

THE PARISH OF ST PETER & ST LEONARD, HORBURY, with ST JOHN, HORBURY BRIDGE

Registered Charity No. 1147711



Parish Calendar 2025

This calendar draws your attention to a number of special services and events which are taking place in our parish in 2025. It is hoped that by sharing these dates with you early you will add them to your diary and be able to attend, to support the life and work of the parish in all its variety. Please save the dates in your diary now and come along to as much as you can.

Regular Services

Day	Time	Service	Place
Sunday	5pm	Vigil Mass (Saturday evening)	St Peter's
	9am	Sung Mass	St John's
	10.30am	Sung Mass	St Peter's
	5pm	Evening Prayer (followed by	St Peter's
		Benediction on the first Sunday of	
		the month)	
Monday	No service	es	
Tuesday	8.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter's
	9am	Mass	St Peter's
	3.30pm	Messy Church (term-time only)	St John's
	5pm	Evening Prayer	St Peter's
Wednesday	8.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter's
	5pm	Evening Prayer	St Peter's
	6pm	Confessions	St Peter's
	7pm	Mass	St Peter's
Thursday	8.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter's
	I2noon	Mass	St Peter's
	5pm	Evening Prayer	St Peter's
Friday	8.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter's
	9.15am	Mass	St John's
	5pm	Evening Prayer	St Peter's
Saturday	8.30am	Morning Prayer	St Peter's
	9am	Mass (EF)	St Peter's

Holy Days of Obligation are days where the church requires us to attend mass. The current Holy Days of Obligation are:

- All Sundays of the year;
- The Nativity of the Lord (25 December);
- The Epiphany of the Lord (transferred this year to 5 January);
- The Ascension of the Lord (Thursday of the 6th Week of Easter);
- The Body and Blood of Christ (Corpus Christi) (currently transferred to the Sunday after the Most Holy Trinity);
- The Assumption of the Blessed Virgin Mary (15 August);
- St Peter and St Paul, Apostles (29 June); and
- All Saints (transferred this year to 2 November).

Three causes exempt an individual from the obligation:

- Necessity (e.g. sickness, being housebound);
- Duty (e.g. soldiers, doctors, nurses, parents looking after young children); or
- Charity (e.g. taking care of the sick, responding to the immediate needs of a neighbour).

When a **solemnity** falls on a day other than Sunday, the mass is generally moved to 7pm and is sung rather than said. If the solemnity falls on a Saturday, the mass is generally moved to 12noon and is sung rather than said.

Two days of **fasting** take place in the course of the church's year, Ash Wednesday and Good Friday. On these days, Christians from the age of 18 to 58 should eat just I regular meal and up to 2 smaller meals that do not equal the regular meal in size. They must also not snack or eat meat. Those outside the age limits, and those whose state in life includes pregnant women, manual labourers, and those who are ill, are not required to fast or abstain, but are encouraged to do so or take up some other form of penitence or act of charity. In addition, Christians practise **abstinence** every Friday, and so should not eat meat on these days.

Other Weekly Church Groups and Activities

Day	Time	Group	Place
Sunday	10.30am	Kids Church	St Peter's
	6pm	Rock Solid (term-time only)	St Peter's
Tuesday	9am	ABC Toddler Group (term-time	St John's
		only)	
	6.15pm	Choir Practice	St Peter's
	7pm	Bell-Ringing Practice	St Peter's
Wednesday	9.30am	JAMs Toddler Group (term-time St Peter	
		only)	
	3.30pm	Choristers of St Peter's	St Peter's
Thursday	3.30pm	Choristers of St John's	St John's
	8pm	Zoomers (alternate weeks)	Online
Friday	6pm	Peterites (term-time only)	St Peter's
Saturday	9.30am	Read, Mark, Learn Bible Reading	St Peter's
		Group (unless otherwise	
		advertised)	

Times and dates included in this calendar are accurate at time of printing, though these may change as the year progresses. Other events may also be added.

Key

Liturgical Celebrations and Devotions	
Monthly Requiem Masses	
Social and Fundraising Events	
Musical Events	
Children and Family Events	
Pilgrimages to the Shrine of OLW/Cell Meetings	
Men's Group	
Servers' Guild	
Business Meetings	
Evangelistic Events	
Catechesis	
Misc. Events	

Please note that events listed may fall into multiple categories.

January

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			I	2	3	4
			Mary			
5	6	7	8	9	Ю	II
Epiphany (Holy Day of Obligation)						
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
Baptism						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
2 in OT						
26	27	28	29	30	31	
z in OT						
3 in OT						

Wed	I	Mary, Mother of God	12noon	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
Sun	5	Epiphany of the Lord (Holy	9am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Chalk	St John's	
		Day of Obligation)	10.30am	Sung Mass with Proclamation of the Moveable Feasts and Blessing of Chalk	St Peter's	
			3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
			5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Tue	14	Tuesday Feria	9am	January Requiem	St Peter's	
Wed	15	Wednesday Feria	7.30pm	PCC Meeting	St Peter's	
Fri	17	St Antony, Abt	9.15am	School Mass and Epiphany Blessing	St John's	
Sun	19	2 nd Sunday in Ordinary Time	4pm	Week of Prayer for Christian Unity Service	Horbury Methodist Church	
Sat	25	Conversion of St Paul	IOam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	

February

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						I
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
Presentation						
9	Ю	II	12	13	14	15
5 in OT						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
6 in OT						
23	24	25	26	27	28	
7 in OT						

Sat	I	I Saturday Feria	IIam	Men's Group Churchyard Tidy, followed by Lunch	St Peter's	
			7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	Sun 2	Presentation of the Lord	9am	Blessing of Candles, Procession and Sung Mass	St John's	
			10.30am	Blessing of Candles, Procession and Sung Mass	St Peter's	
			3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
			5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Tue	4	Tuesday Feria	9am	February Requiem	St Peter's	
Tue	18	Tuesday Feria	9am- 3pm	Holiday Club begins (daily; ends Thursday 20 February)	St John's	
Sat	22	Chair of St Peter	IOam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	

March

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						I
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
			Ash Wed (Day of Fasting and			
8 in OT			Abstinence)			
9	10	II	12	13	14	15
Lent I						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
Lent II			Joseph			
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Lent III		Annunciation				
		Annunciation				
30	31					
Lent IV (Mothering Sunday)						

Sat	I	St David, Bp	IOam- IIam	Baptism Brunch	St Peter's	
			7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	2	8 th Sunday in OT	10.30am	Sung Mass with Burial of Alleluia	St Peter's	
			3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
			5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Tue	4	Shrove	9am	March Requiem	St Peter's	
		Tuesday	7pm	Parish Quiz with Pies, Peas and Pancakes	St John's	
Wed	5	Ash Wednesday (Day of Fasting and Abstinence)	10.30am	Said Mass with Imposition of Ashes	St John's	
			7pm	Sung Mass with Imposition of Ashes	St Peter's	
Fri	7	Lent Feria		Walsingham Children's Pilgrimage begins (daily; ends Sunday 9 March)		
			9.45am	Lent Course begins (weekly; ends Friday II April)	St John's	
			7.30pm	Stations of the Cross begins (weekly; ends Friday 11 April)	Alternates between St Peter's and St John's	
Sat	8	Lent Feria	4pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	St Peter's	

				begins (weekly; ends Saturday 12 April)		
Wed	12	Lent Feria	7.30pm	Lent Course begins (weekly; ends Wednesday 16 April)	St Peter's	
Thu	13	Lent Feria	12.30pm	Lent Lunches begin (weekly; ends Thursday 10 April)	St Peter's	
Tue	25	Annunciation of the Lord	7pm	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
Sat	29	Lent Feria	IOam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	
Sun	30	4 th Sunday of Lent (Mothering	9am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Flowers	St John's	
		Sunday)	10.30am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Flowers	St Peter's	



April

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		I	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	IO	II	12
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Lent V						
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
Palm Sunday				Maundy Thursday	Good Friday (Day of Fasting and Abstinence)	Holy Saturday
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
Easter Sunday						
27	28	29	30			
Easter II	George (transf.)					

Wed	2	Lent Feria	7pm	April Requiem	St Peter's			
Sat	5	Lent Feria	11am- 2pm	Youth Retreat	St Peter's			
			7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's			
Sun	6	5 th Sunday of Lent		Electoral Roll Revision Notices	Both churches			
				Published	_			
			12noon	Servers' Guild Chrism Mass and Holy Week	St Peter's			
				Rehearsal (lunch provided)				
			6pm	Chrism Mass	St Peter's			
Sat	12	Lent Feria	9am	Walsingham Cell Mass and Chaplet	St Peter's			
Sun	13	3 Palm Sunday	13 Palm Sunday	13 Palm Sunday	13 Palm Sunday 9	9am	Blessing of Palms, Procession and Sung Mass	St John's
			10.30am	Blessing of Palms, Procession and Sung Mass	St Peter's			
Thu	17	Maundy Thursday	7pm	Sung Mass, Transfer of the Blessed Sacrament and Watch	St Peter's			
Fri	18	Good Friday (Day of	IOam	Good Friday Family Morning	St Peter's			
		Fasting and	Ipm	Meditation	St John's			
		Abstinence)	3pm	Good Friday Liturgy	St Peter's			
Sat	19	Holy Saturday	9am	Devotion, followed by Church Cleaning	St Peter's			

			7pm	Easter Vigil followed by Fizz	St Peter's	
Sun	20	Easter Sunday		Electoral Roll	Both	
	(Holy Day of		Revision Begins	churches		
	Obligation)	9am	Sung Mass with	St John's		
			Blessing of Eggs	,		
		10.30am	Sung Mass with	St Peter's		
				Blessing of Eggs		
			5pm	Solemn	St John's	
			31	Evensong and		
				Benediction		
Fri	25	Easter Friday	9.15am	School Mass	St John's	
Sat	26	Easter	Ioam-	Community	St Peter's	
		Saturday	12noon	Coffee Morning		
				with Drawing of		
				the Easter Raffle		



May

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
				I	2	3
		6		0		
4	5	6	7	8	9	IO
Easter III						
II	12	13	14	15	16	17
Easter IV						
18	19	20	21	22	23	24
Easter V						
25	26	27	28	29	30	31
				Ascension (Holy Day of		
Easter VI				Obligation)		

Thu	I	Easter Feria	I2noon	May Requiem	St Peter's	
Sat	3	Ss Philip and	7.30pm 7pm	PCC Meeting Organ Recital	St Peter's St Peter's	
	3	James, Aps	/ piii	Organ Recitar	ot reter s	
Sun	4	3 rd Sunday of Easter		Electoral Roll Revision Ends	Both churches	
		Easter	10.30am	Sung Mass with	St Peter's	
			10.504111	May Crowning of	of I ctel 5	
				Our Lady		
			3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
			5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Wed	7	Easter Feria	7.30pm	Christianity	St Peter's	
				Explored Course		
				begins (weekly; ends Wednesday		
				18 June)		
Sun	II	4 th Sunday of		APCM Notices	Both	
		Easter		and Reports	churches	
				Published;		
				Nominations open		
Fri	23	Easter Feria	6pm	Sponsored Walk	St Peter's	
Sun	25	6 th Sunday of	5pm	Evening Prayer	St Peter's	
		Easter		and APCM		
Mon	26	St Philip Neri,		National		
		Pr		Pilgrimage to		
Thu	29	Ascension of	7pm	Walsingham Sung Mass	St Peter's	
IIIu	29	the Lord (Holy	/ P ¹¹¹	oung wass	ot reter s	
		Day of				
		Obligation)				
Sat	31	Visitation of	9am	Walsingham Cell	St Peter's	
		the BVM		Mass	CLD 1	
			IOam-	Coffee Morning	St Peter's	
			I2noon	Coffee Morning		

June

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
I	2	3	4	5	6	7
Easter VII						
8	9	Ю	II	12	13	14
Pentecost						
15	16	17	18	19	20	21
Most Holy Trinity						
22	23	24	25	26	27	28
Corpus Christi (Holy Day of Obligation)		Nativity of John the Baptist			Sacred Heart	
29	30					
Peter and Paul (Holy Day of Obligation)						

Sun	I	7 th Sunday of	3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
		Easter	5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Fri	6	Ascension Feria	9.15am	School Mass	St John's	
Sat	7	Ascension Feria	Ioam	Baptism Brunch	St Peter's	
			4pm	Pentecost Vigil	St Peter's	
			7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	8	Pentecost	9am	Sung Mass	St John's	
			10.30am	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
Tue	IO	Tuesday Feria	9am	June Requiem	St Peter's	
Thu	12	Our Lord Jesus Christ, Eternal High Priest	7.30pm	PCC Meeting	St Peter's	
Sat	14	Saturday Feria		Horbury Street Fayre Weekend begins (daily; ends Sunday 15 June)	St Peter's	
Sun	22	Corpus Christi (Holy	9am	Sung Mass and Benediction	St John's	
		Day of Obligation)	10.30am	Sung Mass, Procession, and Benediction	St Peter's	
Sat	28	St Irenaeus, Bp, M		Church Music Festival Weekend	St Peter's	
			IOam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	
Sun	29	Ss Peter, Patron, and Paul, Aps (Holy Day of Obligation)	10.30am	Sung Mass and Te Deum	St Peter's	

July

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
		I	2	3	4	5
6	7	8	9	ю	II	12
14 in OT						
13	14	15	16	17	18	19
15 in OT						
20	21	22	23	24	25	26
16 in OT						
27	28	29	30	31		
17 in OT						

Wed	2	Wednesday Feria	7pm	July Requiem	St Peter's	
Sat	5	Saturday Feria	7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	6	14 th Sunday in Ordinary Time	5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Fri	25	St James, Ap	9.45am	Summer Course begins (weekly except Friday 15 August; ends Friday 30 August)	St John's	
Sat	26	Ss Joachim and Ann	Ioam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	
Wed	30	Wednesday Feria	7.30pm	Summer Course begins (weekly; ends Wednesday 27 August)	St Peter's	

August

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
					I	2
3	4	5	6	7	8	9
18 in OT						
10	II	12	13	14	15	16
19 in OT					Assumption	
17	18	19	20	21	22	23
20 in OT						
24	25	26	27	28	29	30
21 in OT						
31						
22 in OT						

Sat	2	Saturday Feria	7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	3	18 th Sunday in Ordinary	5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
		Time	6pm	Servers' and Choir Social	Vicarage	
Mon	4	St John Mary Vianney, Pr		Walsingham Youth Pilgrimage begins (daily; ends Friday 8 August)		
Thu	7	Thursday Feria	I2noon	August Requiem	St Peter's	
Fri	15	Assumption of the BVM	7pm	Sung Mass with Blessing of Herbs, followed by BBQ	St Peter's	
Sat	30	Saturday Feria	IOam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	

September

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	I	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	IO	II	12	13
23 in OT						
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Exaltation of the Holy Cross						
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
25 in OT						
28	29	30				
26 in OT (Harvest)						

Thu	4	Thursday Feria	7.30pm	PCC Meeting	St Peter's	
Fri	5	Friday Feria	9.15am	September Requiem	St John's	
Sat	6	Saturday Feria	7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	7	23 rd Sunday in	3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
		Ordinary Time	5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Wed	24	Our Lady of Walsingham	7pm	Sung Walsingham Cell Mass	St Peter's	
Sun	28	26 th Sunday in	9am	Sung Mass	St John's	
		Ordinary	10.30am	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
		Time (Harvest Thanksgiving)	12.30pm	Harvest Lunch	St John's	

October

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
			I	2	3	4
5	6	7	8	9	Ю	II
27 in OT						
12	13	14	15	16	17	18
28 in OT						
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
29 in OT						
26	27	28	29	30	31	
30 in OT						

Wed	I	St Therese of the Child Jesus, V, Dr	7.30pm	Walsingham Cell Rosary begins (weekly; ends Wednesday 22 October)	St Peter's	
Sat	4	St Francis of Assisi		Horbury Heritage Day	St Peter's	
			10am- 2pm	Community Coffee Morning (transferred from September and extended for Heritage Day)	St Peter's	
			2pm	Heritage Day Lecture	St Peter's	
			7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	5	27 th Sunday in	3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
		Ordinary Time	5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Tue	14	Tuesday Feria	9am	October Requiem	St Peter's	
Sat	18	St Luke, Ev	10am- 2.30pm	Autumn Fair	St John's	
Fri	24	Friday Feria		Parish Pilgrimage to Walsingham begins (daily; ends Monday 27 October)		

November

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
						I
2	3	4	5	6	7	8
All Saints (transf.) (Holy Day of Obligation)	All Souls (transf.)	-			,	
9	Ю	II	12	13	14	15
32 in OT (Remem.)						
16	17	18	19	20	21	22
33 in OT						
23	24	25	26	27	28	29
Our Lord Jesus Christ, King of the Universe						
30						
Advent I						

Sat	I	Saturday Feria	IOam- I2noon	Community Coffee Morning (transferred from October)	St Peter's	
			7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	2	All Saints	9am	Sung Mass	St John's	
		(Holy Day of	10.30am	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
		Obligation)	5pm	All Souls Service	St Peter's	
Mon	3	All Souls	I2noon	Said Requiem with	St John's	
				Commemoration of the Faithful		
			7 10.100	Departed	Ct Doton's	
			7pm	Sung Requiem with	St Peter's	
				Commemoration		
				of the Faithful		
				Departed		
Wed	5	Wednesday	7pm	Requiem for	St Peter's	
		Feria		Departed Priests		
Sun	9	Dedication of	9am	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
		the Lateran	10.45am	Civic Act of	St Peter's	
		Basilica (Remembrance Sunday)		Remembrance		
Thu	13	Thursday	I2noon	Requiem for	St Peter's	
		Feria		Departed Mothers and		
				Sisters of the		
				CSPH		
Thu	27	Thursday	7.30pm	PCC Meeting	St Peter's	
	- ,	Feria	1.7°F			
Sat	29	Saturday	Ioam-	Community	St Peter's	
		Feria	12noon	Coffee Morning		
			4pm	Exposition of the Blessed Sacrament	St Peter's	

				begins (weekly; ends Saturday 19 December)		
Sun	30	1 st Sunday of Advent	9am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Advent Wreath	St John's	
			10.30am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Advent Wreath and Confirmations	St Peter's	
			5pm	Advent Procession	St Peter's	



Particular anniversaries and life events made 2024 a special year for many of our congregation

December

Sun	Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat
	I	2	3	4	5	6
7	8	9	10	II	12	13
Advent II	Immaculate Conception					
14	15	16	17	18	19	20
Advent III						
21	22	23	24	25	26	27
Advent IV				Nativity of the Lord (Holy Day of Obligation)		John
28	29	30	31			
Holy Family						

Tue	2	Advent Feria	9am	December Requiem	St Peter's	
Wed	3	St Francis Xavier, Pr	7.30pm	Advent Course begins (weekly; ends Wednesday 17 December)	St Peter's	
Fri	5	Advent Feria	9.45am	Advent Course begins (weekly; ends Friday 19 December)	St John's	
Sat	6	Advent Feria	7pm	Organ Recital	St Peter's	
Sun	7	2 nd Sunday of	3.45pm	Servers' Guild	St Peter's	
		Advent	5pm	Evensong and Benediction	St Peter's	
Mon	8	Immaculate Conception of the BVM	7pm	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
Sun	14	3 rd Sunday of Advent	9am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Bambinelli	St John's	
			10.30am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Bambinelli	St Peter's	
			2pm	Toddler Nativity	St John's	
Sat	20	Advent Feria	7am	Rorate Mass	St Peter's	
			Ioam- I2noon	Christmas Community Coffee Morning	St Peter's	
Sun	21	4 th Sunday of Advent	6pm	Big Christmas Sing-along	St Peter's	
Wed	24	Advent Feria	5pm	Christingle	St Peter's	
			11.30pm	Midnight Mass with Blessing of Crib	St Peter's	
Thu	25	Nativity of the	8am	Said Mass	St Peter's	
		Lord (Holy	9am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Crib	St John's	

		Day of Obligation)	10.30am	Sung Mass with Blessing of Presents	St Peter's	
Sat	27	St John, Apostle, Patron	12noon	Sung Mass, followed by Lunch	St John's	
Sun	28	B Holy Family	9am	Sung Mass	St John's	
			10.30am	Sung Mass	St Peter's	
Thu	I	Mary, Mother of God	I2noon	Sung Mass	St Peter's	