



The Collegiate Church of St Peter, Wolverhampton

This week's music and notices

Sunday 11th September, 2022 – Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

11.15am – Requiem Eucharist for Her Late Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

6.30pm – Choral Evensong

The week ahead

The church will be open for private prayer from 11.00am to 4.00pm from Monday to Friday

Tuesday 13th September

9.45am Pebbles

Wednesday 14th September

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

5.15pm Choral Evensong in the Chancel

Thursday 15th September

10.30am Knit and Natter in St Peter's House

2.00pm Requiem Eucharist for the Reverend Edwin Brookes

Friday 16th September

12.30pm Said Eucharist (BCP) in the Chancel

1.15pm Lunchtime Live!

Sunday 18th September – Fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

11.15am Civic Service in the Nave

6.30pm Choral Eucharist in the Chancel

**Sunday 11th September 2022 – 11.15am
Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity**

Please see separate service sheet

Choral Evensong– 6.30pm

Preces and Responses Paul Spicer

Evening Service in E Murrill

Opening Hymn

**1. Now is eternal life,
If risen with Christ we stand,
In him to life reborn,
And holden in his hand;
No more we fear death's ancient
dread,
In Christ arisen from the dead.**

**2. For God, the living God,
Stooped down to man's estate;
By death destroying death,
Christ opened wide life's gate.
He lives, who died; he reigns on high;
Who lives in him shall never die.**

**3. Unfathomed love divine,
Reign thou within my heart;
From thee nor depth nor height,
Nor life nor death can part;
Our life is hid in God with thee,
Now and through all eternity.**

*Tune: Christchurch (NEH 114)
G. W. Briggs (1875-1959)*

Psalm 23

Dominus regit me.

THE Lord is my shepherd : therefore can I lack nothing.

2 He shall feed me in a green pasture : and lead me forth beside the waters of comfort.

3 He shall convert my soul : and bring me forth in the paths of righteousness, for his Name's sake.

4 Yea, though I walk through the valley of the shadow of death, I will fear no evil : for thou art with me; thy rod and thy staff comfort me.

5 Thou shalt prepare a table before me against them that trouble me : thou hast anointed my head with oil, and my cup shall be full.

6 Surely thy loving-kindness and mercy shall follow me all the days of my life : and I will dwell in the house of the Lord for ever.

First Lesson Isaiah 60

Office Hymn

1. O blest Creator of the light,
Who makest day with radiance bright,
And o'er the forming world didst call
The light from chaos first of all.

2. Whose wisdom joined in meet array
The morn and eve, and named them Day:
Night comes with all its darkling fears;
Regard thy people's prayers and tears.

3. Lest, sunk in sin, and whelm'd with strife,
They lose the gift of endless life;
While thinking but the thoughts of time,
They weave new chains of guilt and crime.

4. But grant them grace that they may strain
The heavenly gate and prize to gain:
Each harmful lure aside to cast,
And purge away each error past.

5. O Father, that we ask be done,
Through Jesus Christ, thine only Son;
Who, with the Spirit and with thee,
Doth live and reign eternally. Amen

*Tune: Gonfalon Royal (NEH 150)
Latin, 8th century or earlier
Tr. Percy Dearmer (1868-1936)*

Second Lesson John 6: 51-69

Anthem Faire is the heaven - Harris

Final Hymn

**1. Abide with me; fast falls the eventide;
The darkness deepens; Lord, with me abide!
When other helpers fail, and comforts flee,
Help of the helpless, O abide with me.**

**2. Swift to its close ebbs out life's little day;
Earth's joys grow dim, its glories pass away;
Change and decay in all around I see;
O thou who changest not, abide with me.**

**3. I need thy presence every passing hour;
What but thy grace can foil the tempter's power?
Who like thyself my guide and stay can be?
Through cloud and sunshine, O abide with me.**

**4. I fear no foe with thee at hand to bless;
Ills have no weight, and tears no bitterness.
Where is death's sting? where, grave, thy victory?
I triumph still, if thou abide with me.**

**5. Hold thou thy cross before my closing eyes;
Shine through the gloom, and point me to the skies;
Heaven's morning breaks, and earth's vain shadows flee;
In life, in death, O Lord, abide with me!**

*Tune: Eventide (NEH 331)
H. F. Lyte (1793-1847)*

Organ Voluntary Adagio in E - Bridge

Wednesday 14th September, 2022 Choral Evensong – 5.15pm

Preces and Responses Plainsong

Evening Service in C minor Dyson

Psalm 150

Laudate Dominum

0 PRAISE God in his holiness : praise him in the firmament of his power.

2 Praise him in his noble acts : praise him according to his excellent greatness.

3 Praise him in the sound of the trumpet : praise him upon the lute and harp.

4 Praise him in the cymbals and dances : praise him upon the strings and pipe.

5 Praise him upon the well-tuned cymbals : praise him upon the loud cymbals.

6 Let every thing that hath breath : praise the Lord.

First Lesson Isaiah 49: 14 – end

Second Lesson John 16: 16 – 24

Anthem Ex ore innocentium – Ireland

Hymn

**1. When I survey the wondrous Cross,
On which the Prince of glory died,
My richest gain I count but loss,
And pour contempt on all my pride.**

**2. Forbid it, Lord, that I should boast
Save in the death of Christ my God;
All the vain things that charm me most,
I sacrifice them to his blood.**

**3. See from his head, his hands, his
feet,
Sorrow and love flow mingled down;
Did e'er such love and sorrow meet,
Or thorns compose so rich a crown?**

**4. His dying crimson like a robe,
Spreads o'er his body on the tree;
Then am I dead to all the globe,
And all the globe is dead to me.**

**5. Were the whole realm of nature
mine,
That were a present far too small;
Love so amazing, so divine,
Demands my soul, my life, my all.**

*Tune: Rockingham (NEH 95)
Isaac Watts (1674-1748)*

Notices

Administering Communion

We administer Communion by “priestly intinction”, which involves the priest dipping a piece of consecrated bread into the consecrated wine and placing it in the communicant’s hands. We will therefore administer Communion as follows:

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.

Return to your seat via the side aisles as usual.

If you would like gluten free bread at Communion, please just ask.

Rev'd Edwin Brookes

There will be a Requiem Eucharist for the Reverend Eddie Brookes in St Peter's Church on Thursday 15th September at 2.00pm. This will be followed by a committal at Bushbury Crematorium.

Ukrainian Refugee - Help Requested

Following last week's request Nick and Fiona Rendell would like to thank everyone for their donations. They 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 Alexandra (e.g trainers/flat shoes)
- Clothes, size 14/16 approx.

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

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

Pebbles

Pebbles will start again on Tuesday 13th September.

Junior Church

There will be Junior Church next week.



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's aim is to 'support musical and vocal training in particular for boy and girl choristers at cathedrals and churches which have an established choir and regularly sing services.' 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



Art Display – 12th September

From Monday 12th September we will have an Art Exhibition in and around the Lady Chapel by local artist Geoff Campbell who turns ordinary, everyday cutlery into quite extraordinary and exciting sculptures. Items will be for sale, and the church will receive a share of the sale proceeds. Please be sure to come along and have a look.

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 a very successful inaugural recital, details of further recitals are;

16th September – Noah Layzell (classical guitar)

23rd September – Charles Francis (organ)

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

Former Chorister Evensong – Saturday 10th September 2022 at 5.45pm

We look forward to welcoming back former choristers to join us for Evensong on 10th September. Please see the link below which gives full details and a short questionnaire to help with the organisation. <https://forms.gle/bw3WduR3u6gGirYy6>

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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