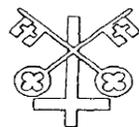


# St Peter's Church Welcome



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

## 22 October 2017 Trinity 19

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

<b>OT Lesson</b>	Exodus 33: 12-23	Diana Corlett
<b>Epistle:</b>	1 Thessalonians 1: 1-10	Ann Price
<b>Gospel:</b>	Matthew 22: 15-22	Barbara Hemmings
<b>Intercessions are led by:</b>		Beryl Ingram
<b>No Offertory Procession</b>		

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**



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

### Wednesday 25 October

7:30 pm Bellringing Practice

### Thursday 26 October

9:30 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - PB

7:30 pm Choir Practice



### Friday 27 October

7:30 pm Bellringing Practice for the Shropshire Association of Church Bellringers

### Sunday 29 October - Last Sunday after Trinity

7:45 am Holy Communion at Edgmond - PB

10:30 am **Dementia Awareness Service** - Gathered Service of Holy Communion for the Six Parishes at Edgmond - DSH

6:30 pm Service of Remembrance and Thanksgiving for the Departed of the Last 12 Months - PB



## NOTICES

**1** Now we are in 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** The Parish Magazines for November are at the back of the Church ready for collection and distribution.



**3** Next Sunday, 29<sup>th</sup> October is a fifth Sunday and there will be a Gathered Service of Holy Communion for the Six Parishes here at St Peter's. The service will be focusing on **Dementia Awareness**

4 **Ecclesiastical Insurance Company** is a specialist insurance company which insures many churches, including St Peter's. They also offer Home Insurance and to celebrate their 130<sup>th</sup> anniversary they are offering to make a £130 donation to the church for every new Home Insurance policy taken by members of the congregation. For more information there is a letter from them at the back of the church, or speak to Rod Bunyan.

5 **DEMENTIA FRIENDLY CHURCHES** - The Rector and I recently met with Sarah Thorpe, from St Andrew's Shifnal, to discuss the possibility of the churches in our benefice becoming **Dementia Friendly**. Sarah is St Andrew's Dementia Co-ordinator and is also a licensed Dementia Support Officer for the Shrewsbury Episcopal Area. Part of her role is helping churches to take part in the Diocesan-wide initiative to become Dementia Friendly. You may have noticed a Certificate to this effect also some questionnaires already in our churches. **It was agreed that the 5th Sunday in October should be designated as a 'Dementia Awareness' Service to reach out to congregations.** Sarah will take part sharing with us how we can all support this initiative. We do hope that you will give full support to help our churches to become Dementia Friendly Communities. *Pat Jones - (Taken from the October Parish Magazine)*

**Some questionnaires about Dementia are at the back of the church, and would people please take one, fill it in and return to Pat Jones.**

6 **Dementia Friendly Churches** - There is a free 4-session course being held at St. Andrew's Church Hall, Church Aston on Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup>, 24<sup>th</sup> and 31<sup>st</sup> October, and 7<sup>th</sup> November from 7:30 - 9:30pm. Everyone welcome. Please contact Sarah Thorpe, 0798 224 8949, or [sarah.thorpe@lichfield.anglican.org](mailto:sarah.thorpe@lichfield.anglican.org).

7 **Dementia-Friendly Worship** - A Training day on 28<sup>th</sup> October to look at worship in churches, residential homes, exploring what we can do to make our worship more accessible to people living with dementia and their families/carers. 10am - 4 pm (bring your own packed lunch) at St Thomas and St Andrew, Doxley, ST16 1EQ. Book your FREE place through Eventbrite or [tc@lichfield.anglican.org](mailto:tc@lichfield.anglican.org) or 01922 707864.

8 **Operation Christmas Child** - It is that time of year again when we hope to fill our shoe-box with gifts for a child for 'Operation Christmas Child' via the charity 'Samaritan's Purse.' We have enjoyed collecting our gifts for the boxes for several years now and we hope to do so again. The boxes can be brought into Church ready for collection at the end of October. They are sorted locally and then transported to reach their destination as near to Christmas as possible. Leaflets, with instructions, are on the table at the back of the Church. Thank you - Hilary Vince

## St Peter's Church Christmas Tree Festival

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> to Monday 4<sup>th</sup> December

St Peter's Church would like to invite groups, organisations, families, and local businesses to enter a decorated Christmas tree (fresh or artificial) to our Christmas Tree Festival.

There will be prizes for the best adult and best children's trees which will be judged by visitors at the event.

The tree can be themed to promote your group or individual entry.

The Flower Guild will have a small table selling Christmas arrangements and gift ideas. Tea, coffee, cakes and mince pies will be available.

Further information can be found on the entry forms which can be collected from the church or village shop.

The closing date for entries is Saturday 4<sup>th</sup> November.



9 **All Souls' Day - Requiem Mass** - On Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> November (All Souls' Day) in St Peter's Church at 9:30am we shall hold a Requiem Communion Service when we remember all the faithful departed. If anyone would like the name(s) of a loved one(s) remembered at the altar during this service, would you please write their names on the sheet of paper at the back of the church.

10 **On Saturday 18<sup>th</sup> November at 7:00pm** in St Peter's Church, Edgmond there will be a concert by the **Beaumaris Singers**. Ticket price is yet to be confirmed and will be available to be purchased on the door. There will be refreshments and a raffle. Further details will be available later. All proceeds to 'The Friends of St Peter's Church'.

11 **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 try to 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*

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