

This week we pray especially for those living on Park Crescent, Parkinson Fold and Turner Lane and anyone who is unwell, feeling lonely or worried.

Pastoral support: St. Peter's is here to help you and those you are concerned about, in confidence.

Please contact Judy Hutton, our pastoral co-ordinator, on 07989 306526.

Messy Church today at 4pm has the theme "God's Love". Come and join in this different way of being church, with a story, music, crafts, games and a simple meal, it's for everyone.

Soulful Walking another 2-5km reflective walk led by Revd. Shannon Delaureal today Sunday 8th Feb at 2.30pm – see poster for details and conditions.

Did you miss the candlesmas evensong last sunday with the church lit by lots of candles? You can still watch it through our website. You can also catch up on the candlesmas podcast either through this link: <https://vimeo.com/1159594649> or by going to the online section of our website. Chris Bean and Lorinda Robinson talk to Mark about how they try to give and receive light, Jeremy reads some poignant words and as usual there's a mix of older and more contemporary music. Not to be missed!

Our **Lent course "Draw Near"** starts next week on **18th Feb (Ash Wednesday)**. Join in the short reading, thought and prayer each day via the *Everyday Faith* app on your phone, or pick up a leaflet. See Source and poster for more details (*bring your phone to coffee after church if you need help to get started with the app*)

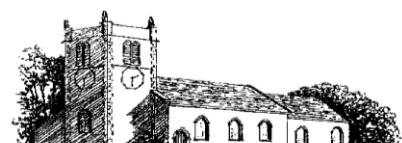
The PCC has asked me to remind anyone who is not on the Electoral Roll that you can join at anytime. If you have been regularly attending church for at least six months and class St. Peter's as YOUR church, why not officially join, for free, and have your say? For instance, if you would like to vote at **the APCM, which will be on Thursday 23rd April at 7pm in the hall**, you will need to be on the Electoral Roll. The Electoral Roll forms can be found at the back of the north aisle and will need to be with me no later than **Wednesday 8th April**. If you have any questions, please speak to me. Thank you, Ian Batty.

If anyone is interested in **choosing carpets, flooring & chairs** please speak to Mark.

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To love God more deeply; to learn more about God; to live our lives more fully



Parish Church of St Peter's Addingham
LS29 0QS



Notices, News and Prayers

8th – 15th February 2026

Welcome to St. Peter's

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 8th	08.30	Said Holy Communion (BCP)
	10.00	Parish Communion with hymns
	10.00	Children's Church
Monday 9th	09.30	Silent Bell Ringing (in tower)
Wednesday 11th	18.00	Silent Bell Ringing (in tower)
Thursday 12th	09.00	Church Cleaning
Friday 13th	19.00	Choir Practice
Saturday 14th	09.30	Music Group Rehearsal
Sunday 15th	08.30	Said Holy Communion
	10.00	Sunday Morning with St. Peter's
	10.00	Children's Church

This Week in the Church Hall:

Sunday 8th	10.15	Children's Church
	16.00	Messy Church
Monday 9th	09.30	Little Blossoms Babies & Toddlers
	17.15	1st Addingham Rainbows
	18.45	Yoga Group
Tuesday 10th	08.30	Hall Cleaning
Wednesday 11th	10.00	Phoenix Singers
	12.45	U3A Sewing Group
	16.30	Pilates
Friday 13th	19.00	Ilkley Camera Club

The 2nd Sunday before Lent

Hymns

- 19** All my hope on God is founded
75 Blessed assurance
349 Immortal, invisible
284 Hands that have been handling
515 My God and is thy Table spread
452 Longing for light

The Collect

Almighty God,
give us reverence for all creation
and respect for every person,
that we may mirror your likeness
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

First Reading

read by Ian Hepworth

Romans 8.18-25

I consider that the sufferings of this present time are not worth comparing with the glory about to be revealed to us. For the creation waits with eager longing for the revealing of the children of God; for the creation was subjected to futility, not of its own will but by the will of the one who subjected it, in hope that the creation itself will be set free from its bondage to decay and will obtain the freedom of the glory of the children of God. We know that the whole creation has been groaning in labour pains until now; and not only the creation, but we ourselves, who have the first fruits of the Spirit, groan inwardly while we wait for adoption, the redemption of our bodies. For in hope we were saved. Now hope that is seen is not hope. For who hopes for what is seen. But if we hope for what we do not see, we wait for it with patience.

This is the word of the Lord
Thanks be to God

The Gospel

read by Mike Denby

Matthew 6.25-end

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

'Therefore I tell you, do not worry about your life, what you will eat or what you will drink, or about your body, what you will wear. Is not life more than food, and the body more than clothing? Look at the birds of the air; they neither sow nor reap nor gather into barns, and yet your heavenly Father feeds them. Are you not of more value than they? And can any of you by worrying add a single hour to your span of life? And why do you worry about clothing? Consider the lilies of the field, how they grow; they neither toil nor spin, yet I tell you, even Solomon in all his glory was not clothed like one of these. But if God so clothes the grass of the field, which is alive today and tomorrow is thrown into the oven, will he not much more clothe you—you of little faith? Therefore do not worry, saying, "What will we eat?" or "What will we drink?" or "What will we wear?" For it is the Gentiles who strive for all these things; and indeed your heavenly Father knows that you need all these things. But strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.

'So do not worry about tomorrow, for tomorrow will bring worries of its own. Today's trouble is enough for today.

This is the Gospel of the Lord

Praise to you, O Christ

Intercession prayers are led today by Christine Smith

Post Communion

God our creator, by your gift the tree of life
was set at the heart of the earthly paradise,
and the bread of life at the heart of your Church:
may we who have been nourished at your table on earth
be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross
and enjoy the delights of eternity; through Jesus Christ our Lord.