



THE WEEK AHEAD



ST PETER'S FILTON | DIOCESE OF BRISTOL | CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Worship this week

Petertide
8.30am & 10am Eucharist

Midweek services

Wednesday: 7pm Evening
Worship

Thursday: 11am Morning
Worship

Community Events

Coffee Shop

Monday - Thursday
10am - 1pm

Open House

Tuesday 9.30am Church Hall

Time to Grieve

10.30am Coffee Shop

Games Group

Thursday 10am Coffee Shop

Knitting Group

Thursday 5pm

Church Groups

Bell Ringing Practice

Thursday 7.30pm

Choir Rehearsal

Friday 7pm

Serving God, by serving you, your family & the Community

Welcome to St Peter's Church, Filton. We are a friendly, inclusive church welcoming everyone who wishes to worship with us. Join us in whatever way you can.



www.facebook.com/stpetersfilton



Meeting ID: 349 514 8166
Password: 154508
Tel: 0203 481 5240

Live-streaming

Please be aware that the 10am service every Sunday is live-streamed to our Facebook page. Coming to the altar to receive communion implies consent to be seen on camera. If you are unhappy to do so, do have a chat with one of the clergy or wardens and we can make arrangements to bring it to you in your pew.

Giving to Church

We pass collection plates around the pews during the offertory hymn. If you prefer not to use cash, you can use this QR code to donate to the running of the church. You can also give online by clicking on the "donate button" on the home page of our [website](#). Or you can use the QR code on the end of each pew in church.



Thank you so much for your continued support in the running and upkeep of your church.

Mothers' Union - Save the Date!

St Peter's Filton MU are organising a Cream Tea on **Thursday 9 July 2pm** in the Coffee shop. Cost £5 - all profit to Church Funds and MU Bristol projects. Please add your name to list at back of church. Linda and Louise

Of your charity please pray for:

- **Those acutely unwell:** June Watkins, Bruce Stedman, Mary Haslum, Shala Spiller, Chris Leslie, Jenny Cleaves
- **Those with chronic or long-term conditions:** Katie Roberts-Malpass, Alice Morris, Mark Olive, Ruth and Eddy Welch, Michael Keeble, Pauline Rowley
- **Those in need:** The victims of the Venezuelan earthquakes
- **Our local community:** Butterflies Haven
- **Our Church and the wider diocese of Bristol:** Our Choir
- **The departed:** Stephen Whitehead
- **Those whose anniversary falls this week:** Joe Gore, Jackie Beard, Peggy Duffett, Herbert Jamera

For a monthly diocesan prayer cycle, please see [link](#)

Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

Amen

Northavon Singers Concert

On **Wednesday 8th July 2026 at 7.30pm**, the wonderful singing group who rehearse in our hall are having their Summer Concert. The theme is “Guys and Dolls; Lads and Lasses” and will feature songs from the musicals. The concert will be held in the church hall and tickets cost £7, including refreshments. Proceeds from the concert will go towards the Audio-Visual Tech Fund for the church. For further information speak to Margaret in our choir, or call 07939 982382.

Commonwealth War Graves

We have a number of Commonwealth War Graves in our churchyard but have never had a sign telling people. Thanks to the tenacity and perseverance of a group of our church family, I’m delighted to say that we have received approval from the Archdeacon and confirmation from the Commonwealth War Graves Commission that this can now be rectified. Within the year we will have a sign outside the church telling people that we have war graves within our churchyard.

Time to Grieve

We meet on the **first Wednesday of the month, 10.30am**, in the Coffee Shop. If you are grieving the loss of a loved one, come along to our friendly group where you will find support from Margaret, our retired grief counsellor. Our next meeting will be **this Wednesday, 1st July**.

Thursday services

We have a wonderful, friendly group of worshippers on a Thursday morning for our 11am service. Everyone looks after one another and helps out where they can. Our worship is enhanced by different visiting priests who all bring their own style to the service. Sometimes we don’t have a priest, but offer a contemplative service of Morning Prayer instead. Everyone is welcome to join us at 11am in the Lady Chapel for what is often a slightly more informal, said service. Faith

Hymnathon fundraiser

Come and join us on Tuesday 7th July from 11.30 to 1pm when we will be having a Hymnathon in aid of the church AudioVisual Fund! Everyone is welcome! For more information please have a chat with Viv.

Church Wardens: Janet Moller & Linda Keeble wardens.stpeterschurchilton@gmail.com

Administrator: Faith Tutton faith.stpeterschurchilton@gmail.com

Introits

The introits we use change with the liturgical seasons and reflect the nature of worship for which we prepare ourselves in the 5 minutes before the service. ***This is a time of reflective prayer.*** Please continue to join in with the introits if you wish.

We mainly use Taize chants, which are a form of spiritual reflection. This does not work so well if people cannot be still and calm their minds.

Please be mindful of this when you enter the church and keep the peaceful 5 minutes, if not for yourself then in respect of others who are doing so.

I have had great feedback about moving the choir amongst the congregation, so we will keep doing this in various ways when we can. Singing sends prayers twofold (Attributed to St Augustine), elevating the words into a deeper, more emotional form of worship.

Let's keep up the prayer and praise! Viv

Vacancy

St Peter's is now in vacancy while the PCC work with the Diocese of Bristol to find a new priest. In the meantime we have the support of Fr Allan and various different visiting priests. **We hope to keep disruption to services to a minimum through this time, though you may see that weekday services are disrupted.** Your understanding is appreciated while we do our best to keep interruptions to a minimum. Keep an eye on Facebook for the latest updates

Useful contacts

Faith, your administrator, for general church enquiries, and enquiries relating to baptisms, weddings, and Banns: faith.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

Linda and Janet, your Church Wardens, for any concerns regarding the church building, churchyard, or church services, and for funerals: wardens.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

Anne-Louise Pam for safeguarding concerns about any member of the congregation: Safe.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

Claire Eade LLM for any concerns regarding pastoral care: claire.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

John Cahill for any financial enquiries: treasurer.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

Mandy Leslie for Coffee Shop enquiries: coffee.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

Nick Moller for Church Hall bookings: bookhall.stpeterschurchfilton@gmail.com

The church mobile (07452 992 122) will be held by the Church Wardens. Whilst they will check it regularly, please try to contact people in the ways detailed above.