

St Peter's Hartshorne

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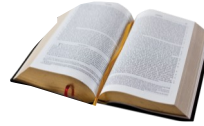


This week's service

Sunday 18th June 2023

This week's reading

Welcome to today's Holy Communion service with Rev Mike Firbank



Romans 13: 1-10.

A thought from Mike

Our Scripture for this Sunday is Romans 13: 1-10. We will be exploring some of what our Bible says about both 'rules and authority'. In life we readily obey some rules and authorities; whilst we resist others. Some seem sensible and obvious; others seem wrong or ridiculous. It's not simple - is it?

Prayer for the week

Faithful Creator,
whose mercy never fails:
deepen our faithfulness to you
and to your living Word,
Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

Prayer Meeting

We had an encouraging time on Monday, with 11 of us bringing the needs of our church and its members to the Lord in prayer. We have decided that Thursdays might be a better night to meet, so our next meeting will be at **3 Sharpwood Manor at 7pm on Thursday 22nd June.**

If there is an aspect of church life you would like us to pray about, please let me know each week in advance, even if you aren't able to attend yourself. Lifts can be arranged for people without transport, so that no one needs to miss out on this exciting step forward in the life of our church. Sandra.

Exciting Senior Manager Positions Available at Derby City Mission!

Derby City Mission is recruiting for two Senior Manager positions, offering an exciting opportunity to make a positive impact on people's lives.

These roles are crucial in managing our existing services and shaping our future direction. As part of the Senior Leadership Team, these Senior Managers will work closely with Elle, our Managing Director. We are seeking individuals with senior experience, financial management skills, and a passion for implementing change through strategic planning. Most importantly, we are looking for leaders who exemplify professionalism and reflect the values and ethos of the Christian faith in action.

Please help us spread the word by sharing the Job Descriptions and Person Specifications for the two positions.

Senior Manager - Services
and

Senior Manager - Contracts
or simply this link on our website -

<https://www.derbycitymission.org.uk/senior-manager-positions-available>

Interested individuals can download the Application Form and apply via our website too. The application deadline is Monday, 26th June 2023, at 5 pm.

Coffee & Conversation

2nd and 4th
Thursday
each month

Thursday 22nd June

Goseley Community Centre

10.30 - 12 noon



**ALL
WELCOME**

An opportunity

- to chat
- to meet friends
- to ask questions
- to pray
- or simply to sit and rest

Church diary for the next month

Thursday 22nd June
7pm Prayer meeting
 at 3 Sharpwood Manor

Sunday 25th June
10:45 Morning Worship
 led by Nigel Worth
 with Rev Bex Allpress preaching

Sunday 2nd July
10:45 Morning Worship
 led by Debbie Patrick
 with Sandra O'Toole preaching

Sunday 9th July
10:45 Holy Communion
 led by Rev Sam Mackie
 with Debbie Patrick preaching

Sunday 16th July
10:45 Morning Worship
 led by Debbie Patrick
 with Rev Mike Firbank preaching

Cleaning Rota

Please clean the church before the date marked. Please swap with someone else on the rota if you cannot clean during your week.

The toilets will be cleaned weekly by Sean & Sandra

25 th June	Jane
2 nd July	Bill
9 th July	Brian Redfern
16 th July	Val & Andy
23 rd July	Nige & Deb
30 th July	Christine

Refreshments Rota

It's a real blessing to be able to spend time chatting with one another after the service. We have a rota for serving tea & coffee.

Please swap with someone if you cannot do a particular date. Please bring the milk. Thank you

18 th June	Carol
25 th June	James
2 nd July	Maxine & Jane
9 th July	Christine
16 th July	Deb W & Alicia
23 rd July	Carol
30 th July	James
6 th Aug	Maxine & Jane

Eucharist Journey

You may have noticed the paper doves hanging from the Communion rail when you came into church. On Thursday afternoon a group of 30 Year 5 and 6 children from Hartshorne Primary School visited St Peter's. They were here to take part in Eucharist Journey. One of the stations was all about sharing the peace. The children learned that the Jewish word for peace is "Shalom". The children also learned about being welcomed into church through baptism, saying sorry, forgiveness and the significance of bread and wine. At the end of the visit some of the children put the crosses that they had made in the empty tomb that you may have noticed in the churchyard.

