

PRAYER PAGE



For more than 70 years, **Christian Aid** has been providing humanitarian relief and long-term development support for poor communities worldwide, while highlighting suffering, tackling injustice and championing people's rights. Christian Aid Week, which falls in May each year, provides much of its income through house-to-house collecting and other fund-raising events. This year the focus is on maternal health in Sierra Leone, one of the most dangerous places on earth to give birth. Christian Aid hopes to build more health clinics, provide health training and improve hygiene, so that mothers and babies can live long and happy lives.

- Thank God for all the volunteers who collect house-to-house in this area.
- Pray that there may be a generous response to the house-to-house collections, so that the money raised may be used to promote maternal health in places like Sierra Leone.

We pray for our Prime Minister, Government and Parliament in the ongoing Brexit developments. For wisdom, For clarity, For courage. For a true seeking after the common good. For willingness to listen where views about that differ. And for healing of divisions in our country.

We pray for strength and courage for those suffering from poverty, injustice and oppression.

We pray for persecuted Christians throughout the world, that they would be courageous in living and speaking for Jesus. We pray too that their persecutors will have their hearts and minds changed by the witness of those they oppress.

We pray for those in need: Jennifer Angel, Pepita Aris, John Arkell, Ryan Bain, Simon Barker, Alison and John Beaumont, Sally Bowyer, Peter Burchell, Christine Burden, Sylvia Burdett, Louise Burrows, Eunice Carter, Audrey Davies, Cynthia Dimmock, Gwen & Tony Hayward, John Jeffries, Sheila Johnson, Ruth Keens, Joan Macey, Brian Mawhinney, Derek Mayhew, Philip Sewter, Dorothy Sumner, Christine Tarry.

We pray for those who mourn following the death of : Audrey Allen, Brian Davies, John Pett-Ridge, Sandra Wills, Fred Swann

Sometimes we face particular crises in our lives. Our Pastoral Care Team is there to support those in need. If you, or anyone you know, needs support, please let the office know.

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Oundle
St Peter's
welcoming everyone

12th May 2019
Fourth Sunday of Easter

WELCOME! IT IS WONDERFUL TO SEE YOU HERE!

If you are here for the first time, do make yourself known to one of the Welcome Team, they would love to meet you and have a chat. If you intend to join us regularly, please fill in a 'Welcome' card at the back of the church.

If you need the hearing aid loop, please sit within the pillared area.



The 8:00 - Holy Communion led by Mark Donnelly **Collect:** Page 139 of BCP

The 9:45 The 9:45 All In

led by Jema Ball, Sally Saunders and
Children from Oundle CE Primary School

Reading:

Acts 9: 1-25 (p1040)

A baby and toddler area is
in the North Aisle.

The 11:15 - Holy Communion

with Baptism

led by Jema Ball

Reading:

Acts 9: 1-25 (p1040)

Hymns:

Black 25, Black 21, Red 115, Black 42
During Communion: Black 39

18:00 - Choral Evensong led by Charles Wide

Need Communion brought to you? Please tell the Welcome Team.

Gluten free bread and non-alcoholic wine (in Chalice on right) is available at the side distribution point



We warmly welcome **Roseanna Andrew and family** on the occasion of her Baptism. We give thanks to God for His gift of Roseanna and for bringing her here today so that we may celebrate with her and her family.

Oundle Vintage Festival Sat 18th May. 10am-4pm. Come and support this wonderful event which will raise funds for our clock and bells. **Volunteers are needed** to help with Tower Tours, Teddy Abseiling (speak to Ian Goldsmith - 273560), cleaning the church prior to the event (speak to Grant - 275675). **Thank you!** For information about the event and all the attractions visit www.oundlevintagefestival.co.uk



JUNIOR CHURCH

Back Next Week!

Choral Evensong

TODAY (May 12th), 6pm Unfortunately, the Very Revd Chris Dalliston, Dean of Peterborough Cathedral has injured his foot and so will not be leading Choral Evensong this month. We are very thankful to Charles Wide (Reader) for taking this service for us. Do come along and be part of this service and support Charles.

CHURCH PRAYER MEETING. Our next prayer gathering is on **Tuesday 14th May** at 7.30pm in church. This is the week of the Vintage Festival and the town will be the focus of our prayers in particular. Please do consider joining us, all welcome.



Christian Aid Week 12th - 18th May, focus: maternal health

in Sierra Leone. The usual house-to-house collection will take place, thanks to the wonderful team of area organisers and collectors. Some parts of the town are not fully covered, so if you could offer to help, Eleanor Rayden (205287) would be delighted to hear from you!

Waitrose Green Tokens: includes EXPLORATIONS OUTINGS this month. Please support them if you can by giving them your green tokens. Thank you.



Thurs 30 May - Sun 9 June.

Please join us in praying for the renewing and empowering presence of the Holy Spirit. Further details of activities taking place during this period will be shared here soon

Church Weekend Away: NOW is the time to book to take part in this Weekend Away (15th-17th Nov 2019). Pick up a yellow leaflet today. **We would love you to join us!** If you have any questions about the weekend and what it entails please feel free to call Justine in the office on 275675 or email administrator@stpetersoundle.co.uk.



Well done to Mark, for getting involved in a sponsored canoe from Oundle to Peterborough in aid of the Clock and Bell fund. If you would like to sponsor Mark and add to his total please speak to him as soon as possible. Thank you.



Chattabox Holiday Camp, 12th to 16th August 2019:

Do you have primary age children looking for something fun to do during the summer? Or are you in school years 7-13 wanting a great week camping with friends? If so, Chattabox is for you! Booking is now open for the Children's Holiday Club and Chattabox+ Youth Camp via a new website www.chattaboxoundle.co.uk Full details on the website. Thank you

Brian Davies Funeral will take place on Tuesday 14th May at 11am in Church of All Saints, Elton followed by a burial in the churchyard. The wake will take place at The Black Horse following the service. Please pray for Audrey and family at this time.

Sunday 12th May

St Peter's

08:00 Holy Communion
09:45 The 9:45 All In
11:15 Holy Communion with Baptism
18:00 Choral Evensong

Benefield

09:15 Holy Communion
Glaphorn
09:15 Holy Communion

THE WEEK AHEAD

Monday 13th

09:00 Prayer Meeting Lady Chapel

Tuesday 14th

9am - 5pm Cleaning of St Peter's for Vintage Festival - Any help during the day will be gratefully received, even if it is just for half an hour. Thank you

08:30 Holy Communion
10:00 Book Club
15:30 West Porch Café
19:30 Prayer Meeting

Wednesday 15th

09:00 Morning Prayer
09:30 Office Meeting
12:00 Clergy Prayers

Thursday 16th

10:00 Holy Communion
10:30 Coffee and Chat South Transept
13:15 Oundle School Lunchtime Concert
18:00 The Way

Friday 17th

09:00 Celtic Morning Prayer
12:00 Vintage Festival Dance Set Up
19:30 Vintage Festival Dance

Saturday 18th

09:00 Prayer Meeting Lady Chapel
ALL DAY - Vintage Festival. Tower and Church Tours (participants require a ticket), refreshments etc
15:45 Teddy Bear Parachuting

Sunday 19th May

St Peter's

08:00 Holy Communion
09:45 Morning Worship with Communion
11:15 Holy Communion
18:00 Youth Worship

Benefield

09:15 Morning Prayer

Glaphorn

09:15 Informal Holy Communion

Vacanze a Casa - Holiday at Home

This year we are off to Italy, inside a transformed church on Tues 11 June. Do book in with Sarah Lee (273498) by June 4th for this special day for older people. Workshops, delicious Italian food and a relaxing concert. Helpers still needed, could you drive, serve food, wash up, paint nails or help with games? Ring Sarah or email sarah@redcourt.co.uk - Thank you!