At St Peter's, we welcome all gifts in wills, however large or small and we promise to use your gift to make a difference to our parish. Our PCC Legacy Policy is to use gifts to help fund significant development projects, whether buildings, families and youth work, equipment, or staff, and to sustain the future of our beautiful church and churchyard. Since needs change over the years, we encourage you to leave a gift in your will for the general purposes of the parish rather than for a restricted purpose. We will discuss possible uses of your gift with your executors when the time comes, bearing in mind your known areas of interest in the church (e.g., children and youth, churchyard, music, buildings, overseas mission, or aid) and the church's priorities at the time. You can be confident that your gift will be used to make a real difference to our future mission and ministry. We acknowledge gifts in whatever way the donor or their executors feel most appropriate to. Equally, we can make sure that gifts remain anonymous if the donor prefers. If you would like to talk to someone in confidence about the sorts of purposes your gift might fund, and how/if you would like your gift to be acknowledged, please contact our Churchwarden, Paul Corver on 07770688618 or email paul.corver@btinternet.com

If you would like to make a gift to our church in memoriam, please come and discuss this with us too. It can be a wonderful and appropriate way to remember a loved one.

### GIVING DAY TODAY!!

This will be held in church from 1pm-5pm. Please read Paul Corver's piece in the parish magazine as it explains our reasons for holding this. The church is becoming very much involved in the community and we want this to continue but it requires the upkeep and maintenance and running of the church if we are to have it in the future. Your support is vital however small. If you cannot drop in on the day donations can be made to Chailey P C C, sort code 09-01-55, account number 06923088, stating reference 'Church Funds'. If you already give regularly perhaps you could consider raising your regular donation by 2/3% which is still less than inflation Thank you.

100 CLUB DRAW WNNERS, drawn at PCC meeting on Thursday 1st Mary Whita, 2nd Emma Tonking, 3rd Olga Jeffs

Our Christmas collections this year will go towards our Children, Families and Youth work. We will begin on Advent Sunday (next week) and continue to Candlemass at the end of January. Please give as generously as you can. Our target is £15,000 between Chailey and Newick.

## **NEWS IN THE PEWS**

# Welcome

#### SUNDAY 26th November 2023

Sunday next before Advent

Liturgical Year A ((Red or white)
Priest in Charge Revd Paul Mundy (Rector of Newick)

TODAY'S SERVICES

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8am Holy Communion (BOP) 10.00am Parish Communion Revd Paul Mundy



#### TODAY'S READINGS

8am

Colossians 1: 13-20 John 6: 5-14

Ezekiel 34: 11-16, 20-24 Ephesians 1: 15—end Matthew 25: 31—end

**HYMNS** 

1st Hymn 13 All people that on earth do dwell

10am

2nd Hymn 62 Christ triumphant

3rd Hymn 1604 When I needed a neighbour

4th Hymn 879 Let all the world

LADIES PRAYER GROUP will meet at 10am on 14th December at Brenda Martin's.

BIBLE BOOK CLUB are studying 2 Samuel, Chapters 7-24. They will meet at Joy and Stewart's on Weds 11th January at 2,15pm

NEXT WEEK'S SERVICES 3rd December 8 am Holy Communion 10.00am Parish Communion Don't forget that the box for donations to the Family Support Work is still at the back of the Church. The need for support is greater than ever. If you can spare a couple of items a week, it all mounts up. www.familysupportwork.org.uk.



#### **CHURCH DIARY**

Sunday 26th November 1-5pm Giving Day Monday 27th Nov 8pm Bell ringing Wednesday 29th November 9am Possums

#### A CHAILEY CHRISTMAS CRACKER

Come and enjoy an evening of festive music and song performed by St Peter's Director of Music, and professional tenor, Andy Rees and his operatic soprano wife Jo Appleby. West end musical excellence on your doorstep in Chailey. A 'do not miss' event. The performance will be at St Peter's church Chailey on Friday 15th December at 7pm. Entry £15 to include mulled wine and nibbles. Profits will be used to help support St Peter's ongoing youth work and community support in Chailey parish.

Tickets available on the door or in advance by contacting Paul Corver on <a href="mailto:paul.corver@btinternet.com">paul.corver@btinternet.com</a>

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WEBSITE: There is a lot of information on our website, which we keep updated. It can be

found on www.stpeterschailey.org

Our Safeguarding Recruiter (child protection officer) is Jane Von der Becke She can be contacted on 07740 289802 email jvonderbecke@gmail.com

#### Pastoral Care Fund

Donations can be made at any time to the Treasurer or directly to the bank. (Chailey P C C, Sort Code 09-01-55 Account 06923088. Please state 'Pastoral Care Fund'). Cheques can be posted in the letterbox outside St Peter's bell tower or handed to a Church Warden.

If you are able to gift aid your donation, please include a note with your name, address and postcode, or you can email a note to the Treasurer, to stpeterschurch12@hotmail.co.uk

In your prayers this week please remember those who are ill especially Julie, Troy, Gemma Peacock, Betty Olbrich, Kerry and Dudley Dean, David and Janet Barnes, Brenda and Ray Ford, Chris Ruane, James, Anne Yeats, Anthony and Philippa Meadows, June Wise, Brenda Bellis, Pat Stepney, Julia Russell, Barbara Scott and Val Thwaites.

We pray too for the recently departed and for all those whose anniversaries fall at this time, may they rest in peace and rise in glory.

CHRISTMAS LUNCH is on Wednesday 13th December. There is a sign up sheet at the back of church.