Pastoral support: St. Peter's is here to help you and those you are concerned about, in confidence. Please contact Judy Hutton (pastoral coord) on 07989 306526.

The Church Orchard is open TODAY (Sunday 19th October) from 11am to 2.30pm - your chance to visit this lovely space, with a chance to buy a bottle of apple juice grown in this very Orchard! See posters for more details. Please note that if you have pre-ordered juice, it will be delivered to the church hall, but not until November.

Clocks change: remember the clocks go back an hour next weekend, so please don't arrive an hour early on Sunday 26th October.

Thank you so much from the PCC for the large number of wide-reaching, thoughtful and helpful **responses to 'A Church for Tomorrow'.** We discussed these at length and you'll find a bullet point summary (porch & hall). Watch this space for further news!

The PCC is pleased that the proposed project for a **men's shed** with all its benefits for the community and the church, is progressing. Unfortunately, the PCC did not know that this plan had already been submitted to Bradford Planning Officers and therefore had not finally checked, corrected and approved it. In future the PCC will monitor all projects much more closely and be able to keep you better informed.

Church Poppies: We will be decorating the church on **Saturday 1st November** from 10am. If you would like to lend a hand, do come along and join us.

All Souls Service, Sunday 2nd November at 4pm: a chance to remember loved ones who have died. If there are any names you would like to include in this service, please **print** them on the sheet at the back of church.

FOSPA Total: We are delighted to report that on the last day, we raised £1,251 in aid of Macmillan Cancer Support. Many thanks to everyone.

The **next podcast** focuses on the children within the family of our church and is entitled **Growing Faith in, with and through our Children.** It was inspired by the excellent workshop run by Mandy Thorlby from the Otley Resource Centre

An invitation from our Methodist friends to join a **Retreat Day** at Norwood Methodist Church, Thursday 6th November 10am-4pm - see poster for details. Limited places, booking essential - contact thestirks@tiscali.co.uk or 01943 463258 or 07981 072277

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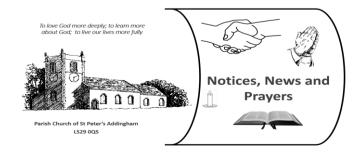
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19th - 26th October 2025

Welcome to St. Peter's

Today's services: 08.30 Said Holy Communion

10.00 Sunday Morning with St. Peter's

10.00 Children's Church

If you can't be here in person, join the 10am livestreamed to our Facebook page (or dial in to listen by phone), or watch the recording later via our website.

This Week in Church:

Sunday 19th	08.30	Said Holy Communion
-	10.00	Sunday Morning with St. Peter's
Monday 20 th	14.30	Silent Bell Ringing (in tower)
Wednesday 22 nd	18.00	Silent Bell Ringing (in tower)
Thursday 23rd	09.00	Church Cleaning
Friday 24th	19.00	Choir Practice
Sunday 26th	08.30	Said Holy Communion
·	10.00	Parish Communion
	10.00	Children's Church

This Week in the Church Hall:

Monday 20 th	14.00	Addingham Friendship Group
	17.15	1st Addingham Rainbows
	18.45	Yoga Group
Tuesday 21st	08.30	Hall Cleaning
Wednesday 22 nd	10.00	Phoenix Singers
	16.30	Pilates
Thursday 23 rd	13.00	Baby Calm
Friday 24th	19.00	Ilkley Camera Club

This week we pray especially for those working in the village shops and village societies and anyone who is unwell, feeling lonely or worried.

Eighteenth Sunday after Trinity

Hymns

452 Longing for Light

309 Holy, Holy, Holy is the Lord

28 All you who seek a comfort sure

853 You shall go out with joy

The Collect

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord.

First Reading

Genesis 32.22-31

The same night he got up and took his two wives, his two maids, and his eleven children, and crossed the ford of the Jabbok. He took them and sent them across the stream, and likewise everything that he had. Jacob was left alone; and a man wrestled with him until daybreak. When the man saw that he did not prevail against Jacob, he struck him on the hip socket; and Jacob's hip was put out of joint as he wrestled with him. Then he said, 'Let me go, for the day is breaking.' But Jacob said, 'I will not let you go, unless you bless me.' So he said to him, 'What is your name?' And he said, 'Jacob.' Then the man said, 'You shall no longer be called Jacob, but Israel, for you have striven with God and with humans, and have prevailed.' Then Jacob asked him, 'Please tell me your name.' But he said, 'Why is it that you ask my name?' And there he blessed him. So Jacob called the place Peniel, saying, 'For I have seen God face to face, and yet my life is preserved.' The sun rose upon him as he passed Penuel, limping because of his hip.

This is the word of the Lord **Thanks be to God**

The Gospel

Luke 18.1-8

Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to Luke **Glory to you, O Lord**

Then Jesus told them a parable about their need to pray always and not to lose heart. He said, 'In a certain city there was a judge who neither feared God nor had respect for people. In that city there was a widow who kept coming to him and saying, "Grant me justice against my opponent." For a while he refused; but later he said to himself, "Though I have no fear of God and no respect for anyone, yet because this widow keeps bothering me, I will grant her justice, so that she may not wear me out by continually coming." And the Lord said, 'Listen to what the unjust judge says. And will not God grant justice to his chosen ones who cry to him day and night? Will he delay long in helping them? I tell you, he will quickly grant justice to them. And yet, when the Son of Man comes, will he find faith on earth?'

This is the Gospel of the Lord **Praise to you, O Christ**

Post Communion

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever.