



News & Views

St Peter's, Luton Place
June 2026



St Peter's Episcopal Church, Lutton Place
The home of the worldwide Anglican Communion in Newington

Choir Concert

Sunday 7th June

6.30pm

Anglican Choir Music through the
Church Year by British Composers

Byrd, Purcell, Stanford, Parry, MacMillan, Forbes L'Estrange and others

St Peter's Choir
Organ Sheila Chisholm
Conductor Rupert Forbes



Free with refreshments after.

p. 11



p. 14 In the Meadows on the 'Blossom' Walk.

p. 3 Before the Ascension Day service on 14th May at Crichton Collegiate Church.



From the Rector

Rev Nick Wills

Dear Friends,

May has been a very creative month at St Peter's!

The month began with a really well attended Folk Open Mic Night and Singing Circle on Tuesday 5th May, and a number of new people came along. It was a lovely mix of ages and in the new format, everybody joined in with learning some traditional Scottish folk songs. Five different people performed their own songs for the first time at the Open Mic, and for some of them, it was their first or second time performing in public.

The creativity took a different turn on Sunday 10th May. At our Process service I introduced an understanding of the Japanese form of poetry, haiku, as a snapshot capturing a moment in time. Then we spent some time reflecting on different Gospel passages of Jesus's post-Resurrection appearances before writing our own haiku to encapsulate the thoughts and feelings that they evoked for us. I was delighted that everybody was willing to read out their haiku. One participant said: 'It was way out of my comfort zone, sharing like that. However, it was such a gentle invitation and an easy-going group which I think made it possible for everyone to be a little vulnerable. I found it most encouraging.' Some of these haiku can be read on page 6.

The following week, clergy and the choir from St Peter's led worship at Crichton Collegiate Church for their Ascension Day Communion service. I always enjoy worshipping in that wonderful old church and hope that we will be invited back next year and that you will join us.

By the time you read this, we will also have celebrated the Feast of Pentecost at St Peter's, and I am sure that the congregation will be a riot of

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red! The Pentecost season is a time for us to pray for the renewal of the Church and it is very fitting that we will be welcoming our new Bishop of Edinburgh, Rt Rev Dr Dagmar Winter at her Installation at St Mary's Episcopal Cathedral on 30th May. Please pray for Bishop Dagmar as she leads our Diocese.

Our Walking Group has been attempting to make the most of the variable May weather. A big thank you to Janet H. for leading a walk from the Commonwealth Pool to Bridgend Farmhouse via Craigmillar Castle, a Blossom walk, and at the end of May, to Newbattle Abbey. See page 14.

We are approaching the retirement of our Director of Music, Rupert Forbes. The choir are rehearsing hard for a concert on his honour on Sunday 7th June, which will journey through the Church Year through anthems and other choral music by British composers. Rupert's final service as Director of Music will be on Sunday 28th June when we will be celebrating St Peter's Day, and it is wonderfully fitting that we will be celebrating all he has contributed to the worshipping life of St Peter's Church on our Patronal Festival.

Your Rector,

Nick

Children's Church

We always welcome children to our services.

At all services, children are very welcome to use and enjoy the activity and colouring-in station in the Children's Corner.

During the 10.45am Sunday service, children and their leaders usually leave for Children's Church in the hall during the Gloria and return to the service in time for Communion. Fun activities based on the day's Bible theme are organised by Becky, our Children and Young People's Worker, and a group of PVG covered volunteers help her to run the activities.

If you have any questions, please speak to a Welcomer or to Becky before the service. Or you can email becky@stpetersedinburgh.org any time.



Process

The May Process service: a post-Easter haiku night!

Our Process services change every month.

For the May service, Nick introduced the haiku: a stylised Japanese poetry genre, having three lines of 5, 7 and 5 syllables respectively, ideally having a seasonal reference, or featuring an image that depicts the essence of a specific moment of time.



We listened to beautiful haiku from an anthology, condensing personal experiences into this extremely restricted form, and as an example, Nick also read one he had written about Mary Magdalene at the tomb.



First light breaking through
Tear-tired eyes smudging blurs
"What?" not "How?" is asked.

No sense can be made
A pointless desecration
Insulting affront

A moving moment
Confusion spilling in words
Gardener addressed

Unknown recognised
As he speaks only one word
Her name tells her his.

Our invitation was to then write our own haiku, using one or more of the post-Resurrection appearances of Jesus. We found it could become quite addictive! Although there was no pressure to read the results out, with very gentle encouragement together with a very caring and supportive space, we all did in fact share them. It was fascinating to see how different people had responded to the readings.

Here they are, reproduced anonymously and with the consent of all.

On the Road to Emmaus

He broke the bread
(And) they recognised him
The Lord has risen.

Stranger on the path
Evening falls and bread is torn
Hearts burn eyes open.

Jesus appeared then,
On the road to Emmaus.
Walking beside them.

Who does not know this
What things? I do not know of
Jesus is risen.

Jesus Appears to Seven Disciples

I have gone fishing
Jesus filled all of our nets
Yes! Beach barbecue.

Jesus and Peter

Tend and feed my sheep –
Yes, Lord; you know I love you
And then, follow me.

Three times Jesus asks
If I love and gives a task
to feed sheep and lambs.
Does he think I lie?
Only God knows why I sigh
I will do my part.

My young belt was free
Myself creating the light
Free to do my will.

Do I want to go
To somewhere I do not know?
I will follow, grow.

Returned to Chaos
Mania overcoming
The defeated Twelve

Unbelievable!
The things that they are saying
And that he missed out

Seven long whole days
Of witnessing giddiness
Stuck inside. Outside.

And then the return
As chaos and joy and Peace
Together Bubble.

The order to touch
To place upon and into
Almost redundant

To be included
Unearths a heartfelt new Creed –
'My Lord and my God!'

Jesus Appears to Thomas

Quiet moment alone
love and loyalty questioned
certainty in reply

Again he asks it
love and loyalty questioned
wondering in reply

Twice is not enough?
love and loyalty questioned
guilty anger hurts

Each question commands
Take on my shepherding role
Go forward be strong

You were selfish once
But your life will change with time
Follow to the grave.

Twin left out: denies.
Next week: Jesus, speaking peace.
Twin touches, believes.

We have seen the Lord.
Sceptic Thomas, not convinced,
Seeks more evidence.

Next week, Jesus comes,
Showing Thomas hands with holes,
Sure nails his belief.

Thomas doubts no more.
Blest are we when we too say
My Lord and my God.

I saw a painting
of Thomas touching your wounds
doubt turns to belief

The grace I would ask
is to draw closer to you
and feel your presence

Lingering doubts hide
in the dark places I hold
but long to release

Spring breeze refreshes
breathing old faith back to life
you were always near.

Our next service is on Sunday 14th June, when we will be exploring local and global dimensions of our church and community. Meeting in the Hall, we will then move to the garden, so please dress for the weather!

We gather in the hall for this contemporary evening service, which is reflective, sometimes interactive and always different. The service lasts about an hour, with refreshments afterwards.

Please note that there will be no Process services in July and August.

If you would like to be part of the team who creates the services, please speak to Nick! As the services are planned each month, updated information is included in our Saturday emails and online:

<https://stpetersedinburgh.org/process>

Toddler Group

Our international group is very welcoming and friendly, and runs during term-time on Mondays and Thursdays from 9.30am–11.30am. It is for children aged 0-3.

All children must be accompanied by an adult, who is responsible for their own child/children at all times. Donation £1 per family and tea/coffee and snacks are provided.



The final sessions for the Toddler Group before the summer holidays are on Monday 22nd June and Thursday 25th June.

If you would like to attend or have any questions about any of our children's work, please email Becky via becky@stpetersedinburgh.org.



STUDENTS AND YOUNG ADULTS

Over the academic year we have had a great group of up to 13 students and young adults who have been meeting regularly during term-time. The lively discussions have been fun as we have got to know each other well, and become a strong and supportive group.

Our undergraduate students have been returning home for the holidays. We wish them a very happy holiday and look forward to seeing them again when they return in September!

Any students or young adults who want further details are invited to join our student and young adult email and WhatsApp lists and hear about the forthcoming activities.

If you are interested in joining this group, please speak to Becky or Nick, or email becky@stpetersedinburgh.org.



St Peter's Day

This year our Patronal Festival has been transferred from Monday 29th June to Sunday 28th June.

That morning our services will be celebrating St Peter, and at 10.45am we will be saying a heartfelt thank you and fond farewell to Rupert, our inspiring and dedicated Director of Music for over 30 years.

See page 11 for information about the concert our choir is giving at 6.30pm on 7th June to mark his retirement.



St Peter's Book Club

The Book Club meets in the Choir Vestry and one can just turn up to discuss the chosen book.



The group usually meets on the last Wednesday of the month from 7.00pm to 8.00pm. Even if you do not come to the group, if you have read something of interest, please do let the group know via the office email! New members are always welcome to discuss a wide range of titles. For more information, please contact the office, or see <https://stpetersedinburgh.org/book-club>

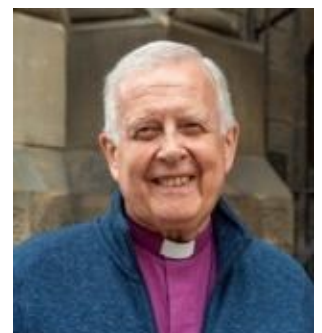
24th June: *Mother Tongue: The Story of the English Language*, by Bill Bryson, described as a highly readable and hilarious tale of how English came to be the world's language.

Bishop Donald Allister's Bible Teaching Videos

Each Monday, Donald uploads a new Bible teaching video to his YouTube channel:

<https://www.youtube.com/@feedmysheep2023>

Once published, the talks are free to access and remain indefinitely. During June and July, the studies are on St John's Gospel.



Vestry Update, May 2026

By Roddy, Vestry Secretary

Vestry met on Thursday 21st May and spent most of the evening thinking about the recently updated SEC policies on safeguarding and how these related to our practice in St Peter's. Much of the time was spent reflecting and asking questions and we were very fortunate to have our youth and children's worker Becky on hand to give us the benefit of a lifetime's experience of working with vulnerable groups, particularly children. As our church grows, safeguarding needs to be at the heart of who we are and what we do, not just to follow best practice in the area but so that church and all the activities that we do can be as rich and valuable as possible for everyone.

We are fortunate that the Vestry has people with a wide range of backgrounds and experiences to draw from and the time that we gave to the discussion allowed us to think carefully through safeguarding issues in our context in a way that attempted to help make safeguarding increasingly embedded in our church culture.

We still had several important issues to discuss after this, and many thanks should go to Philip for his updated prototype cover for the heating pipes in the church hall. A lot of care and detail has gone into the design.

We are also planning carefully to maintain church music as an important part of what we do at St Peter's after Rupert retires. We are very aware as a Vestry of the important part that music plays in our worship so watch this space!

Magazine Articles

Please email or submit your articles and photographs to Sheila,
office@stpetersedinburgh.org

Thank you.

Please note the July / August magazine will be issued a little late, but by 5th July.

*The DEADLINE for the
July / August issue is
Thursday 18th June*

Music Notes



By Rupert Forbes, Director of Music

Choir Concert, Sunday 7th June, 6.30pm, Free

To mark my retirement, the choir is giving a concert of Anglican Choral music through the Church Year by British composers including Byrd, Purcell, Walmisley, Stanford, Parry, MacMillan, my niece Joanna Forbes L'Estrange, and others.

It will last between 75-90 minutes and there will be refreshments for all in the church afterwards.



Choral Evensong

will be held at 6.30pm on Sunday 21st June.

There will be no Choral Evensong in July.

We hope that many will come and share this traditional choral led service.



Do you enjoy singing?

For information about joining the choir, where to meet and the commitment required, please speak to me after a morning service, or email via the office, office@stpetersedinburgh.org.

Choir Rehearsals are held on:

Thursdays 7.00pm–8.00pm: Junior Choir; 7.45pm - 9.30pm for adults.
Sundays 10.00am for the 10.45am service, and 5.30pm for Evensong.

Voice for Life

For St Peter's Church family children age c. 7-18.

Thursdays 6.15pm-7.00pm. *If interested in this, please speak to Sheila.*

The final rehearsal before the summer holidays is on Thursday 25th June. Thursday rehearsals and Voice for Life are then suspended until August.

FOLK OPEN MIC NIGHT AND SINGING CIRCLE



Tuesdays 2nd June 7th July

7.30pm - 9.30pm

Continuing to be a very friendly, encouraging and supportive environment to make music, the format of our newly named Open Mic and Singing Circle night has been tweaked with more of an emphasis on traditional folk song to which all can sing or play along. While all are still very welcome to contribute their own songs / music, there is now the opportunity for everyone to join in singing a selection of folk songs, often accompanied on the piano, but also sometimes unaccompanied or with other instruments.

- Do you want to share and listen to folk and roots standards and maybe some new and original music?
- Are you talented and creative, and looking for an outlet to share your skills and learn from others, in a supportive atmosphere?

If so, come and let's create Edinburgh's friendliest Open Mic Night together!

In the Hall

Free

Giving to Rupert's Retirement Present

If you would like to contribute towards Rupert's retirement present, it would be helpful if you could do so by 14th June. Thank you.

Please use one of the following options:

Bank Transfer St Peters Episcopal Church (*Please name it 'Rupert Gift'*)
80 02 83 00439927

Cash or Cheque Please put any cash or cheque (*written out to St Peter's Church and 'Rupert Gift' written on the back*) into the box at the back of the church marked 'Rupert Retirement Gift', or into an envelope with 'Rupert' written on it and put it through the Office/Lodge letter box.

Treasurer Laura development@stpetersedinburgh.org

TUESDAYS AT ST PETER'S

The morning events are all held in the hall during term-time on 2nd, 9th, 16th and 23rd June

11.00am Morning Prayer Service *Nick Wills*

An opportunity to pray together for St Peter's, and those in need in our local community, our nation and the wider world.



12 noon Daytime Bible Study Group *Sue Whitehouse*

Everyone is invited to come and join in - no prior knowledge is required. Reading scripture is one of the ways in which we can grow in our faith. We engage together, learn more about God, listen to each other's ideas and experiences, and learn to recognise what God intends for us in our lives, church community, and in the world.



1.00pm Tuesday's Chewsday!

A freshly cooked two-course lunch to eat socially together - for congregational members, and we hope it will be especially attractive to those who attend the 12 noon Bible Study Group.

It would be helpful if you could please let the office know by the Sunday before if you plan to come, especially if you have any dietary requirements. There is a suggested donation of £6, but we would not want this to be an obstacle to anyone who wants to join us.



7.00pm Evening Bible Study Group

Ruth Green & Donald Allister Year-round (Choir Vestry)

Donald and Ruth write: In May we began a series looking at the early chapters of the Acts of the Apostles. How does the life and growth of the Church in the days of the Apostles speak to us today? What can we learn for our own Christian lives from those first believers? All are welcome as we look at these encouraging events together. Every Tuesday at 7.00pm for an hour in the Choir Vestry.



Walking Group

These two reports of walks are by Janet H, who kindly led them.

Commonwealth Pool to Bridgend, Saturday 28th March

The walking group had an early Spring walk just before the clocks changed. The weather was fair and we left from the Commonwealth Pool to head down to the Innocent Railway path full of the aroma of wild garlic. We followed the Braid Burn by the King's Haugh to cross over Peffermill Rd and reach Craigmillar Castle park.



The trees were just starting to come into leaf and we climbed up to reach open ground by Craigmillar Castle and a lovely open vista over the Forth to East Lothian. The castle is open for visits and is quite a complex of structures. It started off as a tower house in the late 1300s. Mary Queen of Scots stayed a couple of times in the 1560s.

From the castle area we descended and headed west to reach Bridgend Farmhouse where the Spring Fair was in full swing. An enjoyable walk. Well done to Elijah who walked the whole way helped by the stick he found, and to Grace who pushed an empty pram up and down some rough paths.

Blossom Walk, Saturday 25th April

On a rather chilly Spring morning 8 of us ventured forth from Bruntsfield Links on our walk to the Parliament Building. The Links is the last part of the Burgh Muir, former woodland which was cleared by a decree of James IV in 1508. "Links" is a Scots word for land associated with the game of golf and originally land near the seashore but now used for any ground where golf is played. Apparently Bruntsfield Links was one of the earliest locations for golf. The town council were able to extract sandstone from the Links but, in 1695, an Act of Council was passed making sure that any quarrying was at a good distance from the golfers.

We crossed into the Meadows, historical common land which originally contained the Burgh Loch which, until piped water from Comiston arrived in 1621, provided much of Edinburgh's drinking water and water for the several breweries round about. We enjoyed walking through the avenues of wonderful full cherry blossom with views over to Arthur's Seat and Salisbury Crag. (See the photo on the inside cover.)

From the Meadows we crossed over eastwards, passing lovely white blossom to the path alongside the Holyrood Distillery which is the former Engine Shed originally serving Edinburgh and Dalkeith Railway - the city's first passenger line. Then we followed a path above Holyrood Park through lovely trees coming into leaf with their great variety of fresh green shades and the birdsong to accompany us. Then there was a descent through the trees down to the Park path and we went on to reach some very welcome refreshments in the Parliament building.



If you would like to receive Walking Group emails with information about forthcoming and last-minute walks, email Janet or email Sheila via the office.

Eco-Matters

Slugs in the garden: friend or foe? *by Christine B.*

I don't often put down deterrents for slugs and snails now, preferring to grow plants they don't want or which are robust enough to survive. I sometimes use coffee grounds which gastropods find uncomfortable. However, I was disappointed when my newly germinated brassica seedlings, destined for the allotment, were reduced to spindly stumps overnight!

A recent family discussion included fans of organic slug pellets (usually containing ferric phosphate or similar iron compounds) which are described as harmless to birds, pets, frogs etc. Others weren't so keen, having read that they aren't as harmless as we thought due to the particular bonding used. Frustratingly the evidence wasn't clear cut either way.

I have read about, but not yet used, wool pellets. They deter rather than kill, as they swell when wet to make a textured mat slugs can't cross, and decompose naturally. Again, reports as to whether they are effective are mixed.

Slugs and snails are part of the food chain. Since some species help to break down decaying matter, rather than being a threat to young plants, I'm inclined to give the wool pellets a go, along with the coffee grounds, rather than kill all gastropods indiscriminately. Has anyone else tried them? I'd be interested to hear!

Helping Those in Need

Newington FoodBank⁺

The donations of non-perishable food and basic toiletries that keep appearing in the box at the back of church each week are gratefully appreciated! Individuals can also take donations directly to the Foodbank at Community Church on Thursday mornings. Items particularly required are: tinned meat, pasta sauce, coffee, sugar, biscuits, cooking oil, shampoo, shower gel and razors.



Bethany Christian Trust & Edinburgh City Mission

Every night and five lunchtimes a week these charities jointly run a van distributing food, hot drinks and clothes to the homeless. Required is adult-sized clothing in a reasonable condition to distribute; shirts/tops, sweaters/fleeces/hoodies, trousers, joggers, warm waterproof jackets, socks, underwear, ideally new but clean, blankets and sleeping bags.

<https://edinburghcitymission.org.uk/ministry/care-van/>



Fresh Start

Fresh Start is always in need of various household donations. If you would like to help, please pick up a leaflet at the back of the church, or see their webpage:

<https://www.freshstartweb.org.uk/>



Ukraine and Middle East Crisis Appeals

Christian Aid offers assistance to Ukraine refugees

<https://www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/emergencies/ukraine-crisis-appeal>

Disasters Emergency Committee (DEC)

<https://www.dec.org.uk/appeal/ukraine-humanitarian-appeal>

Christian Aid Middle East Crisis Appeal

<https://www.christianaid.org.uk/appeals/emergencies/middle-east-crisis-appeal>

The Church Office There are no set office hours with Laura and Sheila working flexibly part-time, sometimes from home. If you want to see either of them in the office, please make an appointment.

Regular Services in St Peter's

Sundays ♦ 9.00am ♦ Holy Communion ♦ Traditional language, no music and sometimes no sermon

Sundays ♦ 10.45am ♦ Holy Communion ♦ Modern language, with choir and congregational singing

2nd Sunday of the month (*usually*) ♦ 6.30pm ♦ Process

Last Sunday of the month (*usually*) ♦ 6.30pm ♦ Choral Evensong

Tuesdays (*term-time*) ♦ 11.00am ♦ Prayer Service ♦ no music or sermon

1st Thursday of the month ♦ 11.00am ♦ Holy Communion ♦ Traditional language, no music and usually no sermon, followed with a picnic lunch in the hall

Regular activities in St Peter's

Mondays & Thursdays (*term-time only*)

9.30am-11.30am ♦ Toddler Group ♦ in hall

Third Monday of the Month ♦ 3.00pm ♦ Monday Group ♦ in Choir Vestry

Tuesdays (*term-time only*)

11.00am ♦ Prayer Service ♦ in hall

12 noon ♦ Daytime Bible Study Group ♦ in hall

1.00pm ♦ Tuesday's Chewsday! ♦ lunch in hall

Tuesdays (*year-round*)

7.00pm ♦ Evening Bible Study Group ♦ in Choir Vestry

Last Wednesday of the month (*usually*)

7.00pm ♦ St Peter's Book Club ♦ in Choir Vestry

Thursdays

6.15pm Voice for Life ♦ 7.00-8.00pm Junior Choir ♦ 7.45-9.30pm Adult Choir

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Sunday Readings

**The passages being read*

May

Sunday 31st May Trinity Sunday

Genesis 1: 1 - 2: 4a ♦ *Psalm 8 ♦ 2 Corinthians 13: 11-13 ♦ *Matthew 28: 16-20

June

Sunday 7th June Second Sunday of Trinity

Hosea 5: 15-6: 6 ♦ Psalm 50: 7-15 ♦ *Romans 4: 13-25 ♦ *Matthew 9: 9-13, 18-26

Sunday 14th June Third Sunday of Trinity

*Exodus 19: 2-8a ♦ Psalm 100 ♦ Romans 5: 1-8 ♦ *Matthew 9: 35 – 10: 8

Sunday 21st June Fourth Sunday of Trinity

Jeremiah 20: 7-13; Psalm 69: 8-20, *Romans 6: 1b-11; *Matthew 10: 24-39

Sunday 21st June Choral Evensong Third Sunday after Trinity

*Jeremiah 10: 1-16 ♦ *Luke 8: 26-39 ♦ Psalm 49

Sunday 28th June & Thursday 2nd July St Peter's Day (*transf from 29th June*)

Ezekiel 3: 4-11 ♦ Psalm 125 ♦ *1 Peter 2: 19-25 ♦ *Matthew 16: 13-19

Sunday 5th July Sixth Sunday of Trinity

Zechariah 9: 9-12 ♦ *Psalm 145: 8-15 ♦ Romans 7: 15-25a ♦

*Matthew 11: 16-19, 25-30

Sunday 12th July Seventh Sunday of Trinity

*Isaiah 55: 10-13 ♦ Psalm 65: 1-14 ♦ Romans 8: 1-11 ♦ *Matthew 13: 1-9, 18-23

Clergy

Nick and all the Associate Clergy Team are very happy to spend time with members of St Peter's who have concerns or are facing difficult situations. Please feel able to speak to any of them to arrange a time to talk. We are grateful for their willingness to minister in this way.

If you, or someone you know, have not received Communion because you/they have been unable to come to Church, please let one of the Clergy or Pastoral Team know as members of our Clergy and Lay Pastoral Team would then be happy to bring you Communion at home. Please also let Nick, Sue or Donald know if you hear of a member of St Peter's who is ill.

Dates for the Diary

June

- Tue 2nd** Usual Tuesday events ♦ 11.00am ♦ 12 noon ♦ 1.00pm ♦ 7.00pm
Tue 2nd Folk Open Mic Night and Singing Circle ♦ 7.30pm - 9.30pm
Thur 4th Monthly Communion Service ♦ 11.00am
Sun 7th Choir Concert ♦ 6.30pm
Tue 9th Usual Tuesday events ♦ 11.00am ♦ 12 noon ♦ 1.00pm ♦ 7.00pm
Sun 14th Process ♦ 6.30pm
Tue 16th Usual Tuesday events ♦ 11.00am ♦ 12 noon ♦ 1.00pm ♦ 7.00pm
Thur 18th July / August Magazine deadline
Sun 21st Choral Evensong ♦ 6.30pm
Mon 22nd Final Monday Toddlers before the summer ♦ 9.30am-11.30am
Tue 23rd Usual Tuesday events ♦ 11.00am ♦ 12 noon ♦ 1.00pm ♦ 7.00pm
Wed 24th St Peter's Book Club ♦ 7.00pm
Thur 25th Final Thursday Toddlers before the summer ♦ 9.30am-11.30am
Thur 25th Final Thursday choir rehearsal and Voice for life before the summer
Sun 28th Celebrating St Peter's Day (*transf 29th*) ♦ 9am and 10.45am
Tue 30th Evening Bible Study ♦ 7.00pm

July

- Thur 2nd** Monthly Communion Service ♦ 11.00am
Tue 7th Evening Bible Study ♦ 7.00pm
Tue 7th Folk Open Mic Night and Singing Circle ♦ 7.30pm - 9.30pm

Weekly Notices

At 3.00pm each Saturday an email with the weekly notices, together with the Sunday readings, Collect and Year's Mind is sent to our congregational members.

If you attend services but do not already receive these emails and would like to keep in touch, please fill in a GDPR form, available at the back of the church, and give it to Sheila, a Welcomer, or hand it into the office.

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