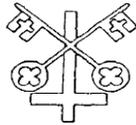


St Peter's Church Welcome



Rector:	Position vacant (interregnum)	
Churchwardens:	John Ingram	Tel: 810337
	Chris Taylor	Tel: 810880
Resident Minister:	Revd David Stokes-Harrison	Tel: 551117
Rural Dean:	Revd Keith Hodson	Tel: 750774

12 November 2017 Remembrance Sunday Third Sunday before Advent



7:45 am	Holy Communion at Edgmond - JG
10:50 am	Service of Remembrance at Edgmond - JI
4:30 pm	Healing Service - JF

OT Lesson:	Micah 4: 1-5	Chris Taylor
NT Lesson:	John 15: 1-17	John Ingram
Intercessions are led by:		Mike Downing

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



DSH = David Stokes-Harrison; PL = Paul Lewis;  
JI = John Ingram; JG = Jane Gill;  
PB = Phillip Brook; JF = John Fowler

### Wednesday 15 November

|                   |                                        |
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| 10:00 am-12:30 pm | Bellringing Practice on Silenced Bells |
| 7:30 pm           | Bellringing Practice                   |

### Thursday 16 November

|          |                                          |
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| 9:30 am  | Holy Communion at Edgmond - PB           |
| 10:00 am | Coffee and Chat in Church - see notice 2 |
| 7:30 pm  | Choir Practice                           |



### Saturday 18 November

|                    |                                                           |
|--------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------|
| 11:00 am-1:00 pm   | Beaumaris Singers Rehearsal in Church                     |
| 6:30 pm for 7:00pm | Concert in Church by the Beaumaris Singers - see notice 3 |

### Sunday 19 November - Second Sunday before Advent

|          |                                       |
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| 7:45 am  | Holy Communion at Edgmond - PB        |
| 10:30 am | Sung Eucharist at Edgmond - Tim Goode |



**1 During the interregnum** our first point of contact should be the churchwardens, John Ingram (810337) or Chris Taylor (810880); then Revd David Stokes-Harrison, (551117) if the wardens not available; and then the Rural Dean Keith Hodson (750774), if Revd David Stokes-Harrison is not available. For an urgent need of a priest then Revd David Stokes-Harrison or the Rural Dean should be approached first.

**2 Arrangements for appointment of new Rector** - Since, so far, there has been only one application for the position of Rector, the familiarisation day and the interview of candidates for Rector have been postponed. The next steps in the recruitment process will be the further advertising of the position and shortlisting of candidates prior to interviews.

3 Next Saturday, 18<sup>th</sup> November at 7:00pm in St Peter's Church, Edgmond there will be a concert by the **Beaumaris Singers**. Prices for the tickets are £7 adults, £4 students and under 16s free. All tickets at the door. There will be refreshments and a raffle. All Proceeds to 'The Friends of St Peter's Church'.

4 **Operation Christmas Child** - A big thank you to all who filled the shoe boxes with gifts for children. These have been collected and will be soon on the way to children in other countries to enjoy.

5 **St Peter's Church Christmas Tree Festival** takes place on Friday 1<sup>st</sup> to Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December. Opening Times are as follows - Friday, Saturday and Monday 11:00am to 4:00pm. Sunday will be 12:30pm - 4:30pm. Mince pies, tea and coffees available. Programme - £1. Donations and all Proceeds to St Peter's Church. **Volunteers will be required to welcome visitors; help with serving refreshments; and the making and/or supplying of cakes or mince pies. There will be separate sheets at the back of the church for volunteers to add their names to, in due course.**



6 **ADVENT SUNDAY** - Advent Sunday (the first day of the new Church Year) this year falls on 3<sup>rd</sup> December. As is the tradition at St Peter's, Edgmond, we shall mark the beginning of Advent with the candlelit service **"From Darkness to Light"** at 6.30pm that evening. The service begins with the church being in complete darkness representing the world before the coming of Jesus, and as the service proceeds with readings and hymns telling us of the prophesied coming of Jesus, so more candles are lit until, at the Gospel reading of the Annunciation (the Archangel Gabriel visiting the Virgin Mary), the whole church is full of light. **Everyone is welcome** at this service which marks the start of our preparation for Christmas.



7 **VOLUNTEERS NEEDED TO DO TEAS/COFFEES AFTER THE 10:30am SERVICE** - Volunteer numbers to serve teas and coffees after the 10.30 am Sunday service have dwindled considerably over the past 12 months, so that some people on the rota find they are scheduled to do them twice over the three-month period. If there is anyone (male or female) in the congregation - or any member of the choir - who feels able to help, PLEASE let me know. Thank you. Penny Westgate (812920)



They shall grow not old, as we that are left grow old:  
Age shall not weary them, nor the years condemn.  
At the going down of the sun and in the morning  
We will remember them.

*Laurence Binyan (1869-1943)*

8 **CHILDREN'S ADVENT WORKSHOP** in St Peter's Church, Edgmond on Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> December from 2pm-4pm. We warmly invite all



children to attend this year's Advent Workshop and join in this happy event. There will be activities for the children and lots of Christmas cards and decorations to make during the session. We will begin the afternoon with short prayers and some Christmas songs and carols. We would be grateful if pre-school children are accompanied by an adult. Tea and coffee will be available, and squash and biscuits for the children. All adults are most welcome to stay for the whole session, unless you would prefer to get on with your Christmas preparations or shopping. There is no charge for your children's attendance at the workshop. If you would like your child or children to attend the Advent Workshop, application forms will be distributed from St Peter's School and Edgmond Owls Nursery. They will also be available in church, and from Mrs Jane Norton at 3 Bayley Hills, Edgmond. **Offers of help at the Children's Workshop would be very much appreciated. If you could help, please could you let Jane Norton or Diana Corlett know.**

9 **PLEASE NOTE:** During the interregnum, we intend to keep the Pew Sheet running. As I will not be receiving information from the Rector's diary, I will be very dependent on others sending me diary and notice information. I will look at the Church Diary each week (kept on the table at the back of the Church), **so please make sure this is up-to-date.** Please send to me all diary and/or notices to be included by the Wednesday midday at New House, Pipers Lane or email to me at [maureen.broom@btinternet.com](mailto:maureen.broom@btinternet.com) Thank you. [Maureen Broom](mailto:Maureen Broom)

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