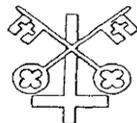


St Peter's Church Welcome



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4 November 2018 All Saints' Day Fourth Sunday before Advent

7:45 am	Holy Communion at Edgmond - R
9:00 am	Holy Communion at Preston - R
10:30 am	Family Communion at Edgmond - R
6:30 pm	Service of Commendation - R

NT Lesson:	Revelation 21: 1-6a	Alison Matthews
Gospel:	John 11: 32-44	Helen our Rector
Intercessions are led by:	Paul Lewis	
Offertory Procession:	Richard & Wendy Thompson	

The Church has an Inductive Loop System for the hard of hearing.
Please switch your hearing aid to the 'T' position

Large print hymnbooks are available – please ask a Sidesperson if you require a copy

**EVERYONE IS INVITED TO STAY AFTER THE 10:30 SERVICE
FOR A CUP OF COFFEE, TEA OR SQUASH**



R = Helen our Rector; DSH = David Stokes-Harrison;
PL = Paul Lewis; JI = John Ingram; JF = John Fowler

Monday 5 November

Revd Helen's Day Off Duty

Tuesday 6 November

9:30 am 100 Days of Prayer - Short Service in Church - R
see notice on back page

7:30 pm PCC Meeting in Church -R



Wednesday 7 November

7:30 pm Bellringing Practice

Thursday 8 November

9:30 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - R

2:15 pm The Mothers' Union Meet in Church - see notice 3

7:30 pm Choir Practice

Friday 9 November

2:30 pm Interment of Ashes in Lower Churchyard - R



Sunday 11 November - REMEMBRANCE SUNDAY

7:45 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - R

10:00 am Service in Church followed a Walk to the War Memorial - R

11:00 am Act of Remembrance at the War Memorial - R

3:00 pm Service of Remembrance at Waters Upton - R

4:30 pm Healing Service - JF

6:30 pm Service of Remembrance at Kynnersley - R



- 1 **Remembrance Sunday 11th November** - There will be a service in Church at **10:00am** after which we will walk to the War Memorial for the Act of Remembrance at 11:00am. This year we particularly remember the centenary of WW1. There will be contributions from St. Peter's School and 1st Edgmond Scout Group for our worship. All are welcome.

- 2 Today is the deadline for contributions for the **DOUBLE ISSUE** of the Parish Magazine and Village News covering **December/January**. Please remember that your articles need to cover both months. Please deliver your copy to Sara Taylor at sarajaneataylor@yahoo.co.uk or deliver directly to Provost's House, High Street, Edgmond.



- 3 **Next Thursday the Mothers' Union** meets at 2:15pm in St Peter's Church. The speaker will be the Revd Prebendary Emeritus Edward Ward, who will talk about the Battle of Bligny in which the Shropshires achieved enduring glory 100 years ago. Everyone is welcome. For further information and/or help with transport please contact Margaret Matthews on 825976.
- 4 **Donations to Telford Food Bank** - Telford Food Bank is managed by a Registered Charity Telford Crisis Support and is based in premises at the Sutton Hill Community Centre. During the year to 31st March 2018 we gave out in excess of 3000 "three-day emergency food parcels" which provided food for approximately 3900 adults and 1650 children and support is continuing at this sort of level this year. This is only possible through the support of the local communities and on behalf of the Trustees and volunteers at the Food Bank I would like to thank those who have given either financial support or donations of food through the box at the back of Edgmond Church. Your continuing support for people in crisis is much appreciated. *Keith Norton - Trustee and Hon. Treasurer - Telford Crisis Support*
- 5 **Operation Christmas Child** - It seems to come soon but it is almost time for the Christmas Shoe Boxes to be collected and ready for transporting to their overseas destinations. There will be a notice in Church indicating where to leave your completed boxes which will be collected on Monday 5th November. A very big thank you to everyone who is taking a part in the charity. *Hilary Vince*
- 6 **Farewell to Revd David Stokes-Harrison** - David has served as Resident Minister in the six parishes since 2007. He will be retiring at the end of November. As we will want to give our thanks to God for David's ministry there will be a joint Benefices service at All Saints Tibberton on Sunday 25th November at 10.30am followed by lunch in Tibberton Village Hall. All are welcome to the service, but the lunch is strictly by ticket only (due to capacity in the hall). Tickets will be available from Revd Helen or Churchwardens and donations towards a gift can also be given to Churchwardens or to Revd Helen.
- 7 **Flowers in Church** - **"You don't have to be a member of the Flower Guild to put flowers in Church"** - I am sure that some members of the congregation think that you **must** be a member of the Flower Guild to put flowers in Church. Whilst the Flower Guild are responsible for arranging flowers for the various festivals during the year and for weddings when requested, we would love to hear from anyone who might be interested in putting flowers in Church, particularly on the altar, to ensure that there are fresh flowers every week of the year. This could be to celebrate a birthday or anniversary or to commemorate a loved one or just because you want to. If you might be interested there is a flower rota in the porch showing all the available dates. Please put your name on the rota and if you have any questions or need any help or advice please don't hesitate to give me a call on 814356 or at phylliscoats@rocketmail.com or contact any member of the Flower Guild. *Phyllis Coats*

100 Days of Prayer. As you will already be aware this year marks the centenary of the end of World War 1 which we will commemorate on Sunday November 11th. One hundred days before the end of WW1, on August 4th, 1918, George V called the nation and commonwealth to pray for peace. HOPE 2018 have been in conversation with the Queen about a similar initiative, that she calls all people of faith to pray for peace. In response to this HOPE are encouraging us to use the 100 days between August 4th and November 11th this year to continue to pray for peace and for our nation. We are part way through this now but the Churches in this area have agreed that one Church will have dedicated prayer each day and **we have been asked to do this on Tuesday 6th November.** There will therefore be a short time of prayer at 9.30am in St. Peter's on this day and all are welcome to attend. In the meantime, if you wish to join in with the 100 days of prayer you can find resources at

Pew Bibles - We would like to place Bibles in the pews of our Church and are looking to purchase a set of Bibles all the same. They will be NRSV translation in line with the translation read on Sunday mornings. If you would like to pay for a Bible to be placed in the pew, please complete the form available at the back of church and return to Revd Helen. The Bibles are currently on offer at £9.99 but the price may increase. In order to charge you the correct price payment will be requested after purchase. You may wish to place the Bible in memory of someone or to celebrate a special occasion etc. An insert will be put in the front of the Bible with your short message. We are also looking to set up a fund to purchase Bibles for school leavers. Donations can be given to a Churchwarden or Revd Helen.

15 Bibles have been ordered so far at a cost of £9.99 each. If you have ordered one and not yet paid, please make payment asap - cash or cheque to Edgmond PCC. If you have not ordered a Bible and wish to do so, please send the order form to Revd Helen no later than Sunday 4th November (today). The Bibles will be dedicated in the 10.30am service on Advent Sunday 2nd December.

Would you like to edit the Pew Sheet? - After about 20 years of editing the Pew Sheet, I am giving up my editorship. We are planning to move to Keynsham, near Bristol, to be nearer to our daughter Janine and her husband and young family. If you think you may be interested, please speak to the Rector or myself. Thank you - *Maureen Broom* 825851 or email at maureen.broom@btinternet.com

The Pew Sheet can also be found on our website at:
<http://www.stpeterschurchedgmond.org>