# Times of Mass This Week Month January 2015

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Saturday	St Peter's Christine Mellor (RIP)	6.00pm
Sunday	St Michael's Santina Long (RIP)	9.00am
-	St Peter's Ethne McGuinness (RIP)	11.00am
Monday	St Peter's Vocations in our diocese	9.00am
Tuesday	St Peter's	9.00am
Wednesday	St Peter's Liturgy of the Word	10.00am
	St Michael's	10.00am
Thursday	St Peter's	6.30pm
Friday	St Peter's Private Intention	9.00am

#### St Peter's Church, Cirencester

The Rosary – Mon-Fri,@8.40am, the Rosary is said in the Church.

**Confessions** – Saturday at 5.00 – 5.30pm and can also be arranged with Fr Issy, **Prayer Line**: If you have an urgent request for prayer, please tel; Dee on 01666

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Parish Office: Monday 9.30am – 2.00pm

## St Michael's Church, Tetbury

**Parish Office**: Wednesday and Friday 9.30am – 3.00pm **Meditation Group**: Friday @ 10.00am; all are welcome

## **CONTACT US**



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## Diocese of Clifton

Registered Charity No: 233977 Diocesan Website: www.cliftondiocese.com

Please, mobile phones should be <u>completely</u> turned off in church – not left in Silent mode - thank you.







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The Parish Office
The Parish Hall
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Tetbury
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# Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> January 2015 Second Sunday in Ordinary Time – Yr. B

#### WELCOME

We welcome visitors and anyone who is visiting our parish for the first time.

We pray for God's special Blessings on you.

We wish you a very Happy and Holy worship with us.

#### LITURGY OF THE WORD

**Entrance Antiphon**: All the ends of the earth shall bow down before you, O God, and shall sing to you, shall sing to your name, O Most High.

**First Reading**: The first book of Samuel 3: 3-10, 19

Responsorial Psalm: Here I am, Lord. I come to do your will.

**Second Reading**: The first letter of St Paul to the Corinthians 6: 13-15, 17-20

# **Gospel Acclamation:**

Alleluia, alleluia, Speak, Lord, your servant is listening: you have the message of eternal life. Alleluia

**Gospel**: The Holy Gospel according to John 1:35-42

### **Memorial Acclamation:**

We proclaim your Death, O Lord, and profess your Resurrection until you come again

# **Communion Antiphon:**

You have prepared a table before me, and how precious is the chalice that quenches my thirst.

### CARE AND DEVELOPMENT OF OUR PARISHES

**New to the Parish**: Our Parishes are a welcoming community; please let us know if you are new and collect a Registration form from Elaine or any 'Welcoming Person' at Mass.

Please remember in your prayers: Those who are sick including Mgr Gabriel Leyden, Fr Michael Davies, Pip Mantell, Jackie Niblett, Bill Brewer, Monica Whaley, Donna Wakefield, Matt Sheppard, Shelia Moore, Joan Agassi, Iris Brennan, Agnes Moran, Elizabeth Catling, Dorothy Godleman, Lyn Ibbitt, Julie Bulmar, Marie Coupland, Joseph Asciak, Marie Gale, Kathleen Eustace and Alice Walsh. Please inform Elaine of any changes to this list.

**RIP** those who have died recently especially Santina Long and all whose anniversaries are at this time. May they rest in peace. Amen.

**Home Visits or Sick Call:** If you would like a visit or Holy Communion at home, or in the case of emergency please ring the parish office (St. Michael's: 01666 502367) or (St Peters 01285 652 087) to make arrangements.

### **Parish Finances:**

St Peter's Parish: Collection: £368 Second Collection: SPUC £238.43p St Michael's Parish: Collection; £112.00 Second Collection: SPUC £66 Thank you.

**Second Collection**: There will be a second collection in St Michael's Parish today for Pax Christi.

**This Week @ St Michael's**: Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Steve and Fran; Ministers of the Word: Richard & Sue; Church Cleaning w/c 19/1/15: Rachel & Louise; Flowers: Janet; Collection Counting: Elaine & Kevin.

**Next Week**: Minister of Holy Communion: Les & Pam; Ministers of the Word: Pat & Tony; Church Cleaning: w/c 26/1/15: Rachel & Louise; Flowers: Sue; Collection Counting: Elaine & Tony.

**Coffee:** Please join us in the hall for coffee after Mass. There is a new rota for volunteers to make coffee in St Michael's Parish; please sign up if you can help. **Parish Newsletter:** Will you please send any items for the Parish Newsletter to

Elaine in St Michael's Parish Office by Wednesday @12.00noon; thank you.

#### PARISH EVENTS

**Quiz Night:** This will take place on Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February 2015 @ 7.30pm in St Michael's Parish Hall; tickets are £5.00 in aid of Cotswold Hospice.

#### **DIOCESAN AND DEANERY EVENTS**

Vocation Matters: "Speak, Lord, your servant is listening" In 1989, in his diocese of Milan, Cardinal Martini launched the 'Samuel Group', a monthly meeting for young people seeking to hear more closely God's call in their lives. Over a decade, 200 young people would come together each year, to ponder on the Word of God and seek spiritual guidance in order to listen, just as Samuel was instructed to listen by Eli. Now, Samuel Groups are found across the world, including our diocese of Clifton. Let us pray that the invitation of the Lord for young adults to consider more deeply their vocation will be heard more and more across our diocese. The Lord is calling! Let's make it possible for all to hear and discern well.

**Exploring St Mark's Gospel**: The next session takes place on Wednesday 28th January 2015 looking at Ministry in Galilee and the Road to Jerusalem: Part Two. This will be held at the Church of the Immaculate Conception, Stroud @ 7.30pm

**Celebrating Consecrated Life:** Bishop Declan invites us to join him and the Religious Communities and Consecrated men and women of our diocese on Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> February 2015 @ 6.00pm in Clifton Cathedral. All are welcome.

**Celebrating Marriage**: Bishop Declan has invited the whole Diocesan community especially married couples to join him at the Celebration of Marriage Eucharist in Clifton Cathedral on Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2015 at 12noon as part of National Marriage Week (7-14 February).

**Rite of Election**: There is a Mass on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> February 2015 in Clifton Cathedral, Bristol @ 11.00am for those who are taking part in the Rite of Election program and their Catechists.

#### AROUND CIRENCESTER, TETBURY and MALAMESBURY

**Carer Support Wiltshire:** Do you provide support to a friend, relative or loved one? Do you want to find out more about the free training, information, support, advice & respite breaks available for you? Call into Malmesbury Town Hall on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2015 from 11am to 2.00pm. Please see notice on notice board.

Christians against Poverty; Money Course: Has Christmas cleaned you out? Are you planning a celebration this year and wondering how to pay for it? Or have you simply resolved to take better control of your finances in 2015? Whatever your financial circumstances the CAP money course has something to offer you. So we're running our next free money management course in January, on Monday evenings from 7.30 - 9.30pm at Cirencester Baptist Church, Coxwell Street, on Monday 19th and 26th Jan and Monday 2nd Feb. If you would like to know more, or simply book a place, then email capmoney@cirencester-baptist.org

**Christian Unity Week:** Services will take place as follows and you are very welcome to attend.

Monday 19th January 7.00pm at the Baptist Church

Tuesday 20th January 2.00pm at Ashcroft Church

Wednesday 21st January 10.00am at St. Peter's Church Stratton

7.00pm at Holy Trinity Watermoor

Thursady 22nd January 10.30am at the Friends Meeting House

Friday 23rd January 7.30pm-9.00pm at the New Life Church

Saturday 24th January 6.00pm at St. Peter's Catholic Church

Every lunchtime 12.00-12.25pm Eucharist at the Parish Church.

Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> January 6.00pm at Christchurch, Tetbury. All welcome.

TACT will be holding their AGM on Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> January 2015 @ 7.00pm in St Michael's Parish Hall; all welcome.

**Cirencester Foodbank:** Cirencester Foodbank is looking to employ a part-time paid project manager for 15 hours per week, to start as soon as possible. We are seeking a hard working, self starting, motivated individual who is passionate about helping us to eradicate food poverty and demonstrate compassion within our local community. For more information or an application form please contact Mandy Fry, (Chairwoman), on <a href="mailto:info@cirencester.foodbank.org.ukor">info@cirencester.foodbank.org.ukor</a> phone 07968 104619. Closing date for applications is Sunday 1st February.