St Peter's and Blessed Mary Sunday 16th June

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Thank you for opening up and reading this weeks e-mail.

At St Peter's we have our usual 8am BCP service, our 9am Parish Communion and our 10.30am Sunday Central.

This Sunday at 11am it is our Village Communion Service at Blessed Mary.

We also have a midweek services; Blessed Mary at 10am on Wednesdays (varying times) and St Peter's at 10am on Thursdays.

This coming Thursday 20th June, we have our 'Coffee and Cake' with thought for the day in lieu of our regular BCP service.

Please pray for Samuel Tizzard and Caroline Yorke who are marrying at Blessed Mary at midday on Saturday

This week we said a Thank You to Joanne Harvey who has been keeping our 3 buildings in clean order. We are grateful for all the work she has done over the past few years! We are also very pleased to say that her sister Nicky is taking over as of Monday 17th which is wonderful. Please do say hello if you see her busy in church with a mop or hoover!

With prayers for the coming week

Revd James

Lunch in the Rectory Garden



There will be a lunch in the Rectory garden following the Patronal service at 10.30am on Sunday 30th June. Everyone is invited, just let Bev Rutter 07884492041 rutterbev@gmail.com or Vanessa Emmerson 07876453768 vanessaemmerson@hotmail.co.uk know if you are coming along. Please bring chairs or rugs, plates, cutlery, drinks and unbreakable glasses. Offers of salads will be gratefully received.

Quiz in aid of WATSAN Saturday 20th July at 7.30pm



Rosie and Lizzie - Ordination News



Rosie Greenlees and Lizzie Davidson are to be ordained Deacons in **Portsmouth**Cathedral on 29th June at 11.00am

A warm invitation to any who would like to attend this service. The cathedral has asked candidates to submit an indication of numbers attending from their parish. Please could you contact Rosie at rosiegreenlees@btinternet.com or Lizzie at lizziedavidson@hotmail.co.uk to book your place.

Alternatively, the service is to be live streamed, and a link will be available nearer the date.

Prayers for the General Election

CARE - Christian Action Research and Education have produced many useful resources to help churches and church leaders through the election season.

The special election website – www.engage24.org.uk. is a fantastic resource to help Christians prayerfully consider their vote. It has interviews with Christian MPs from 3 different parties, blog posts about Christians and voting, biblical principles and policy analysis, a podcast, and more.

CARE have also produced a special election prayer diary –

https://www.engage24.org.uk/pray/prayer-diary/ a copy of which is at the back of St Peter's if you would like to take a look.

R.I.P. Charles Sessions R.I.P. Heather Voller

Please continue to pray for all those who especially need our prayers at this time, especially the family and friends of Heather Voller and also for Sam's father-in-law Charlie Sessions.



Also pray for all those whose names are written in our **Book of Requests for Prayer, Maureen Fordy, Alex** Rutter and Roy King, and for all those known to us who are currently in hospital.

Please also pray for the family and friends of Freda Dunn who we remember this weekend.

We pray for the families of those Anniversaries of Death fall around this time and whose names are listed in our Book of Remembrance:

16/6/1992	Peter Richard - Lord Newton
18/6/1996	George Law
19/6/2004	Alexander Hugh Wyllie
19/6/2005	Owen Henry Wilson Richards
21/6/1997	Reginald Mills
22/6/1981	Helen Wilmot

Meon Valley Food Bank



Thank you for your continued support.

We will be open next Monday between 10 and 12 to receive food donations.

Food can also be dropped off at the following places:

Bishops Waltham - Sainsbury's, Coop, St Peters Church and the Jubilee Hall in Little Shore Lane

Curdridge - St Peter's Church

Upham - Blessed Mary Church

Wickham - the Coop and the Community Centre.

Park Gate - Robinson Reade Estate Agents

The items we require for the coming week are:

Pasta Sauces Spaghetti Hoops Tinned Sweetcorn Tomato Ketchup Muesli Snack bars **Tinned Custard**