

## FOR OUR PRAYERS

- Almighty God, we pray that your peace and justice may reign throughout the world. Amen.



Almighty God. Thank you for always being near and always rescuing us from our fears and hurts. Lord, help us remember that daybreak might be just ahead, that our trials will not last forever. Fill us with hope that daybreak is coming and that your love will always prevail! Amen.

### THE SICK

Martin Stiles	Mavis Sayers
Peter Whitaker	George Bird
Rachel	Bunny Druce
Brian Gulliver	Gaye Maskell
Sheila Mackie	Dave
Ben Procter	Fr. Robert Featherstone
George Prance	Dorn Jeffrey
Martin Turner	Christine Purkess
Derek Oakley	Hazel Wood
Neil Davis	Sean
Michael Tolkien	Lillian Armstrong
Julian Coward	Anthony Adams

### DEPARTED

Mollie Billings   Ted Roberts   Yvonne Dorothy Porter  
Richard Phillips   John Wright (Priest)

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# St. Peter's News

*Our mission statement:*

**"To Know, Love, Follow Jesus."**

PLEASE MAY ALL MOBILE PHONES BE SWITCHED OFF.

**TODAY SUNDAY 17th February 2019**

**3rd Sunday before Lent**

8.00 am    Holy Communion  
9.45am    Parish Eucharist - Fr. David Reynish  
9.45am    TFG - Informal Service in the Community Centre  
6.00pm    Choral Evensong

**THIS WEEK AT ST. PETER'S**

Holy Eucharist Mon, Tues 9am    Wednesday 10am  
Evening Prayer 5.30pm Mon - Sat

**2nd Sunday before Lent**

8.00am    Holy Communion  
9.45am    Parish Eucharist - Revd Keith Williams  
9.45am    TFG - Informal Service in the Community Centre  
6.00pm    Choral Evensong

**Readings for Sunday 24th February 2019**

**Gen 2: 4b - 9, 15 - end    Rev 4:    Gospel Luke 8: 22 - 25**

In the event of an emergency in church, please be aware that there are 5 exits ( Tower Lady Chapel. S and N doors and Clergy Vestry) to which you will be directed by the Sidesmen.

**FILM AND PIZZA** Paddington Bear 1 on Tuesday the 19th February 10 am - 1 pm in St Peter's Community Centre. Cost £2.00 inclusive of Pizza. Advanced Booking contact Janine Tel. 539167 or email: j9scothern@hotmail.com.

**ALL ARE WARMLY WELCOME** to the Monthly Parish Prayer Meeting for the Ministry of Children, Families, and Workers involved with them. It is not essential to pray aloud at this meeting; just your presence and personal prayers would be very much appreciated. Our next meeting is on **MONDAY, 4th March 2019** at **7.30pm** in the **Ivens Room**. Enquiries to Alan Stevens 01424 772196.

**PANCAKE LUNCH** on **Shrove Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March from 12.30pm** at St Peter's Community Centre followed by **LENT LUNCHEs** on the following Tuesdays at the COMMUNITY CENTRE from 12.30pm Our first lunch will be on **12<sup>th</sup> March** – prepared by The Bellringers Cost £4. Please support these events either by helping or by coming and eating! Judith Stiles.

**COFFEE CONCERT:** Our next coffee concert takes place in church on **Saturday 9 March at 10.30am**. Come and enjoy a recital from organist and Parish Reader Paul Abnett, share in our excellent refreshments and support our Musical Instrument Fund. Musical delights include pieces by Saint-Saëns, Brahms, Lefébure-Wély and Dubois.

**FAITH IN SUSSEX** For all of you who are on the list, please find your named copy at the back of the church. Many thanks. Caroline Young

**THANK YOU** Your friends from St Michael's wish to thank The Friends of St Peters for their generous donation of £350 from the proceeds of the Victorian Evening. It was truly much enjoyed and fun was had by all. Good hospitality and fellowship between the two churches. Thank you.

**A NEW ELECTORAL ROLL** is to be prepared in 2019 and the current Roll will be obsolete. In order to be on the new Electoral Roll **everybody must submit a fresh application**. Application forms are available at the back of the church, or from the Parish Office. Completed application forms to be returned to Diane Meladio (Electoral Roll Officer), or they can be handed in to the Parish Office **All forms must be submitted no later than Friday 22nd March 2019**.

**RETIRING COLLECTION THANK YOU** for donating £703.58 to The Leprosy Mission. Your generosity will help **Heal Nepal to Find, Cure and Heal those suffering with leprosy in remote areas of Nepal**. The UK Government Dept. for International Development Fund Match will double our donation and with additional GiftAid a total of £1,482.16 will be used in this life-changing work. **Please pray for our Christian brothers and sisters in Nepal as they carry out this, sometimes dangerous, work.** THANK YOU.

**THE LEPROSY MISSION** By popular demand, another fund-raising **Magnificent Buffet Night** has been arranged for **Tuesday 5th March** at The Shiplu Restaurant, London Road. Tickets priced £20 each (£8 goes to TLM's Heal Nepal project, which will be doubled) are now available from Heidi or Eileen (tel. 217868)

**BUNNY DRUCE** Is collecting milk bottle tops. If anyone can help please hand them to Bunny or leave them in the Parish Office. Many thanks.

**VOLUNTEER DRIVER NEEDED.** I am seeking someone who would be able to drive my 8 year old daughter (with her mother) to Glyne Gap School (from Lychgates Close) every weekday morning in her adapted vehicle. It would suit someone who has a 30-60 minutes free each morning and is available between 9.00-10.30am. You will be fully insured for the vehicle. If you feel you can help please call me (Toby) on 07796321465 to discuss further.

**2019 CARING AND SHARING ENVELOPES** are ready and may be collected from the back of the church. Should you have any queries, please contact Joan Wilson on telephone number 01424 221459.