



AS A CHURCH OUR AIM IS:
 To grow closer to God, To grow closer to each other, To grow closer to the community

THE LIFE COURSE: KEEPING HEALTH IN MIND: A six week course starting on **Monday 7th October at 7pm** in the vestry. Suitable for anyone wanting to grow in confidence or learn new skills to enhance their mental well-being. This is a free course and for those of no faith or different faiths. To book/more info email infopeterjohn@gmail.com

COFFEE, CAKE & CRAFT is on **Thursday 10th October** in the hall – all welcome.

VEG BEDS MEETING: The next veg beds meeting is **Saturday 12th October**. Please do come and join us (weather permitting).

EMPOWERED CONFERENCE: on **Saturday 12th October at 9.30am**, Harris CofE Academy there is a conference for all those working with or interested in working with, children and families. If you are interested in this opportunity please visit www.dioceseofcoventry.org/empoweredconference.

BEYOND BARS: A prison week service on **Sunday 13th October, 6.30pm** at Bilton Evangelical Church. A service featuring a one hour performance by 4front theatre, looking at forgiveness, hope and what it means to be free.

CHRISTIAN AID LUNCH Sunday Our annual fundraiser Sunday lunch takes place again on **20th October at 12.30pm**. Tickets are £10 (with half going to Christian Aid). Please sign up on the sheet in the hall or email infopeterjohn@gmail.com to book a place. Menu will be roast pork & all the trimmings (veggie option on asking) followed by apple crumble. If you have any special dietary requirements please let us know.

WEEKLY ECO-TIP: Have you discovered the Rugby Unwrapped shop in the town centre. This shop allows you to purchase dry goods and cleaning materials with zero waste. Save your plastic bottles or glass jars and take them there to do your shopping.

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St Peter & St John Church

EVERYONE WELCOME

Sunday 6th October 2019 HARVEST FESTIVAL

10.30am Family Service

Giving Thanks

Bishop Christopher

5.00pm No Breathe Service

<u>This Week</u>		
Tuesday	10.30am	Knit & Natter
Wednesday	10.00am	Pjs Toddler Group
	12.00pm	Holy Communion
	12.30pm	Community Lunch
	5.30pm	Cubs
	7.15pm	Scouts & Explorers
Thursday	10.00am	Coffee, Cake & Craft
	5.30pm	Beavers
Friday	10.00am	Pjs Toddler Group (soft play)
Saturday	11.00am	Pjs Veg Beds - Weather permitting
Next Sunday 13th October		
<i>Gratitude</i>		
Service:	8.00am	Holy Communion
	10.30am	Holy Communion
	5.00pm	Breathe
Reading:	Jeremiah 31: 31-34, Luke 18: 1-8	

Today's readings taken from the New Living Translation.

Psalm 100

Shout with joy to the Lord, all the earth! Worship the Lord with gladness. Come before him, singing with joy. Acknowledge that the Lord is God! He made us, and we are his. We are his people, the sheep of his pasture. Enter his gates with thanksgiving; go into his courts with praise. Give thanks to him and praise his name. For the Lord is good. His unfailing love continues forever, and his faithfulness continues to each generation.



Today we especially want to welcome and thank all those who have helped us to reach this day of celebration; Whether you have worked hard to help us raise funds, or apply for grants; whether you have prayed and donated; whether you have written letters of support and encouragement. Thank you to all of you and a particularly warm welcome to those who have come from some distance today to be with us to mark this special occasion.

Today's collections of donated food will go to Rugby Foodbank, all cash donations from our collection today will go to Toilet twinning, 'flushing away poverty one toilet at a time'. For more information this please see www.toilettwinning.org



This week's prayer

Almighty God, you have taught us through your Son that love is the fulfilling of the law: grant that we may love you with our whole heart and our neighbours as ourselves; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

Those who need our prayer:

Jonathan Price, Kirsty Holt, Edwina Goodwin, Rachael Coysh, Kim Morton, Casper, Fiona Humphrey, Claire Boulton, Claire Worster, Julie Young, Susan & Trevor Vann, Sue Newnham, Simon Whitely, Brian Copperwheat, Liz.

If you would like to add a name to this prayer list please contact jenny@peterjohnchurch.org.uk

Each week we have a different focus for prayer:

For our mission, outreach and involvement in our local schools:

especially St Andrew's Benn, Eastlands & Harris

As a Church we are also praying for:

We are remembering/celebrating the following in October

Birthdays: 5th Heather Duncan, 29th Simon Bingham

Anniversaries: 1st Gerald & Diana King

Memorials: 14th Rev Peter Clay, 30th Richard Mortimore

God at Work:

Today we are praising God that He has done 'more than we could have asked or imagined'.