PALESTINE: THE TRUTH, THE FUTURE
Meeting Thursday 5 October, 7 pm, St Matthew's Church, Clarence Street (opposite the library) in Cheltenham.
Speakers: Edward McMillan Scott, MEP; a representative of Jews for Justice, a Moslem, and Joanne Moston, For further details, see the poster in the church porch.
If parishioners are interested, transport will be organised. To express interest, please sign the list by the poster.

Macmillan Cancer Support.
COFFEE MORNING
Friday 29 September, The Showroom, Bridges Nissan, Chesterton Lane, 10-12. Details in church porch.

THE WAY OF THE PILGRIM
Series of eight lectures on Luke's Gospel, in the Library of Prinknash Abbey, beginning Saturday 7 October. Details in church porch.

PARISH PASTORAL TEAM
Next meeting Monday 9 October, 7 pm in the Presbytery.

FINANCE
Weekend 16/17 September 2006:
Collection £351-03.
Next second collection 7/8 October (CAFOD Harvest).

FOUND PROPERTY
Gentleman's green hat.

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. Their phone number is 01793 751863.

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
God of might Heav'n and earth are

Hosanna Hosanna Hosanna in the highest
filled with glory Hosanna Hosanna Hosanna in the

Blessed Blessed Blest is he who comes in God's name
highest Blessed Blessed Blest is he who comes

Hosanna Hosanna Hosanna in the highest
In God's Name Hosanna Hosanna Hosanna in the

highest

USED STAMP COLLECTION BOX
There is a *used stamp collection box* at the back of the church, the profits from which will go to help the *Capivara Project*. Thank you for your marvellous response so far – please keep the stamps coming! Just cut the stamps of the envelopes leaving about 1 cm around the edges. All stamps including English can be donated.

PARISH CARE TEAM
We would like to have a team of people from the parish willing to visit sick or lonely parishioners. There are also a few people who would like to be escorted to Mass on Sundays. (*In other words, we want to expand the good work that is already being done*). If you think you might be able to help, would you please contact Fr Michael (652087) or Pam Wallis (641918). Those who are Eucharistic Ministers would be particularly welcome.

PRAYER LINE
Call 01451 860609 (Doreen Fothergill) or Dee Stansall (01666 860387).

THIS WEEK

Mon 25 Sep	Mass 10 am
Tue 26 Sep	Mass 10 am
Wed 27 Sep	Saint Vincent de Paul Mass 10 am
Thur 28 Sep	Mass 10 am
Fri 29 Sep	Saint Michael, Saint Gabriel and Saint Raphael Mass 10 am
Sat 30 Sep	Saint Jerome Mass 10 am Confessions 10.30 – 11.00 am, 5.00 – 5.30 pm

Please pray for:
- those who are sick, including, Norah Woodcock, Paula Manning, Charlotte Bartlett, Mrs McSherry, Sheila McKeown, Katherine Felix, Margaret Porter, Gordon King, Lucy Telling, Di Adams, Gwen Murphy, Tony Barry, Dorothy Godleman, Cesira Franco, Tom Tooley, Mrs Gatehouse, Clive Owlett, Mary Kinson,, Bethany Mickleburgh, Anna Peake, Angela Pilkington

(*Please inform Fr Michael of any changes to be made to the above list*)

- those whose anniversaries occur about this time, including Esther Williams, Rupert Mallam, Florence Brooks

SEPTEMBER is the month of OUR LADY OF SORROWS. Prayer intentions: A deeper understanding between Christians and Jews; those who suffer persecution, oppression and denial of human rights; for Europe; for seafarers.

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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RAO Roger Whitton

Sunday 24 September
TWENTY-FIFTH SUNDAY IN ORDINARY TIME
Readings Year B, page 666.
Psalter week 1.

1st Mass of Sunday:	Saturday 6 pm
Sunday Mass:	9.30 am (Owen McGuinness R.I.P.). 11am
First Reading:	Wisdom 2/12, 17-20. Persecution.
PSALM RESPONSE:	The Lord upholds my life.
Second Reading:	James 3/16-4/3. Pure wisdom from above.
GOSPEL ACCLAMATION:	Alleluia, alleluia! I am the light of the world, says the Lord. Anyone who follows me will have the light of life. Alleluia!
GOSPEL:	Mark 9/30-37. Anyone who welcomes Jesus, welcomes the Father.
COMMUNION ANTIPHON:	I am the Good Shepherd, says the Lord. I know my sheep, and mine know me.

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