

**Sunday 2 February 2025**

**CANDLEMAS**

*Mission Gift Day for Cawdells in Uganda*

All Souls'	9.30am	Morning Worship (CW)
St Peter's	10.00am	Holy Communion (CW) and Sunday School <i>This service will be livestreamed</i>
Church Centre	10.00am	Energise Service for Families
St Mark's	11.00am	Morning Worship (CW)
St Peter's	6.00pm	Collation Service <i>(Please note change of time)</i>

**WHAT'S ON**

St Peter's is open Monday-Friday 9.00am -12.30pm, Saturday and Sunday 9.00am-6.00pm All Souls' is open on Sundays from 9.00am-6.00pm.

**CONNECT LENT GROUPS MEET THIS WEEK (Fortnightly)**

**BIBLE COURSE BEGINS THIS WEEK (Weekly)**

Monday 27 January	Bible Course	Church Centre	7.15pm
Tuesday 28 January	Tots	St Mark's	10.00am
Tuesday 28 January	Refresh Café	St Mark's	3.15pm
Tuesday 4 February	St Peter's CC	Church Centre	7.45pm
Wednesday 5 February	Hale End Court Service		3.30pm
Friday 7 February	Connections Café	Church Café	2.30pm

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For other contact details and social media see N&N for first Sunday of the month

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**Notes  
& News**

**Sunday 26 January 2025**

*Third Sunday after Epiphany*

**\* BIBLE COURSE – STARTING MONDAY 27 JANUARY**

**at 7.15 for 7.30pm at St Peter's Church Centre – REVISED \***

This excellent 8-week course explaining God's big story through the Bible is being run for people who want to explore the Christian faith or are new to faith, though it is suitable for anyone. Please contact Rachel TODAY if interested – [revrach@stpeterwoking.org](mailto:revrach@stpeterwoking.org), 07722 651 0090.

**\* LENT COURSE – THE PRAYERS OF JESUS \***

If you are not part of a Connect Group why not join a group for this 6-session fortnightly course, starting this week, looking at prayer through prayers that Jesus prayed. There is availability in groups running on Wednesday morning, Wednesday evening and Thursday evening. Contact Jonathan if interested – [vicar@stpeterwoking.org](mailto:vicar@stpeterwoking.org), 01483 762707.

**\* UGANDA TALK AND PARISH LUNCH – Next Sunday 2 February \***

Jonathan will be speaking about his trip to Uganda during this Parish Bring and Share lunch at St Peter's Church Centre at 12.30pm for all our churches. As we have done before, there is no need to sign up; please just turn up with an item of food or drink to share. Anything is welcome, but it would be fun to have food from around the world. It will be our Mission Sunday for CMS partners Sarah and Simon Cawdell, so we'll be learning more about their ministry and giving towards it.

**\* 'COLLATION' SERVICE AT ST PETER'S – REVISED \***

**Next Sunday 2 February at 6.00pm**

All are welcome to this special service to mark the formal end of the parish as a Team Ministry and Jonathan becoming the legal incumbent. Bishop Paul and Archdeacon Martin will both be present and as well as the formalities that have to be undertaken the service will have a focus of giving thanks for all the ministry in this parish over the last ten years. It will be followed by simple cold refreshments.

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**Third Sunday after Epiphany**

<b>All Souls' 9.30am</b>	<b>Morning Worship (CW)</b>
<u>HYMNS</u>	51, 456, 857, 625
<u>PSALM 19</u>	said from the church Bible (p552)
<u>FIRST READING</u>	Luke 4: 14-21 (p1031)
<u>SECOND READING</u>	1 Corinthians 12: 12-31 (p1153)
<b>St Peter's 10.00am</b>	<b>Morning Worship (CW)</b>
	<i>This service will be livestreamed</i>
<u>HYMNS</u>	708, 372, 151, 799
<u>PSALM 19</u>	said from the church Bible (p552)
<u>FIRST READING</u>	Luke 4: 14-21 (p1031)
<u>SECOND READING</u>	Luke 4: 22-30 (p1031)
<b>Church Centre</b>	<b>Energise Service for Families</b>
<u>HYMNS</u>	<i>Our God is a great big God    Big family of God</i>
	<i>Nothing's too big, big, big</i>
<u>READING</u>	1 Corinthians 12: 12-31 (p1153)
<b>St Mark's 11.00am</b>	<b>Morning Worship (CW)</b>
<u>HYMNS</u>	51, 456, 857, 1001
<u>PSALM 19</u>	said from the church Bible (p563)
<u>FIRST READING</u>	Luke 4: 14-21 (p1031)
<u>SECOND READING</u>	1 Corinthians 12: 12-31 (p1153)
<b>St Peter's 5.00pm</b>	<b>Holy Communion (BCP)</b>
<u>HYMNS</u>	187, 697, 130, 189
<u>EPISTLE</u>	1 Corinthians 12: 12-31 (p1153)
<u>GOSPEL</u>	Luke 4: 14-21 (p1031)

**\* THIS WEEK'S MORNING PRAYER \***

Monday 27 January	Psalm 108	1 Corinthians 8
Tuesday 28 January	Psalm 34	1 Corinthians 9: 1-14
Wednesday 28 January	Psalm 45	1 Corinthians 9: 15-end
Thursday 29 January	Psalm 47	1 Corinthians 10: 1-13
Friday 30 January	Psalm 65	1 Corinthians 10:14 - 11:1

**To join Morning Prayer on Zoom**

**enter Meeting ID: 498 905 544 Passcode: 668876**

**On Thursdays we usually meet in person at St Peter's.**

**\* THIS WEEK PLEASE PRAY FOR ...\***

The family and friends of Jean Cutt, aged 92, of Kingsleigh Care Home and Mary Angus, Wendy Aplin, Peter Bliss, Alison Cole, Gladys Etherington, Lynda Kirk, Chris Randall, Eric Rice, Carol & Brian Whitehorn, Valerie Walker and Mary & Geoff Williams.

**\* SOUNDS BETTER – REVISED \***

The new sound system in St Peter's worked really well last week, though there are a couple of things still to finish off including the sound for the Livestream, which is very quiet. They should be sorted by next Sunday. Thanks to all who have given to this project, we now just have about £2000 to raise. If you can help towards it details are on the leaflet in church and at [www.stpeterwoking.org/soundsbetter](http://www.stpeterwoking.org/soundsbetter)

**\*PCC HIGHLIGHTS – NEW \***

- The PCC met this week with these highlights:
- ◆ Under the topic of Safeguarding we understood our role in responding well to victims and survivors of abuse and held a discussion on promoting a safe and healthy culture within our churches.
  - ◆ With Cherith having left Safe Families we decided to stop supporting them as a Mission Partner and instead hold a Gift Day for specific projects in Gulu, strengthening our links with Sarah and Simon Cawdell
  - ◆ Our APCM will be at a United Service at St Peter's on Sunday 4 May. This year's Electoral Roll is a full new roll where everyone will need to rejoin the roll. More details in due course.
  - ◆ A new Church Development Plan was agreed for 2025 which looks at Growing Disciples, Focusing on fruitful ministries, Reviewing worship in each church, Developing children, youth and families ministries.

**\* CONNECTIONS CAFÉ – NEW \***

**Friday 7 February in the Church Centre, 2.30pm-5.00pm**

A chance to meet and chat over a cup of tea and coffee. Sandwiches and cake will be served from 4.00pm. We will be hearing about Jonathan's trip to Uganda, particularly focusing on his visit Sam Waako's family and life in Uganda including the wildlife. There will be time for questions too.

Even if you're going to the parish lunch on 2 February, do come along to Connections Café as well, the talks will be different 😊

For more information or if you require a lift please contact Brenda Cox on 07921 160684 or the parish office on 01483 755852.