

St Peter's Church, St Albans

Day of Pentecost

27 May 2012



Welcome to St Peter's

If you are a newcomer please introduce yourself to a sidesman.

 An INDUCTION LOOP is installed - please switch hearing aid to "T" position. LARGE PRINT versions of our service booklets are available.

Gluten-free wafers are available at our communion services on request.

A collection is taken as part of our offering of worship. This directly supports our ministry & mission. If a UK tax payer, we would be grateful if you would consider placing your gift in a white gift aid envelope and filling in your details. This will enable us to reclaim the tax that you have paid on the donation at no cost to yourself. If you attend regularly, remember you can set up a direct debit and sign a one-off gift aid form. Forms available from our Parish Giving Officer or from the shelf by the south doors.

*Whichever service you are attending today,
we hope our worship will be a blessing to you.*

Visit our website: www.stpeterschurch.uk.com

Our e-mail address is
mail@stpeterschurch.uk.com

8am Holy Communion (Book of Common Prayer, page 236)

President: The Revd Steve Hollinghurst

Collect, Epistle and Gospel page 147

9.30am Holy Communion

President: The Revd Anne Hollinghurst

Sermon: The Revd Steve Hollinghurst

Please refer to the separate service order.

Welcome to Parents

A special welcome to you if you have brought children to church. We are delighted to have them join in the worship, however lively they are. There is a crèche at the back of church for babies and very young children, and changing facilities are available. Junior Church groups for ages 4+ meet in the Octagon – please ask directions from a sidesman. All children are invited to process through to the Octagon during the first hymn to these activities. You are welcome to stay with your children or walk them around as you need to. They come back after the **Peace** to join in the rest of the service.

Please join us for coffee in the Octagon after the service.

Services next Sunday – Trinity Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (said - BCP)

9.30am Holy Communion (sung – CW)

11.15am Choral Mattins for the Diamond Jubilee

6.30pm Festal Evensong

Morning Prayer is said Monday to Friday in the Lady Chapel, 9 – 9.30 am.

11.15am Choral Mattins (see Book of Common Prayer page 1)

Led by The Revd Jos Perris

Introit Ave verum corpus - Edward Elgar

Hail true body, born of the Virgin Mary, suffering indeed, sacrificed for man on the cross, from whose pierced side blood flowed in truth: Feed us with your body in the trial of death, O merciful, O holy, O sweet Jesus, son of Mary, have mercy on me.

Hymn 138

Confession & Absolution (p.3)

Responses (p.4) Clucas

Venite (p.5) to a chant

Psalm (*we sit*) 48 (p.405)

Old Testament Isaiah 11. 1-9 [Kitty Fernback]

Te Deum (p.6) to chants

New Testament 1 Corinthians 12. 4-13 [Sue Jones]

Jubilate (p.11) Ireland in F

Creed (p.11)

Responses & Prayers (p.12-13)

Anthem Come down, O Love divine - William H Harris

Come down, O Love divine, Seek thou this soul of mine, And visit it with thine own ardour glowing; O Comforter draw near, Within my heart appear, And kindle it, thy holy flame bestowing. O let it freely burn, Till earthly passions turn To dust and ashes in its heat consuming; And let thy glorious light Shine ever on my sight, And clothe me round, the while my path illuming. Let holy charity Mine outward vesture be, And lowliness become mine inner clothing: True lowliness of heart, Which takes the humbler part, And o'er its own shortcomings weeps with loathing. And so the yearning strong, With which the soul will long, Shall far outpass the pow'r of human telling; For none can guess its grace, Till he become the place Wherein the Holy Spirit makes his dwelling. Amen.

Words by Bianco da Siena, Tr. by R F Littledale

Intercessions

Notices

Hymn 140

Sermon The Revd Anne Hollinghurst

Offertory Hymn 137

Blessing

6.30pm Festal Evensong (see Book of Common Prayer page 16)

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Hymn 136

Responses (p.19) Clucas

Psalm (*we sit*) 145 (p.532)

Old Testament Ezekiel 36. 22-28 [Katherine Butler]

Magnificat Stanford in A

New Testament Acts 22. 2-38 [Richard Butler]

Nunc Dimittis Stanford in A

Creed (p.22)

Responses & Prayers (p.23-24)

Anthem Come, Holy Ghost – Thomas Attwood

Come, Holy Ghost, our souls inspire and lighten with celestial fire. Thou the anointing Spirit art, Who dost Thy sevenfold gifts impart. Thy blessed unction from above, Is comfort, life, and fire of love. Enable with perpetual light, The dullness of our blinded sight; Anoint and cheer our soiled face, With the abundance of Thy grace. Keep far our foes, give peace at home, Where Thou art guide no ill can come. Teach us to know the Father, Son, And Thee of both to be but one, That through the ages all along, This may be our endless song; Praise to Thy eternal merit, Father, Son, and Holy Spirit.

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Offertory Hymn 139

Sermon Margaret Tinsley

Processional Hymn [Please refer to separate service sheet]

Responsory & Blessing

The Ministerial Team at St Peter's will be pleased to speak with you after any of our services.

Vicar:

The Revd Anne Hollinghurst

Curate:

The Revd Jos Perris

Readers:

Margaret Tinsley

Godfrey Lloyd

Assisting Priests:

The Revd Jan Neale

The Revd Nancy Walthew

The Revd Steve Hollinghurst

The Revd Gill Keir

Junior Church Leader & Pastoral Assistant:

Angela Corscaden