



The Parish of
Winchcombe

13 May 2018

The Seventh Sunday of Easter

Growing in God, growing the family of God

Welcome!

Jesus is our great high priest who has passed into the heavens. He prepares a place for us, that we might reign with him in glory. Alleluia.

Services for Today

St Peter's, Winchcombe

8.00am Holy Communion

President and Preacher: Michael Hand

10.30am Parish Communion

*President and Preacher: John Paul Hoskins
Deacon: Cliff Cocks*

Christ Church, Gretton

10.00am Holy Communion

President and Preacher: Michael Hand

St Michael's, Stanley Pontlarge

No Service today

Today's Readings

Morning Service

Acts 1.15-17, 21-26 (NT, page 114)

I John 5.9-13 (NT, page 239)

John 17.6-19 (NT, page 108)

Prayer Bookmarks

You have been given a prayer bookmark. This is to invite you to pray for people you know whom you would wish to come to faith or whose faith, at this time, needs strengthening. The space on the card is for you to write their names, place the bookmark somewhere visible and pray during the ten days from Ascension Day to Pentecost. www.thykingdomcome.global

Service Streaming and Prayer Ministry

Listen to selected services at St Peter's through our website winchcombeparish.org.uk/links.php.

Prayer Ministry is available after the 10.30am Parish Communion at St Peter's in the Lady Chapel

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Collect

O God the King of glory,
you have exalted your only Son Jesus Christ
with great triumph to your kingdom in heaven:
we beseech you, leave us not comfortless,
but send your Holy Spirit to strengthen us
and exalt us to the place where our Saviour
Christ is gone before,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.

Weekday Services (14-19 May)

Services are at St Peter's unless otherwise stated.

Monday	9.00am	Morning Prayer and Holy Communion
Tuesday	9.00am	Morning Prayer and Holy Communion
Wednesday	10.00am	Holy Communion
	4.30pm	Evening Prayer (Snowhill)
	7.30pm	Prayers for the Community
Thursday	9.00am	Holy Communion
	10.00am	Toddler Time
Friday	9.00am	Morning Prayer and Holy Communion
	12.00pm	Funeral of Joyce Wixey
	2.00pm	Thanksgiving Service for Sylvia Barton

Sunday 20 May - Pentecost

St Peter's, Winchcombe

8.00am Holy Communion

10.30am Parish Communion and Baptism of
Beatrix Tiffin

12.30pm Baptism of Henry Hancock

6.30pm Choral Evensong

St Michael's, Stanley Pontlarge

9.15am Holy Communion

Gretton Village Hall

10.00am Café Church

Forty people of all ages came along to the first
Gretton Café Church last month. We are hoping
to build on this success next Sunday. If you are
not sure what it is, come along and see!

Permissive Footpath Closure

The permissive footpath through St Peter's Churchyard will be closed from Wednesday and Thursday this week for repairs to the stonework.

Christian Aid Week (13-19 May)

Today's Men's Breakfast and this month's Ladies' Breakfasts (27 May) are in aid of Christian Aid and a collection will be made at each.

Great Western Air Ambulance

Please join us at the Guide Hall on Friday 18 May 12.00-1.30pm for the Celebration Fund Raising Lunch in aid of this life saving charity. The cost is £5 and will be in the same format as the Lent Lunch which was snowed off this year!

Charingworth Court Garden

We will be open on 19 and 20 May for the National Gardens Scheme from 11.00am until 5.30pm. Homemade teas served each day in aid of The Children's Society.

Festival of Music & Arts

From 21 to 28 May the Eighth Winchcombe Festival of Music & Arts will offer a variety of events in and around Winchcombe. Please see the programme for details and tickets:
winchcombefestival.co.uk.

Christ Church's 150th Anniversary

Bishop Rachel will be with us as we celebrate the 150th Anniversary of Christ Church, Gretton together on Sunday 3 June at 11.00am.

Octavo will be giving a concert on Friday 8 June at 7.30pm in Christ Church. Tickets £10 including interval drinks from the SPC Office.

St Peter's Windows

Hear Adrian Barlow talk on St Peter's stained glass windows and the heraldry. Friday 22 June at either 10.30am or 2.30pm. Tickets £5 now available from the Coventry Building Society. Limited availability.

Church Summer Fete

We urgently need some help coordinating children's activities and refreshments stand (tea/coffee/cake). If you are able to help, please speak to Rachel Merritt (602067) or Margaret Bearne (604593).

Music at St Peter's Today

Morning Service:

Hymns: 580, 644, 12, 54

Anthem: Lift up your heads - Mathias

Children and Young People

We have children's groups during the 10.30am service at St Peter's for those aged 4-18. Please gather at the back of the church when instructed. A toilet and baby changing facilities are available by the kitchen at the back of the church. There are toys available in the Lady Chapel and activity packs for older children.

Toddler Time

Toddler Time is every Thursday at 10.00am in St Peter's Lady Chapel. We meet for craft, story time, music, play and refreshments. Children from babies to preschool are welcome with parents, grandparents and carers.

General Data Protection Regulations

We are working hard to become compliant with GDPR. If you hold personal data which identifies a person such as a name and address, which you use for the purposes of church business please speak to Rachel Merritt (602067) if you have not done so already.

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