

St Peter's ^{Hartshorne}



Hello everyone

How is your lent going?

As we move into spring and as society slowly begins to open, we begin to glimpse the light at the end of the tunnel. We just need to remain patient for a few more weeks.

In my prayer time this morning I was listening to the Discovering Prayer podcast and heard the following quote from St John of the Cross. I offer it here as an encouragement:

“Live in faith and hope, though it be in darkness, for in this darkness God protects the soul. Cast your care upon God for you are His and He will not forget you.”

This weekend is Mothering Sunday, a day that is joyful for some but very hard for others. To support both we have put a prayer tree in the churchyard where people can hang prayers of thanksgiving, lament or petition, as they feel they need. Please use this to celebrate parenthood or lament loss. The tree will be in the churchyard until 28th March.



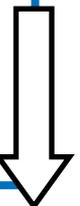
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A prayer for Mothering Sunday

Thank you God for the love of our mothers;
thank you God for their care and concern;
thank you God for the joys they have shared with us;
thank you God for the pains they have borne for us;
thank you God for all that they give us;
through Jesus Christ our Lord.

Amen

*happy
Mothers Day!!!*



APCM

The Bishop has extended the time by which APCMs must be held until the end of June. We will therefore delay our meeting in the hope that we can meet together in church for our APCM. This gives you more time to join the electoral role or to write your report!



Sunday recordings

While we are in lockdown and the church is

closed for congregational worship, our weekly sermons will be uploaded each Sunday on our Facebook page and prayer chain. If you have any questions or anything that you want to know, then please contact us via Facebook or telephone.

Phone support

For those who do not have access to Social Media, please remember that you can keep in contact through our Prayer Chain messaging system. If you are not on the prayer chain and would like to join, please send your mobile number to Stella (07802963817) and we can add you to the list.



A free phone line of hymns, reflections and prayers

Alternatively, you can access prayers and hymns via the Church of England Daily Hope telephone number.

After church coffee

After church coffee will be held this week at 4pm on Sunday.

Please join us on Zoom if you can.

Copy and paste this link into your search bar:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/86499618208?pwd=UVZUN2lGbjYrUlpla2NEYVRnaFhzZz09>

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