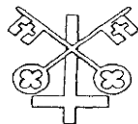


St Peter's Church Welcome



Rector	Revd Preb Helen Morby	Tel: 820217
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Churchwarden Emeritus:	John Ingram	Tel: 810337

18 November 2018 2nd Sunday before Advent

7:45 am	Holy Communion at Edgmond - R
9:15 am	Holy Communion at Waters Upton - R
10:30 am	Holy Communion at Bolas Magna - R
10:30 am	Sung Eucharist at Edgmond (by Extension) - PL
2:00-5:00pm	Bellringing Peal Attempt to Commemorate Armistice

OT Lesson	Daniel 12: 1-3	John Ingram
Epistle:	Hebrews 10: 11-14, 19-25	Tudor Pengelly
Gospel:	Mark 13: 1-8	Paul Lewis
Intercessions are led by: Mike Downing		
No Offertory Procession		

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 19 November

Revd Helen's Day Off Duty

Tuesday 20 November 2018

7:30 pm

Churches Together in Newport - see notice 3

Wednesday 21 November

4:00 pm

Magazine Bundling in Church - see notice 2

7:30 pm

Bellringing Practice

Thursday 22 November

9:30 am

Holy Communion at Edgmond - R

7:30 pm

Choir Practice



Saturday 24 November

9:30 am-1:00 pm

Shropshire Association of Bellringers Training

Morning on Silenced Bells

Sunday 25 November - Next Sunday before Advent

10:30 am

No Early Holy Communion

Benefice Service of Holy Communion for the Six
Parishes at All Saints', Tibberton - DSH/R

Retirement of Revd David Stokes-Harrison

- Thanksgiving for his Ministry



NOTICES

- 1 Farewell to Revd David Stokes-Harrison - Next Sunday, 25th November at 10.30am, there will be a joint Benefice service at All Saints Tibberton.** All tickets have sold for the lunch but please come along and share in worship. Donations towards a leaving gift to be given to churchwardens today please. (There will not be any services at St Peter's Church that Sunday.)
- 2 The double issue of the Parish Magazine for December/January** will be at the back of the Church ready for collection and distribution from this **Thursday, 22nd November.** (Magazine bundling takes place this Wednesday, 21st November but not until 4:00pm.)
- 3 Churches Together in Newport** invite any Church members to the meeting on Tuesday 20th November at 7:30pm in St. Andrews Church, Church Aston. Agenda is available from Revd Helen.
- 4 Mulled Wine and Mince Pies** will be served during Advent/Christmas at St Peter's, (as well as coffee etc. for those who would prefer that option), after the 10:30 service. **If you can supply mince pies over the coming weeks, please could you complete the sheet at the back of St Peter's Church.** Thank you
- 5 Messy Church Planning Meeting - Saturday 1st December, 10:00am in Church.** Volunteers are needed to prepare and lead craft activities, prepare and serve refreshments, set up church and clear away, welcome those attending and more. If you are willing to be involved in anyway, please attend the meeting or speak to Revd Helen.
- 6 ADVENT SUNDAY** this year falls on 2nd December (the first day of the new Church Year). As is the tradition at St Peter's, we will close the day 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. (You may find a small torch useful to read the hymns.)



- 7 Pew Bibles** - The Bibles that have been bought to be placed in the pews of our Church will be dedicated in the 10:30am service on Advent Sunday 2nd December.
- 8 Advent Morning Prayer** - Tuesdays 4th, 11th and 18th December in Church at 8:15am - followed by tea/coffee and toast!
- 9 Operation Christmas Child** - Thank you to everyone who took part in Operation Christmas Child by filling a shoe box with suitable gifts to send overseas. Hopefully, these will reach their destination in good time for Christmas. *Hilary Vince*
- 10 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 Edmond Church. Your continuing support for people in crisis is much appreciated. *Keith Norton - Trustee and Hon. Treasurer - Telford Crisis Support*
- 11 Old Gates of Pond Lane Churchyard** - Does anyone have a use for the old gates of the Pond Lane graveyard? They could possibly be restored by a very competent carpenter or maybe they are for firewood. However, they are covered in (flaking) varnish, which may make them unsuitable for firewood. Any ideas to Edric Broom. Tel 825851

A Pew Sheet will not be produced for w/b 25th November

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>