

Hartshorne St Peter's

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Sunday 4th May 2025

This week's service

10:45 All-age Worship
led by Nigel Worth
with Revd Alison Redshaw
preaching



This week's reading



John 21:1-19

A thought from Alison

I don't know if we really ought to have favourite passages of Scripture. But if we are allowed them, this is my favourite. It is such a beautiful story of grace and compassion and loving kindness. Every time I read it, I see something different.

And John crafts the story so well, it is beautifully told. And through it, we have so much to learn about who we are and who Jesus is to us.

Prayer for the week

Risen Christ,
you filled your disciples with boldness
and fresh hope:
strengthen us to proclaim your risen
life
and fill us with your peace,
to the glory of God the Father.
Amen

Cherry and Walnut Squares

contributed by Jane

When I was a child baking cakes was a regular activity and one of my favourites was a traybake made with cherries and walnuts. A few months ago I thought I'd have a go at making it but couldn't find the exact recipe that I remembered. After a few tweaks this is the nearest to the original version. It has proved very popular with adults and children alike.

Base

250g plain flour
100g sugar
175g butter softened



Topping

3 eggs
200g sugar
1 tsp vanilla extract
½ tsp baking powder
½ tsp salt
100g walnuts, chopped
150g glace cherries, quartered

1. Preheat oven to 170 degrees C. Line a 9 x13-tin with greaseproof paper.
2. Mix flour, butter, and white sugar together into a smooth dough in a large bowl. Press evenly into prepared pan to make crust.
3. Bake in the preheated oven until crust is lightly golden, about 10 minutes. Remove from oven and let cool.
4. Whisk eggs in a large bowl until fluffy, 2 to 3 minutes. Add sugar, vanilla, baking powder, and salt; mix well until smooth. Fold in walnuts and glace cherries. Spread filling over baked crust.
5. Bake in the preheated oven until filling is set and golden brown, 20 to 25 minutes.
6. Remove from oven and allow to cool completely.

Church diary

Sunday 11th May
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Revd Patrick Douglas

Sunday 18th May
10:45 Holy Communion
 led by Debbie Patrick
 with Revd Alison supporting

Sunday 25th May
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Revd Mike Firbank

Sunday 1st June
10:45 All-age Worship
 with Revd Mike Firbank supporting

Sunday 8th June
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Nigel Worth




Sunday 15th June
10:45 Holy Communion
 led by Sean O'Toole
 with Revd Alison supporting

Sunday 22nd June
10:45 Morning Worship
 with Debbie Patrick

Cleaning Rota

May 11 th	Friday house group	Whole church, including brasses
May 18 th	Brian Redfern	Main body, kitchen & N. Aisle
" "	Bill	Brasses
May 25 th	Christine G	Main body, vestry & bell tower, sweeping porch
June 1 st	Deb & Nige	Whole church
June 8 th	Jeff	Main body
" "	Brian A	Sweeping porch

Reading, Intercessions & Refreshments Rota

	Reading 	Prayers 	Tea / Coffee 
May 4 th	Sandra	Christine	James
May 11 th	Christine	Sean	Maxine & Jane
May 18 th	John	Brian	Carol
May 25 th	Paul	Friday HG	Gwen
June 1 st	Brian	Nigel	Deb W
June 8 th	Jeff	Christine	James

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FOR YOU ...
COME AND HAVE A BREW



COFFEE &
CONVERSATION

Goseley

CANCELLED

because of holiday commitments
Our next meeting
will be on 22nd May

An opportunity

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

We meet on
2nd and 4th
Thursday
each month

**ALL
WELCOME**