making cakes please let Jonathan know.

**WHAT'S ON**

**St Peter's is open Monday-Friday 9.00am -12.30pm, Saturday and Sunday 10.00am-6.00pm All Souls' is open on Sundays from 9.00am-6.00pm.**

Thursday 11 April	Family Movie Night	St Mark's	4.30pm
Saturday 13 April	Repair Café	Old Woking Community Centre	
Sunday 14 April	CMS Mission Gift Day for Sarah and Simon Cawdell		
Sunday 21 April	Piano Concert-Matthew Rickard	St Peter's	3.00pm
Saturday 27 April	Churchyard working party	St Peter's	9.00am-12noon
Saturday 4 May	Opera Anywhere 'The Mikado'	St Peter's	6.00pm
Sunday 12 May	Parish Bring and Share Lunch		
		St Peter's Church Centre	12.30pm
Saturday 18 May	Community Garden Party	St Mark's	2.30pm- 4.30pm
Saturday 29 June	Priesting of Rachel and Lucy at Guildford Cathedral		
		(Time to be confirmed)	

The Youth Group (School years 7-13), meets twice a month, 6.00-7.30pm for food, fun and discipleship. Contact Lucy Bush at [curate@stpeterwoking.org](mailto:curate@stpeterwoking.org)