



The Collegiate Church of St Peter, Wolverhampton

This week's music and notices

Sunday 18th September, 2022 – Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

11.15am – Reflective Said Eucharist (BCP) with Act of Remembrance for Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

6.30pm – Choral Eucharist followed by National Silence at 8.00pm

The week ahead

The church will be open for private prayer from 11.00am to 2.00pm from Tuesday to Friday

Monday 19th September

The Church will be closed all day

Tuesday 20th September

9.45am Pebbles

Wednesday 21st September

10.30am Said Eucharist in St John's in the Square

5.15pm Choral Evensong in the Chancel

Thursday 22nd September

10.30am Knit and Natter in St Peter's House

Friday 23rd September

12.30pm Said Eucharist (Common Worship) in the Chancel

1.15pm Lunchtime Live!

Sunday 25th September – Michael and All Angels

11.15am Choral Eucharist in the Nave

6.30pm Choral Evensong in the Chancel

**Sunday 18th September 2022 – 11.15am
Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity**

Please see separate service sheet

Choral Eucharist – 6.30pm

Musical Setting Mass for three voices – Byrd

Introit Hymn

**1. I come with joy to meet my Lord,
Forgiven, loved, and free,
In awe and wonder to recall
His life laid down for me.**

**2. I come with Christians far and near
To find, as all are fed,
The new community of love
In Christ's communion bread.**

**3. As Christ breaks bread and bids us
share,
Each proud division ends.
The love that made us, makes us one,
And strangers now are friends.**

**4. And thus with joy we meet our
Lord.
His presence, always near,
Is in such friendship better known:
We see and praise him here.**

**5. Together met, together bound,
We'll go our different ways,
And as his people in the world,
We'll live and speak his praise.**

*Tune: St Botolph (NEP 623)
Brian Wren (b.1936)*

Collect

Almighty God, whose only Son has opened for us a new and living way into your presence: give us pure hearts and steadfast wills to worship you in spirit and in truth; through 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**

First Reading 1 Timothy 2: 1 – 7

Gradual Hymn

**1. Father of heaven, whose love
profound**

**A ransom for our souls hath found,
Before thy throne we sinners bend,
To us thy pardoning love extend.**

**3. Eternal Spirit, by whose breath
The soul is raised from sin and death,
Before thy throne we sinners bend,
To us thy quickening power extend.**

**2. Almighty Son, incarnate Word,
Our Prophet, Priest, Redeemer, Lord,
Before thy throne we sinners bend,
To us thy saving grace extend.**

**4. Thrice Holy! Father, Spirit, Son;
Mysterious Godhead, three in one,
Before thy throne we sinners bend,
Grace, pardon, life to us extend.**

*Tune: Rievaulx (NEH 358)
Edward Cooper (1770-1833)*

Gospel

Luke 16; 1 – 13

Offertory Hymn

**1. Son of God, eternal Saviour,
Source of life and truth and grace,
Son of Man, whose birth among us
Hallows all our human race,
Thou, our head, who, throned in glory,
For thine own dost ever plead,
Fill us with thy love and pity,
Heal our wrongs, and help our need.**

**3. Come, O Christ, and reign among us,
King of love, and prince of peace,
Hush the storm of strife and passion,
Bid its cruel discords cease;
By thy patient years of toiling,
By thy silent hours of pain,
Quench our fevered thirst of pleasure,
Shame our selfish greed of gain.**

**2. As thou, Lord, hast lived for others,
So may we for others live;
Freely have thy gifts been granted,
Freely may thy servants give.
Thine the gold and thine the silver,
Thine the wealth of land and sea,
We but stewards of thy bounty,
Held in solemn trust for thee.**

**4. Son of God, eternal Saviour,
Source of life and truth and grace,
Son of Man, whose birth among us
Hallows all our human race,
Thou who prayedst, thou who willest
That thy people should be one,
Grant, O grant our hope's fruition:
Here on earth thy will be done.**

*Tune: Everton (NEH 498)
Somerset Lowry (1855-1932)*

Post Communion Motet *O salutaris hostia* – Rossini

Post Communion Prayer

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship, united in prayer and the breaking of bread, and one in joy and simplicity of heart, in Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Final Hymn

**1. Now thank we all our God,
With heart and hands and voices,
Who wondrous things hath done,
In whom his world rejoices;
Who from our mother's arms
Hath blessed us on our way
With countless gifts of love,
And still is ours today.**

**2. O may this bounteous God
Through all our life be near us,
With ever joyful hearts
And blessed peace to cheer us;
And keep us in his grace,
And guide us when perplexed,
And free us from all ills
In this world and the next.**

**3. All praise and thanks to God
The Father now be given,
The Son, and him who reigns
With them in highest heaven,
The one eternal God,
Whom earth and heaven adore,
For thus it was, is now,
And shall be evermore.**

*Tune: Nun Danket (NEH 413)
German, Martin Rinkart (1586-1649)*

Organ Voluntary Cantique – Elgar

Wednesday 21st September, 2022 – St Matthew Choral Evensong – 5.15pm

Preces and Responses Malcolm Archer

The Berkshire Service Malcolm Archer

Psalm 119: 33-40

Legem pone

TEACH me, O Lord, the way of thy statutes : and I shall keep it unto the end.

34 Give me understanding, and I shall keep thy law : yea, I shall keep it with my whole heart.

35 Make me to go in the path of thy commandments : for therein is my desire.

36 Incline my heart unto thy testimonies : and not to covetousness.

37 O turn away mine eyes, lest they behold vanity : and quicken thou me in thy way.

38 O stablish thy word in thy servant : that I may fear thee.

39 Take away the rebuke that I am afraid of : for thy judgements are good.

40 Behold, my delight is in thy commandments : O quicken me in thy righteousness.

First Lesson Ecclesiastes 5: 4 – 12

Second Lesson Matthew 19: 16 – end

Anthem Gaudent in coelis – Dering

Hymn

**1. He sat to watch o'er customs paid,
A man of scorned and hardening trade,
Alike the symbol and the tool
Of foreign masters' hated rule.**

**3. Enough, when thou wast passing by,
To hear thy voice, to meet thine eye;
He rose, responsive to the call,
And left his task, his gains, his all.**

**5. Come, Saviour, as in days of old;
Pass where the world has strongest hold,
And faithless care and selfish greed
Are thorns that choke the holy seed.**

**2. But grace within his heart had stirred,
There needed but the timely word;
It came, true Lord of souls, from thee,
That royal summons, "Follow me."**

**4. O wise exchange! with these to part,
And lay up treasure in the heart;
Who now with crown of light doth shine
Among the apostolic line.**

**6. Who keeps thy gifts, O bid them claim
The steward's, not the owner's name;
Who yield up all for thy dear sake.
Let them of Matthew's wealth partake.**

*Tune: Breslau (NEH 76)
William Bright (1824-1901)*

Notices

Administering Communion

As you approach the altar, please gel your hands.

Move to either side of the altar as usual where the priest will offer you the consecrated bread which has been dipped into the consecrated wine and place it in your hands.

If you wish to receive a blessing rather than Communion, please take your service sheet with you. If you would like gluten free bread at Communion, please just ask.

Return to your seat via the side aisles as usual.

Ukrainian Refugee - Help Requested

Nick and Fiona Rendell have had lots of wonderful offers of help and now just have a few items they still need. These include;

- Stair gates
- Size 41/8 shoes for the Alexandra (e.g trainers/flat shoes)
- Clothes, size 14/16 approx.

Advance notice - Friend's of St Peter's Music - AGM

The Friend's Annual General Meeting will take place on Sunday 30th October in church after the 11.15am Eucharist.

Amazon Smile

When making purchases from Amazon you can now support your local charities, including The Friends Of The Music Of St Peter's Collegiate Church.

By shopping at smile.amazon.co.uk and selecting your chosen charity, Amazon will make a donation at no extra cost to you.

Junior Church

There will be Junior Church today

Edington Festival Award 2022

We are delighted to announce that the Cathedral Music Trust and the Edington Music Festival have named St Peter's as the winner of the 2022 Edington Festival Award.

The award of £3,000 will allow us to provide singing lessons for every chorister and we are very grateful to the Edington Festival for this grant. It is an honour to have been chosen.

Friends of the Music Quiz Night – Saturday 1st October in St Peter's House

This very popular event will be taking place at 7pm. As before there will be a quiz followed by a fish and chip supper. Tickets costing £10 per person will be available on Sunday in church or via this QR code



University Chaplaincy Collection – Reduce Reuse Recycle

Good quality kitchen and homeware needed to help students set up home in an affordable, environmentally friendly way. Items can be left at the Chaplaincy on Molineux Street

throughout September, or Harrison Library Centre from 14th September. Further details are available at chaplaincy@wlv.ac.uk or 01902 322903.

Friday Lunchtime Recitals

Following two very successful recitals, details of further recitals are;

23rd September – Charles Francis (organ)

30th September – Paola Cardarelli (violin) and Simone Damiani (piano)

Zoom Discussion Group

East Shropshire and Wolverhampton Progressive Christianity Group invite you to a series of ZOOM discussions on Canon Mark Oakley's book 'By Way of the Heart', Mark is a Church of England priest, poet and Dean of St. John's College Cambridge.

The book (Canterbury Press - 2019) is easily available to order from bookshops or Amazon and is a series of short sermons which roughly follow the Christian year plus various special celebrations and anniversaries. We will look at one or two each time (notified in advance) and discuss them together after a brief introduction and reading out some brief passages for those who do not have their own copy.

Everyone interested in exploring innovative Christian ideas in an inclusive and supportive setting is welcome. The dates for 2022 are October 10th, November 14th and December 12th from 7.00 – 8.15. We will carry on after Christmas if that's what the group wants.

To be sent the ZOOM link and a reminder for each meeting email ben.whitney1@btinternet.com. There is no charge.

Organ Stop Wine Stoppers

The allocation has now been completed and the stoppers, together with their certificates of authenticity, are ready for collection from church.

Organ Celebrations

At 4pm on Sunday 2nd October there will be performance in church of the Saint-Saëns Organ Symphony and the Handel Organ Concerto in F. Callum Alger will be playing the organ and Peter Morris will be conducting the orchestra. Tickets are available at Trybooking (via QR code) £10/Under 18's free.



Steven Moore 2022 Concert Tour

Percussionist Steven Moore will be performing his solo concert on Marimba and Vibraphone on Wednesday 19th October, 7pm until 8pm at St John's in the Square. Further details can be obtained at www.stevenmoorepercussionist.com

Gift Shop

New in stock – "Maestoso" the new CD by Director of Music Callum Alger, featuring music by Bairstow and Elgar played on the organ of St Matthew's Church, Northampton - price £10.

“Organs of St Peter’s Church, Wolverhampton”, new booklet by our former Director of Music, Peter Morris – price £5.

Please have a look at these and the other excellent products in our shop.

Giving

General & Gift Aid Donations

Those who are UK taxpayers and who wish to make a donation are asked to use one of the small white envelopes which can be found by the doors and in the pews. Please ensure that you fill in your details in ink on the front. This will enable HMRC to add 25% to your gift. If you would like to commit yourself to regular giving through our envelope scheme, please ask one of the stewards or churchwardens.

St Peter’s welcomes donations via our Just Giving page:

www.justgiving.com/fundraising/stpeterwolverhampton.

Standing Orders

Perhaps the simplest way to give regularly is by Standing Order. Please tell us so that we can do what’s necessary to claim Gift Aid. Please email us for our bank details.

Giving by Post

You are most welcome to send regular and one-off donations by posting a cheque (please see address below) but please do not send cash.

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