Welcome to St Peter’s Church. Today’s service is led by Rev James Percival. If you are visiting us for the first time, please do introduce yourself. All are welcome to stay for refreshments after the service.

PRAYING FOR OUR PARISH:

We pray for the people of Uvedale Road

Those who have asked for our prayers:

Remembering those who have died and all who mourn them:
Margaret Spiller, Eileen Carter, Rosemary Slayter

REGULAR SERVICES AND EVENTS

Wednesdays: 10.00am Holy Communion
(community coffee morning, 10.45am every first Wednesday of the month)
Sundays: 8am Holy Communion / 10am Parish Eucharist
First Sunday of the month: 10am All-Age Eucharist
Second Sunday of the month: Messy Church 3.30-5.30pm in church and the Millennium Room (next: 10 November, then 8 December)
Second Thursday of the month: Musical Memories, 10.30am-12pm in the Millennium Room (next: 14 November, then 12 December)

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To join the St Peter’s Whatsapp prayer group text Paul: 07904 460049
https://www.stpeterslimpsfield.org/
IN CHURCH

Tuesday 22 October
8.15pm Bell Practice

*Please contact Lynda Boast to confirm that practice is on: 715085*

Wednesday 23 October
10am Holy Communion

Thursday 24 October
7.45pm Adult Choir Practice

Friday 25 October
12pm Funeral of Margaret Spiller, followed by burial in churchyard †

OUT AND ABOUT

Monday 21 October
7.00am Christian Men’s Prayer Breakfast at Beadles Lane chapel (30th anniversary). For further information ring 722128
10.15 for 10.30pm TIC TOC at Sarah Darby’s house (24 Stanhopes), Sacred Wonders recording
7.45 for 8pm Pilgrim Course on The Lord's Prayer week 5 at 18 Detillens Lane

Wednesday 23 October
10.30am James at Wolfe House Care Home
2pm Limpsfield School Faith Team meeting
7.15-9.30pm Understanding the challenges of Mental Health, at St John’s Felbridge (see details in porch)

Thursday 24 October
7.45-9pm CTOD Singers, an informal, praise and worship singing group
*note new venue* All Saints Parish Room, 12 Chichele Road, Oxted
For more information email molly_holman@hotmail.com

NEXT WEEK

Sunday 27 October, Bible Sunday
No 8am Holy Communion (8am service at St Andrew’s Limpsfield Chart)
10am Parish Eucharist, with children’s groups
(President and Preacher: Rev Charles Bradshaw)

COMING UP

Sunday 3 November, All Saints’
8am Holy Communion
10am All-Age Eucharist with All-Age choir and orchestra
(President and Preacher: Rev Helen Cook)
4pm All Souls’ Service of Remembrance and Thanksgiving

Sunday 10 November, Remembrance Sunday
8am Holy Communion
10am Remembrance Day service with the Limpsfield Royal British Legion and the Oxted Band
NOTICES

Margaret Spiller’s funeral will be on Friday 25 October at 12pm, followed by a burial in the churchyard.

If you would like to join the St Peter’s Singers, our new unrobed singing group, please join us at the 10am Parish Eucharist on Sunday 17 November (every third Sunday of the month).
Do encourage others (all ages and experience welcome) who you think might like to come and sing. We rehearse at 9.15am, or as soon as you can, on the day and also on at the Thursday evening adult choir practice (optional).

If you have not yet received a letter and form for the All Souls’ Service on Sunday 3 November and would like to add a name of a loved one you would like to be read out and placed on the high altar, or placed on the altar in silent remembrance please complete a form at the back of the church. You do not need to do this if you have already returned your form to the Parish Office.

Wendy Harvey
After five years among us, the Reverend Wendy Harvey is to retire from her post as Minister in Charge of St Andrew’s Limpsfield Chart, in the Limpsfield & Tatsfield Team Ministry. She will be leaving in January 2020 and her last services at St Andrew’s will be on Christmas Day. Wendy will continue with her work as a prison chaplain.
We give thanks for Wendy’s sterling service at St Andrew’s and across our team ministry. Please pray for her at this time of change, and for all those with responsibility for discerning and leading the next steps for St Andrew’s.

1920s Murder Mystery evening. Saturday 30 November, 7pm St Peter’s Hall
If you haven’t yet put your name down for this evening of live theatre and three course meal this November, please let Richard know: rwspiller@btinternet.com

Starting Wednesday 16th October – 7 week Lunchtime Alpha Course
12.30 pm – 2.00pm at Bull Inn, Limpsfield.

Saturday 26 October, David Gresham House Autumn Fair. 10am-12pm
Entry is 50p with a coffee and biscuit. Items on sale this year will include: toiletries and accessories, books, craft items, homemade cakes and jams, as well as a children’s stall, raffle and tombola. We do hope you can join us and bring your family and friends. If you wish to make a donation for our fair, please contact Helen on: 01883 715948 or email: helen@davidgreshamhouse.co.uk

Friday 1 November, Paul Creane and Paula Cox 7.15pm
Door opens and Bar available. 7.45 pm – live music, at St Mary’s, Oxted.
Tickets - £12.50 www.ticketsource.co.uk/st-marys-church-oxted Further details on poster in hall.

Message from the Bishop of Croydon - Michelle Edmonds has kindly agreed to be Acting Area Dean after Kathryn Percival leaves the Deanery in November, until consultation can begin in the New Year for a new substantive appointment as Area Dean. We extend thanks to both Kathryn and Michelle for all their commitment and support to the life of the Deanery. Rt Revd Jonathan Clark.
Our Music MAP group met on 9 October 2019 and unanimously agreed to make the following recommendations to our PCC.

1. The aim expressed in our Mission Action Plan is: ‘to build on all elements of our music, and enable more people to appreciate and participate in it.’

2. We continue with the proposed pattern for this Autumn: All-Age Eucharist with All-Age choir and orchestra on the first Sunday of the month and the St Peter’s Singers on the third Sunday of the month in our Parish Eucharist. From January we continue with the same pattern of worship as now, but the St Peter’s Singers as the choir for both first and third Sunday services.

3. We will aim to continue with a regular Thursday evening choir practice in the new year, leadership permitting, and on the first and third Sundays from 9.15am, or as soon as you can, acknowledging other commitments for some people. Our Thursday practices prior to first and third Sundays will include the Sunday music.

4. We have had several applications for our Choral Director post and are taking one forward at present. The outcome of this will make a difference to our plans going forwards.

5. In our developing plans for our church building and Millennium Room, there will be provision for choir robes to be stored in the church, and music as appropriate.

6. As a church we are grateful for the sterling service of Ann and our adult choir over many years, and particular roles in that with regard to robes (Jennie) and music (Joan). Ann’s choosing to stand down to open up new possibilities for our future music, represents a challenging change and opportunity for our whole church.

7. As a Music MAP group, we have worked carefully and prayerfully through this year over several meetings to face and plan for the necessary changes for our adult choir and our whole church. We would be grateful for your encouragement and support in helping our whole church to face this difficult moment with a good and positive Spirit. Thank you.

8. As with all our MAP groups, anyone is welcome to participate and share in them, so if you have any questions or would to discuss anything with the music group, please contact Caroline, as leader of this area.

Ann Osborn, Caroline Campbell, Geoff Martin, James Percival, Helen Kemp & Jane Tozer. (Graham Powell has also been present for our previous meetings).