



ST PETER'S CATHOLIC CHURCH

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Parish Priest: *Fr. Michael Davies*

Permanent Deacon:

Rev. J Fothergill

Welcome to our church. If you are a visitor, we hope that you will enjoy your stay in Cirencester. If you are new to the Parish, please make yourself known to someone in the congregation. Saturday evening and Sunday morning, there will be a "welcoming person" with a badge.

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Sat 21 Jan: First Mass of Sunday 6 pm
(Milos Vasic RIP)

Sun 22 Jan: Mass 11 am:
(Tetbury Mass 9 am)

Mon 23 Jan: Mass 10 am

Tues 24 Jan: St Francis de Sales
Mass 10 am

Wed 25 Jan: Conversion of St Paul the Apostle
Eucharistic service 10 am
(Tetbury Mass 10 am)

Thurs 26 Jan: Ss Timothy & Titus
Mass 10 am

Fri 27 Jan: Mass 10 am

Sat 28 Jan: St Thomas Aquinas
Mass 10 am

Confessions: 10.30 – 11 am & 5 – 5.30 pm
First Mass of Sunday 6 pm

Sun 29 Jan: Mass 11 am
(Tetbury Mass 9 am)

Please pray for:

- those who are sick, including John Hall, Iris Brennan, Ethne McGuinness, Dee Mitten, Jane Manners, Irene Spaul, Neil Adam, Mary Carling, Irene Malone, William Mockridge, Andrew Macdonald, Eric Graham, Paul Mahoney, Maisie Norton, Lucy Telling, Claire Halliday, Harold Adams, Sally Walsh, Alice Walsh, Gwen Murphy, Dorothy Godleman, Raffaele & Cesira Franco, Tom Tooley, Clive Owlett, Mary Kinson, Bethany Mickleburgh

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

- those whose anniversaries occur about this time, including Margaret Porter, Ken Vose, Sheila Lawrence, Emmy Dinkel, Elizabeth McKeown, Desmond Doherty and Blanche Johnstone

PRAYER

St Peter's Book, for you to write your prayers, can be found at the back of church. If you have an urgent request for prayer, contact the Prayer Line on 01451 860609 or 01666 860387.

FINANCE

Weekend 7/8 Jan £320. Gift Aid £431, tax rebate of £101. Total £852.

JANUARY IS THE MONTH OF THE INFANT JESUS
Prayer Intentions: Candidates for the Sacraments, Women, the Needy and Hungry of the World, Penitents and Wanderers.

MINISTRY OF CARE

Please let us know if you - or any other parishioner - would like a visit or Holy Communion at home. Contact Fr Michael or Mary Dickman on 653714.

MINISTRY OF WELCOME

To avoid disruption and distractions, please make every effort to arrive for Mass in good time and, if possible, leave the aisle seats for latecomers.

DIOCESAN DIRECTORIES

These are available at the back of the church and are free for parishioners.

CHOIR

There are vacancies in the choir for a few sopranos. If you are interested, please contact Richard Lester on 640194.

CHURCHES TOGETHER IN CIRENCESTER

1) Sunday, 22 January, at 6pm in the Parish Church, Christian Unity Service. The director of Christian Aid will speak at the service.

2) Friday, 27 January, at 5 pm in the Parish Church, Holocaust Memorial Day Service.

Also 21-28 January, Exhibition of poetry and art by local secondary school pupils and college students in the Parish Church.

Your support at these services would be valued.

JOB VACANCIES

Nicola Hurst is looking for two people to assist her:

- 1) Someone to take over her bookkeeping
 - 2) Someone to assist with general duties, ie help with correspondence, possibly a bit of ironing, etc
- Both posts are part-time and hours would be totally flexible. If you are interested in either post and would like more information, please ring Nicola on 659018.

COLD WEATHER SHELTER

With the impending winter weather, the Cold Weather Shelter, which provides emergency overnight accommodation to rough sleepers, is seeking additional volunteers on a rota basis to help staff the premises. In order for the shelter to operate, two volunteers are required per overnight stay (please note this must be either two men working together or a couple). If you would be willing to help out or would like to know more about the shelter, can you please contact Pat at the Baptist Office on 643510 or e-mail office@cirencester-baptist.org

MOBILE PHONES

Please be kind enough to **completely** turn off your mobile phones in church. Leaving them in "silent mode" is very painful for our Electro Sensitive Parishioners. Thanks you.