



WELCOME

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ST PETER & ST PAUL

28th June 2026

Welcome Song (see below)

Entrance

6 All Creatures of Our God and King

Before the Gospel

283 I Am a New Creation

Offertory

97 Colours of Day

Communion

549 Praise Him, Praise Him, Praise Him

272 Holy, Holy, Holy Is the Lord

Final

660 Thine Be the Glory



WELCOME SONG

Happy to share, happy to share,
Our blessings with one another.
That's why we are here.

COLLECT

Almighty God, whose blessed apostles Peter and Paul glorified you in their death as in their life: grant that your Church, inspired by their teaching and example, and made one by your Spirit, may ever stand firm upon the one foundation, Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

FOR OUR PRAYERS:

Janet & Jason & Violet, Don, Trevor, Albert;
all who are unwell; for those who have recently died and all who mourn them.

POST-COMMUNION PRAYER

Lord God, the source of truth and love, keep us faithful to the apostles' teaching and fellowship,
united in prayer and the breaking of bread,
and one in joy and simplicity of heart,
in Jesus Christ our Lord.

ZOOM BIBLE STUDY

Rev'd Ifeanyi's weekly Bible Study on Zoom is on Wednesdays from 18:00 and everyone is welcome to attend. You will need a device and the Zoom app.

Meeting ID: 849 2977 1613

Password: 356850



BBQ – SAVE THE DATE!

Our church Summer BBQ party is on **Sunday 19 July** immediately after Sunday Worship.



CHILDREN IN CHURCH

We're so grateful for the presence of children in our worship. Our hybrid Lady Chapel is available as a sensory space for children with additional needs and can also be used by parents / carers with babies & toddlers. For school age children, a colouring table is provided at the back of church. They can also use the chapel before and after the service. To work well for everyone, parents/carers are asked to stay with their children in the chapel after the collect and return after intercessions, or keep an eye on their child at the colouring table, ensuring noise is a minimum especially during the sermon and intercessions. Thank you for your care and cooperation.

EVENTS THIS WEEK

Monday 29 June

Hall: 09:30-11:30 - Toddler Group

Church: 15:30 - 18:00 - Homework Club

Hall: 17:30 - 18:30 - Rainbows

Hall: 18:30 - 20:00 - Brownies

Tuesday 30 June

Hall: 18:30 – 20:00 – Pilates

Wednesday 1 July

Church: 09:30-11:30 - Toddler Group

Church: 10:00 - Prayer & Outreach group

Hall: 12:00 - 1:30 - Food bank

Online: 18:00 - Bible study

Thursday 2 July

Hall: 18:30 - 20:30 – Guides

Friday 3 July

Hall 18:30 - 20:00 - Learning & Physical Disabilities Club

Saturday 4 July

Hall: 09:00-17:00 - 7th Day Adventists

Sunday 5 July

Church: 10:00 - Holy Communion

Hall: 11:30 - 15:00 - Apostolic Church

UPCOMING EVENTS

Sunday 19 July

Church: 11:00 – Church BBQ!

Wednesday 22 July

Hall: 12:00 - 1:30 - Food bank

Friday 31 July

Whatsapp: 19:00 – Women's Ministry Meeting

Wednesday 5 August

Church: 10:00 - Prayer & Outreach group

Hall: 12:00 - 1:30 - Food bank

*The New Testament reading is from: **Acts 12: 1 - 11***

About that time King Herod Agrippa began to persecute some believers in the church. ² He had the apostle James (John's brother) killed with a sword. ³ When Herod saw how much this pleased the Jewish people, he also arrested Peter. (This took place during the Passover celebration) ⁴ Then he imprisoned him, placing him under the guard of four squads of four soldiers each. Herod intended to bring Peter out for public trial after the Passover. ⁵ But while Peter was in prison, the church prayed very earnestly for him.

⁶ The night before Peter was to be placed on trial, he was asleep, fastened with two chains between two soldiers. Others stood guard at the prison gate. ⁷ Suddenly, there was a bright light in the cell, and an angel of the Lord stood before Peter. The angel struck him on the side to awaken him and said, "Quick! Get up!" And the chains fell off his wrists. ⁸ Then the angel told him, "Get dressed and put on your sandals." And he did. "Now put on your coat and follow me," the angel ordered.

⁹ So Peter left the cell, following the angel. But all the time he thought it was a vision. He didn't realise it was actually happening. ¹⁰ They passed the first and second guard posts and came to the iron gate leading to the city, and this opened for them all by itself. So they passed through and started walking down the street, and then the angel suddenly left him.

¹¹ Peter finally came to his senses. "It's really true!" he said. "The Lord has sent his angel and saved me from Herod and from what the Jewish leaders had planned to do to me!"

This is the Word of the Lord.

All: Thanks be to God.

*The Gospel reading is from **Matthew 16: 13 - 19***

*Hear the Gospel of our Lord Jesus Christ according to **Matthew**.*

All: Glory to you, O Lord.

¹³ When Jesus came to the region of Caesarea Philippi, he asked his disciples, “Who do people say that the Son of Man is?”

¹⁴ “Well,” they replied, “some say John the Baptist, some say Elijah, and others say Jeremiah or one of the other prophets.”

¹⁵ Then he asked them, “But who do you say I am?”

¹⁶ Simon Peter answered, “You are the Messiah, the Son of the living God.”

¹⁷ Jesus replied, “You are blessed, Simon son of John, because my Father in heaven has revealed this to you. You did not learn this from any human being. ¹⁸ Now I say to you that you are Peter (which means ‘rock’), and upon this rock I will build my church, and all the powers of hell will not conquer it. ¹⁹ And I will give you the keys of the Kingdom of Heaven. Whatever you forbid on earth will be forbidden in heaven, and whatever you permit on earth will be permitted in heaven.”

This is the Gospel of the Lord.

All: Praise to you, O Christ.