

Pews News

St Peter & St Paul

Cranfield 5th January 2020



OUR MISSION STATEMENT

“We are a community church, bringing the good news of Jesus Christ and serving this community in His love.”



2nd Sunday of Christmas

8am Holy Communion
 10.30am Morning Prayer
Led by Rev. Duncan Goldthorpe

Jeremiah 31 v7-14 (OT p 763)
 Ephesians 1 v3-14 (NT p238)
 John 1 v1-18 (NT p4)

12noon(Prayers for the vacancy)

4pm
 Candlelight Epiphany Evensong at Salford
Led by Rev John Bell

Week Ahead

(From January 6th)

Thursday at 10.45am

Bible Study Group at 3 Thrift View
 “Recalibrate” an MAF BibleStudy. All welcome
 contact Marjorie on 01234 750025

Thursday at 7.30pm

Bellringing practice – newcomers welcome.

Saturday at 10am

Pew Top sale

Next Sunday (12th January)

MOTTO TEXT

10.30 Holy Communion
Led by Rev Ray Porter

Coffee Donations (from January - March)

CMS (Mid Africa Ministry)

Cranfield Parish Church

Rector:	Vacancy	☎750214
Wardens	Mr Andrew Pearson	☎751358
	Mrs Jo Stannage	☎752116
Reader	Mr Trevor Dimmock	☎751321
Safeguarding	Mrs Anne Dimmock	☎751321

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Happy New Year and a warm welcome to you all to our services today.

A special welcome to Rev Duncan Goldthorpe from St Andrews Bedford who has kindly agreed to officiate at both our 8am and 10.30 services today.

Do stay behind after the service for tea, coffee, biscuits a chat.

The candlelit evensong at Salford should be very special do make an effort to attend.

Manor House New Year’s Concert

A splendid evening was had last night in church and as usual we were superbly entertained by The Manor House String Quartet.

Pew Top sale

Don’t forget the next Pew Top Sale Saturday 11th January from 10am.

THANK YOU

As a result of your regular giving, the generosity of many in the Parish who are not churchgoers and the wonderful fund raising efforts of the Friends of the Church we have been able to pay our Parish Share in full which amounted to **£38,467.**

The share will increase again next year after the appointment of a new Rector so no time to rest on our laurels. If you are not already a regular giver and would like to join the Parish Giving Scheme please ask Trevor for details.

A New Year's Prayer

Lord, You make all things new
 You bring hope alive in our hearts
 And cause our Spirits to be born again.
 Thank you for this new year
 For all the potential it holds.
 Come and kindle in us A mighty flame
 So that in our time, many will see the wonders of
 God
 And live forever to praise Your glorious name.
 Amen

Especially in our Prayers

All those involved in the process of appointing our new Rector.

The middle east as the threat of major destabilisation looms.