CHURCHES TOGETHER – EASTER CARDS
Packing Wednesday 29 March between 2 and 4 pm at the Parish Centre, Gosditch Street. Volunteers welcome.
The envelopes will be in the churches for Sunday 3 April.

QUIET HOUR
The member of the Mothers' Union invite you to a Quiet Hour in the Parish Church at 2 pm on Wednesday 5 April. The hour will be led by the Rev Canon Margaret Bettis.

PARISH WEBSITE
Our site at www.stpeterscirencester.org exists to inform parishioners, intending visitors and newcomers to the parish. Kathy and Roger Whitton (webmaster@stpeterscirencester.org) develop the site and can be contacted if you can help in any way or have useful comments to make about improving the content.

PARISH PASTORAL TEAM
Meeting Monday 10 April, 7 pm in the Presbytery.

FATIMA 2006
Pilgrimage 10-17 July. See poster in the church porch for details.

CONFIRMATION
There will be Confirmation here at St Peter's on **Tuesday 11 July 2006, 7.30 pm Mass.** Details of enrolment and preparation to follow.

'MY GOD, I DELIGHT IN YOU'
A celebration of the Feast of the Annunciation.
Convent of the Poor Clares, Woodchester.
Saturday 25 March, 10 am – 4 pm.
A chance to experience different forms of prayer, with times of silence and personal space.
Booking essential (Ronnie Mitchinson 0117 902 5595) as numbers are limited.
Please bring a packed lunch.

HOLY ECHO HOLY

Holy Holy Holy holy is the Lord God of power
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God of might Heav'n and earth are filled with glory
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Hosanna Hosanna Hosanna in the highest
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FINANCE
Weekend 11/12 March 2006:
Collection: £390-26.
CAFOD : £282-77.
Next special collection: Holy Places, Good Friday (14 April).

PARISH MEETING
The meeting planned for 22 March has been postponed, on finding that the Parish Hall is otherwise booked, and will now take place on **Wed 17 May, 7 pm in the Hall.**

TRANSPORT
Coaches have been booked to go to the Penitential Service at Stroud on 9 April (Palm Sunday) and the Chrism Mass at Clifton Cathedral on Wednesday 12 April. Details to follow.

THIS WEEK

Mon 20 Mar	SAINT JOSEPH, husband of Mary. Mass 10 am
Tue 21 Mar	Mass 10 am
Wed 22 Mar	Mass 10 am
Thur 23 Mar	Mass 10 am
Fri 24 Mar	Mass 10 am
Sat 25 Mar	THE ANNUNCIATION OF THE LORD Mass 10 am Confessions 10.30 – 11 am, 5-5.30 pm.

Please pray for:
- those who are sick, including: Dr O'Donovan, Mrs Osiak, Charlotte Bartlett, Deacon John, Mrs McSherry, Sheila McKeown, Colin Farmer, Katherine Felix, Margaret Porter, Gordon King, Lucy Telling, Terry Whiteman, Di Adams, Gwen Murphy, Tony Barry, Dorothy Godleman, Cesira Franco, Major Wylie-Carrick, Tom Tooley, Mrs Gatehouse, Clive Owlett, Mary Kinson,, Bethany Mickleburgh, Anna Peake, Angela and Michael Pilkington

MARCH is the MONTH OF SAINT JOSEPH, HUSBAND OF MARY.
Prayer intentions: Candidates for the Sacraments, Women, The Needy and Hungry of the World, Penitents and Wanderers

ST PETER'S BOOK…
…for your prayers and intercessions, can be found at the back of the church.

HOLY COMMUNION
All those at Mass who are not in Full Communion with the Catholic Church, and those Catholics not receiving Holy Communion, are warmly invited to come forward for a blessing. When approaching the celebrant, please fold your arms across your chest so he will know that you wish to receive a blessing.

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FAO Roger Whitton

Sunday 19 March	THIRD SUNDAY OF LENT Psalter week 3. Readings (Year B) page 527.
First Mass of Sunday:	Saturday 6 pm
Sunday Mass:	9.30 am 11 am (Frank Brereton R.I.P.).
First Reading:	Exodus 20/1-17. I am the Lord your God.
PSALM RESPONSE:	You, Lord, have the message of eternal life.
Second Reading:	1 Corinthians 1/22-25. Christ, the power and wisdom of God.
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:	Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory! I am the resurrection and the life, says the Lord. Whoever believes in me will never die. Praise to you, O Christ, King of eternal glory!
GOSPEL:	John 2/13-25. Cleansing the Temple.
COMMUNION ANTIPHON:	The sparrow even finds a home, the swallow finds a nest wherein to place her young, near to your altars, Lord of hosts, my King, my God! How happy they who dwell in your house! For ever they are praising you.

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