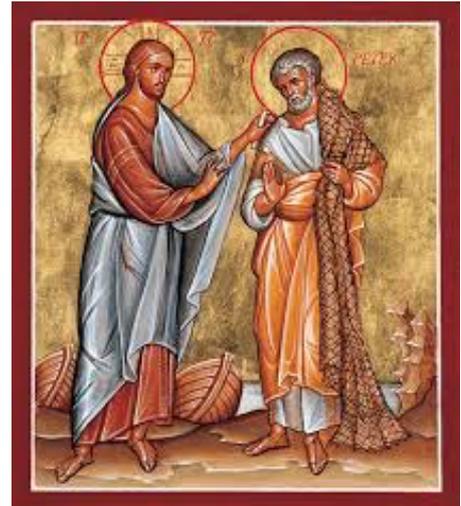


THIS WEEK – 16th SEPTEMBER

8.00 am	HOLY COMMUNION
Officiant:	The Vicar
Steward:	Sarah Burrell
10.30 am	COMMUNION SERVICE
Warden / S.Steward:	Bill Stevens
President:	The Vicar
Stewards:	Ruth Todd, Marion Ashworth
Reader:	Richard Shaw
Intercessions:	Mark Levesley
Chalice:	Richard Shaw, Bridget Stevenson, MP Moine, Heike Prentice
Banns:	Hannah Hocking & Robert Yeo (1)
Coffee:	Vicky Lambert, Anneli Berglind,
Crèche:	Clova Robertson
Voyagers:	The Vicar
Adventurers:	Heli and Anneli
6.30 pm	EVENING PRAYER
Officiant:	Charles Clapham
Reader:	Alyson Sich
Collect and readings:	Sixteenth Sunday after Trinity (BCP, p.182)
Psalm:	99 (BCP p.472)
Flowers:	MP Moine
Thursday 9.15 am	HOLY COMMUNION



16th September 2018 (16th Sunday after Trinity)



NEXT WEEK – 23rd SEPTEMBER

8.00 am	HOLY COMMUNION
Officiant:	The Vicar
Steward:	Sarah Burrell
10.30 am	COMMUNION SERVICE
Warden / S.Steward:	Bill Stevens
President:	The Vicar
Stewards:	Ruth Todd, Marion Ashworth
Reader:	Jackie Hall
Intercessions:	Mark Levesley
Chalice:	Richard Shaw, Bridget Stevenson, MP Moine, Heike Prentice
Banns:	Hannah Hocking & Robert Yeo (2)
Coffee:	Vicky Lambert, Anneli Berglind, Jackie Hall
Crèche:	Clova Robertson
Voyagers:	TBC
Adventurers:	Heli and Anneli
6.30 pm	EVENING PRAYER
Officiant:	Charles Clapham
Reader:	Alyson Sich
Collect and readings:	Seventeenth Sunday after Trinity (BCP, p.184)
Psalm:	33 (BCP p.383)
Flowers:	MP Moine
Thursday 9.15 am	HOLY COMMUNION

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COLLECT:

O Lord, we beseech you mercifully
to hear the prayers of your people who call upon you;
and grant that they may both perceive and know
what things they ought to do,
and also may have grace and power faithfully to fulfil them;
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.

FIRST READING: James 3.1-12

Not many of you should become teachers, my brothers and sisters, for you know that we who teach will be judged with greater strictness. For all of us make many mistakes. Anyone who makes no mistakes in speaking is perfect, able to keep the whole body in check with a bridle. If we put bits into the mouths of horses to make them obey us, we guide their whole bodies. Or look at ships: though they are so large that it takes strong winds to drive them, yet they are guided by a very small rudder wherever the will of the pilot directs. So also the tongue is a small member, yet it boasts of great exploits.

How great a forest is set ablaze by a small fire! And the tongue is a fire. The tongue is placed among our members as a world of iniquity; it stains the whole body, sets on fire the cycle of nature, and is itself set on fire by hell. For every species of beast and bird, of reptile and sea creature, can be tamed and has been tamed by the human species, but no one can tame the tongue—a restless evil, full of deadly poison. With it we bless the Lord and Father, and with it we curse those who are made in the likeness of God. From the same mouth come blessing and cursing. My brothers and sisters, this ought not to be so. Does a spring pour forth from the same opening both fresh and brackish water? Can a fig tree, my brothers and sisters, yield olives, or a grapevine figs? No more can salt water yield fresh.

GOSPEL: Mark 8.27-38

Jesus went on with his disciples to the villages of Caesarea Philippi; and on the way he asked his disciples, 'Who do people say that I am?' And they answered him, 'John the Baptist; and others, Elijah; and still others, one of the prophets.' He asked them, 'But who do you say that I am?' Peter answered him, 'You are the Messiah.' And he sternly ordered them not to tell anyone about him.

Then he began to teach them that the Son of Man must undergo great suffering, and be rejected by the elders, the chief priests, and the scribes, and be killed, and after three days rise again. He said all this quite openly. And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him. But turning and looking at his disciples, he rebuked Peter and said, 'Get behind me, Satan! For you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

He called the crowd with his disciples, and said to them, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake, and for the sake of the gospel, will save it. For what will it profit them to gain the whole world and forfeit their life? Indeed, what can they give in return for their life? Those who are ashamed of me and of my words in this adulterous and sinful generation, of them the Son of Man will also be ashamed when he comes in the glory of his Father with the holy angels.'

WELCOME TO ST PETER'S

If you are a visitor or guest, do please stay for coffee afterwards, and introduce yourself to one of the stewards (with a blue badge) or the vicar.

COMMUNITY GARDEN – Friday 5th Oct

Community gardening in the church garden will start on Friday 5th October from 2.30 - 4.30 pm and thereafter on a monthly basis. All warmly welcomed: young and old, new to gardening or experienced! The plan is to take care of our church garden so we can enjoy this lovely outdoor area, get in touch with nature, do some green exercise, and have some fun and cake along the way.

QUIDAM FILMS AND TALKS – Sun 23rd Sept

To mark 'la rentrée' – the summer holidays over and back to school – the opening event in the new season will be the classic Jacques Tati comedy film 'Les Vacances de Monsieur Hulot' – a tennis players' favourite, with a short introduction on Tati and his place in French cinema. Sunday 23rd September, at 7.15 for 7.30pm, in the parish rooms. Further details in the Quidam newsletter. Reserve a seat by emailing broad_david@yahoo.co.uk. Do also consider attending our regular 6.30pm evensong service before-hand: a quiet reflective half-hour at the end of the week.

GLASS DOOR SLEEP OUT

This year's Sponsored Sleep Out is taking place on Friday 5 October at Duke of York's Square. This year Caroline Langton and Heike Prentice are Sleeping Out. You can sponsor them at <http://www.glassdoor.org.uk/appeal/hp2018>

BEST@StPeters - Thursday 20th September

'Habits - how they make or break you.' Habits are things we do repeatedly. But most of the time we're hardly aware that we even have them. They are on autopilot. Depending on what they are, our habits will either make us or break us. An introduction to teenagers as to how our brains can form these habits - positive and negative. 6.30 pm.

SING WEST COMMUNITY CHOIR, with Cian and Daf, every Monday evening during term time from 7.30 pm for an hour and a half. Why not give it a try? It's great fun.

CHILDREN'S POP CHOIR

SingWest have now launched a new choir in September for kids age 7+, on Mondays 5.30-6.30pm. No experience needed. For details, visit www.singwest.co.uk, email singwest@outlook.com, or call Charlie on 07710541192.

HARVEST Sunday 30th September.

Collecting for The Upper Room. List of items particularly wanted on the notice board at back of church.

SOUND & SPACE Friday 12th October 1pm

Mindful music in peaceful places. The latest performance in the Quidam musical series. Folk songs, classic preludes and early sacred music. Including live guided meditation.

OPEN STUDIO ART WEEK

Mon 22nd – Thur 25th October. 1.00 – 4.00pm. Following the success of Quidam's open studio, you will again have the chance to hone your artistic skills. Still life led by a professional art tutor. Suitable for all levels. Come for as many sessions as you like. £10 per session.

BANNS. Hannah Hocking and Robert Yeo, both of this parish, getting married at Lytham St Anne's, Lancashire on 30th October. First time of asking.

EVENTS:

Harvest Supper, Friday 28th September. Doors open 7 for supper at 7.30. Everyone who can stay up that late welcome! (Families in Parish Rooms). Cash bar. No charge for supper but donations will be taken for Glass Door. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church.

Whisky Tasting, Friday November 2nd, in the vicarage

Bridge Evening with Supper, Friday 16th November in Parish Rooms.