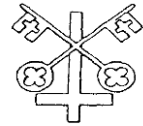


St Peter's Church

Welcome



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21 May 2017

Easter 6

Rogation Sunday

7:45 am	Holy Communion at Edgmond - R
9:00 am	Holy Communion at Preston - R
10:30 am	Family Communion at Edgmond - R
2:00 pm	Holy Baptism at Tibberton - R

Gospel:	John 14: 15-21	Alison Matthews
Intercessions are led by:		Mike Downing
Offertory Procession:		The Mothers' Union

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 = Rector's Diary; DSH = David Stokes-Harrison
PL = Paul Lewis; JI = John Ingram;
PBe = Paul Benton; PTB = Phillip Brook

Monday 22 May

Rector's Day Off

Tuesday 23 May

9:00 am Preston School Assembly - R

Wednesday 24 May

8:30 am Magazine Bundling in Church
7:30 pm Bellringing Practice



Thursday 25 May - ASCENSION DAY

7:00 am Holy Communion at Edgmond followed by Hymn Singing from the Top of the Tower - R (see notice 2)
9:30 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - R (see notice 2)
3:00 pm Meeting - R
7:30 Choir Practice



Friday 26 May

Schools' Half Term Starts at End of Day

Saturday 27 May

Noon Wedding at Bolas Magna - R
The Rector is Off Duty all Next Week



Sunday 28 May - Sunday after Ascension

7:45 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - PTB
10:30 am Sung Eucharist at Edgmond - PTB



NOTICES

1 **Today is Rogation Sunday** and following our tradition at St Peter's, during the 10:30am Communion Service we shall process to the top of the hill (up Rock Lane) for the blessing of the land, crops sown, animals and the village. Everyone is warmly invited to join us for this service (weather permitting).



2 **Ascension Day** is this Thursday, 25th May, and following the tradition of St Peter's, Edgmond there will be two celebrations of Holy Communion. The first will be at 7:00am and will be from Common Worship. This service will be followed by hymn singing from the top of the church tower, symbolising Our Lord's return to heaven. The second service will be at 9:30am and will be from the Book of Common Prayer.



3 **The Rector will be off duty** from Saturday 27th May to Friday 2nd June. In an emergency please contact David Stokes-Harrison at Tibberton Rectory on 551117 or the Churchwardens whose contact details are on the front page of this pew sheet.

4 **Purple Cope** - The Rector is hoping to purchase a purple cope for use in Advent, Lent and at funerals. A parishioner has already given a donation and if anyone else wishes to give a donation please put it in an envelope clearly marked 'Purple Cope' and hand to either the Churchwardens, Treasurer or Rector. The cope will cost about £500.

5 **Confirmation** - The Rector has received a request to prepare two young people for Confirmation. There is a Confirmation Service taking place at St Andrew's, Shifnal on 25th June at 10:30am. If anyone else, adult or young person, would like to consider being confirmed, please contact the Rector.

Please note that this pew sheet also covers week beginning 28th May - see back page

28 May 2017 Sunday after Ascension

7:45 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - PTB
10:30 am Sung Eucharist at Edgmond - PTB

NT Lesson	Acts 1: 6-14	Hilary Vince
Epistle:	1 Peter 4: 12-14; 5: 6-11	Stephen Powell
Gospel:	John 17: 1-11	Denise Lees
Intercessions are led by:		Paul Lewis
No Offertory Procession		

The Parish Magazines for June will be at the back of the Church ready for collection and distribution.

The Rector will be off duty all this week. In an emergency please contact David Stokes-Harrison at Tibberton Rectory on 551117 or the Churchwardens whose contact details are on the front page of this pew sheet.

Diary Dates

Monday 29 May

Schools' Half Term Week



Wednesday 31 May

7:30 pm Bellringing Practice

Thursday 1 June

9:30 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - TBC

7:30 Choir Practice

Saturday 3 June

2:00 pm Wedding at Preston - R



Sunday 4 June - Pentecost/Whit Sunday

7:45 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - R

9:15 am Holy Communion at Waters Upton - R

10:30 am Family Communion at Edgmond - R



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