

Pews News

St Peter & St Paul's Cranfield

29th January 2023



The Fourth Sunday of Epiphany Readings

Genesis 4:1-12

Matthew 5:21-26

Collect

God our creator, who in the beginning commanded the light to shine out of darkness: we pray that the light of the glorious gospel of Christ may dispel the darkness of ignorance and unbelief, shine into the hearts of all your people, and reveal the knowledge of your glory in the face of Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Week Ahead

Tuesday 31 st	- 9:30am – Year 3 School Visit
Wednesday 1 st	- 7:30pm – Music Group Practice
Thursday 2 nd	- 9:00am – Spread the Joy Café (with Junior Jivers)
	- 4:00pm – Rock Solid
	- 7:30pm – Bell Ringing Practice
Friday 3 rd	- 1:30pm – Craft Group
Saturday 4 th	- 6:30pm – Bedford Road Home Group

Next Sunday – 5th February

10:30am – Morning Service (followed by Prayer Meeting)

Our services are sometimes livestreamed. To avoid the camera, please use the balcony or the seats under the balcony.

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Sermon Notes

Matthew 5:21-26

1, A far deeper commandment.

2, A far greater judgement.

3, A far more wonderful vision.

Notices

Prayer Meetings Twice a Month

Going forward we will also hold a prayer meeting after the third Sunday of each month's service, as well as the first Sunday.

Help for Rotas

We could really do with some more people to help on the following two rotas: sidespeople, and coffee. Please speak to either Isaac or Jean Hood if you are willing to serve in this way.

Ash Wednesday Service: 22nd February - 6pm.

Our Ash Wednesday service will be our first of three benefice services this year. We look forward to welcoming you to this special service.

Prayers

For our persecuted family living in: Mozambique

Please pray for peace and stability in the region. Thank the Lord that many Muslims reject brutality in the name of Islam. Pray that atrocities will cease and that the government will be mobilised to intervene against the violence.

For those in particular need:

Jean Sampson, Jim and Sheila Ewen, Pearl Cartmill, Dennis Howe, Julia Cox, and Sheila Francis.