

# ST PAUL'S Church, New England

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26 September 2021- 17<sup>th</sup> Sunday after

Trinity

**HE HAS RISEN! HE IS RISEN INDEED ! ALLELUIA!**

**We continue to be open for worship & prayer every Sunday & Wednesday at 10.30am**

<p><b>Welcome to all.</b> If you are a visitor please give your name/contact details to the Welcomer. We are <u>still</u> respecting social distancing &amp; wearing a mask. Hand gel is available. <b>Please sit where seat pads located.</b> We 'wave' at The Peace &amp; do not shake hands. <b>Please help all to observe these guidelines for safety. Thank you.</b></p>	<p><b>Posters, fliers and Event Sign Up lists at the back of Church for various events.</b> Can you come / help / invite others to any of the events please ?</p> <p><b>NEW</b> – the pew seating area near the blue easy chairs is <b>ideal for families to sit in</b> so that children can use the table to do drawings, etc</p>
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**Before the service:** *Please put any financial donations /offertory in the basket as you enter.*

*Please put dried food/tinned items for the Community Foodbank in the box provided + handcream/chocs for NHS Nurses.*

**TODAY: Reading: Gospel of Mark ch 9 v38-end & James ch5 v13-20**

Reflection: 'The importance of Prayer & Worship'

**Toilet facilities in the Hall- key from Welcomer.**

We always pray for those not able to be here to worship and for our community in New England. Please use the information on this sheet as part of your daily prayer time & **keep the Newsheet.**

**Collect: Gracious God, you call us to fullness of life: deliver us from unbelief and banish our anxieties with the liberating love of Jesus Christ our Lord. AMEN.**

**TEA & COFFEE AFTER the service:** Paul & Rosemarie are serving today. Please see Val if you can offer to help by being on the Rota for Refreshments at any time. Thank you.

**TODAY:** 4pm is our 'T@4' Time, idea for families but all ages welcome. At 5pm we stop for tea-bringing a sandwich or cake if possible. Harvest theme.

We now have a Card Reader for use in Church if you would like to give a financial gift by Debit card. Cheques to 'Peterborough St Paul PCC' please.

## ST PAUL'S VISION PRAYER

We would like to see this lovely church go on for many more years to come, filled with people of all ages; a church that is vibrant & growing in strength & faith; a busy church; a church that people will be proud to call their own; a cornerstone of New England. Amen.

**IMPORTANT:** Please inform Rev Ron/Val if you, or anyone you have been in contact with, have recently tested positive for Covid 19 and you have been to St Paul's during the last 14 days or so.

## PLEASE PRAY

**Pray that we are faithful in prayer to God for all in need of God's healing touch.**

Doris Cox; Doreen & Iris; Anne Rosam; Sally Rose; Jennie Baxter; Roger & Pam Howland; Edna Hall; Michael & Linda Clark; Marian Wales; Sheila Onyskiw; Mary Campbell; Trevor Bentham; **Also:** Tom Cook; Doreen Clark; Christopher Waller; Robin's Mum & brother in law; Michael Cooper; Caroline Boyle; Doug & Margaret.

**Please pray for all you know who are grieving the death of a loved one** including family of Peggy White. Funeral in St Paul's on **Mon 4 Oct** at 11am & Burial at Eastfield.

## THE WEEK AHEAD:

**29 Weds:** 10.30am Eucharist: 12.30pm Litter Pick – can you help please? Beginning of our MISSION outreach weekend. **30 Thurs:** Harvest Festival Flower Arranging in morning-let Jenny or Val know if like to help; Afternoon – prayer walking/visit in parish.

**Fri 1<sup>st</sup> Oct: Coffee Morning** in St Paul's in support of **Macmillan Cancer Support. 10.30 to 12noon.** *Please sign list if can offer help at all. Do invite people; provide a cake; or bring items to sell.*

**2 Sat: 10.30am Come & enjoy a Bacon+Roll (or toast if preferred). Men sit in usual SHED side of Church & Ladies sit on Font side. HEAR about the difference trusting in Jesus makes.**

**3 Sun: HARVEST EUCHARIST**-please bring dried/tinned items for us to give out to those in need: 12.45pm Harvest Meal. Please sign SHEET if coming and if can help. Please bring a dessert.

**Sat. 30 Oct: Deanery Prayer Day** in St Mary's, New Road, Peterborough. 10-2pm. See flier on N.Board re booking in or contact Val.

**BIRTHDAYS:** Sept 29<sup>th</sup> Lynda Barton; Oct 2<sup>nd</sup> Keith; 4<sup>th</sup> Jonathan; Robin; 6<sup>th</sup> Monique.

**Call Rev Ron or Val** on 314117 for general enquiries on the Christian faith; baptism; weddings, funerals, etc. Val is Safeguarding Officer - Email [stpaulsplm@gmail.com](mailto:stpaulsplm@gmail.com) (GDPR Consent required from you to receive emails from us). NB: For **safeguarding** reasons the 2 church gates are often locked.