



Hartshorne St Peter's

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This week's service

Welcome to today's service
led by Sandra O'Toole
with Sean O'Toole preaching

Sunday 10th September 2023

This week's reading



Romans 5:21-
Romans 6:1-14

A thought from Sean

Dead to self: Alive to Christ.

Even though we know that when we have put our complete trust in Jesus and that He has dealt with our sin, many Christians still struggle with a legacy of guilt and shame. In the book of Romans, Paul reminds us that when we turned our backs on a life of sin and proclaimed Jesus as our Lord, our debt of sin, guilt and shame was wiped totally clean. The challenge for us is to live moment by moment in the joy of that salvation, which was so dearly bought through Jesus' death. In our daily battle against sin let's remember that we now live under the freedom of God's grace and have the Holy Spirit dwelling in us to strengthen us.

Coffee & Conversation

Thursday 14th September

Goseley Community Centre

10.30 - 12 noon



An opportunity

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

2nd and 4th

Thursday
each month

**ALL
WELCOME**

Prayer for the week

Merciful God,
your Son came to save us
and bore our sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy
and know your love,
rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen

Weekly Prayer Meeting

We meet each
Thursday from
7-8pm.

These are
exciting
meetings and each week they're led by a
different member of the group. Not
everyone who comes prays aloud, so don't
be nervous about that. The important thing
is to be part of it. If you need a lift speak to
Nigel or Sandra



Church diary for the next month

Thursday 14th September
7pm Prayer meeting
 at 3 Sharpwood Manor

Saturday 16th September
10am Heritage Open Day
 Tower tours and heritage displays

Wednesday 20th September
7pm PCC meeting at Emmanuel

Friday 22nd September
7.30pm Women's Weekend

Saturday 23rd September
10am Women's Weekend
 Gresley Community Centre

Sunday 24th September
10:45 Special SDYFC service
 with Helen and Becky

Sunday 1st October
10:45 Harvest Thanksgiving
 with Rev Patrick Douglas
 An opportunity to bring your gifts for Swadlincote Foodbank



Sunday 8th October
10:45 Morning Worship

Sunday 15th October
10:45 Holy Communion
 with Rev Mike Firbank
12:45 Baptism of Eliana Ramsell

Saturday 21st October
2.30pm Wedding

Sunday 22nd October
10:45 Morning Worship

Sunday 29th October
10:00 Joint Minster Service
 at St John's, Newhall
 with Bishop Libby

Saturday 4th November
10am SDYFC Coffee Morning and Craft Fair in the church hall



Come along to support this event
 Meet your friends
 Buy original hand-crafted Christmas presents
 Find out more about what SDYFC is doing in this area

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

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| 17 th Sept | Jane |
| 24 th Sept | Bill |
| 1 st Oct | Brian Redfern |
| 8 th Oct | Val & Andy |
| 15 th Oct | Nige & Deb |
| 22 nd Oct | Christine |
| 29 th Oct | Deb P |

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

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| 10 th Sept | Maxine & Jane |
| 17 th Sept | Christine |
| 24 th Sept | Deb W & Alicia |
| 1 st Oct | Carol |
| 8 th Oct | James |
| 15 th Oct | Maxine & Jane |
| 22 nd Oct | Christine |
| 29 th Oct | Deb W & Alicia |

Saturday 10th September

heritage open days



St Peter's will be open 10am — 4pm

An opportunity to climb the spiral staircase to the top of the church tower to see the bells and clock room.



Churchyard trail and quizzes to

learn more about the history of the church and churchyard.

If you've never been up the tower to see the bells now's your chance!

Come along to support this venture.

We will be serving refreshments throughout the day.