

**Times of Mass This Week
Month November**

Saturday	St Peter's – James Railing (RIP)	6.00pm
Sunday	St Michael's	9.00am
	St Peter's – David Hamilton RIP	11.00am
	Ellen Moriconi (RIP)	
Monday	St Peter's – Fred Coppenhall (sick)	9.00am
Tuesday	St Peter's Fr Michael Clifford, SCJ (RIP)	9.00am
Wednesday	St Peter's Liturgy of the Word	10.00am
	St Michael's	6.30pm
Thursday	St Peter's	6.30pm
Friday	St Peter's Henry Floyd (Brain Surgery)	9.00am

St Peter's Church, Cirencester

The Rosary: Mon – Fri, @ 8.40 am, 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 860387 or Doreen on 01285 656284
Parish Office: Monday 9.30am – 13.00pm

St Michael's Church, Tetbury

Parish Office: Wednesday 4.00 pm – 6.00pm Friday 9.30.am - 3.00pm;
This week at St Michael's: Friday Meditation Group 10.00am

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Sunday 16th November 2014 – 33rd Sunday in Ordinary Time – Yr. A

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: **The Lord said: I think thought of peace and not of affliction. You will call upon me, and I will answer you, and I will lead back your captives from every place.**

First Reading: The book of Proverbs 31: 10-13, 19-20, 30-31
Responsorial Psalm: **O blessed are those who fear the Lord**
Second Reading: The first letter of St Paul to the Thessalonians 5:1-6

Gospel Acclamation: **Alleluia, alleluia**
Even if you have to die, says the Lord, keep faithful, and I will give you the crown of life. Alleluia
GOSPEL: The Holy Gospel according to Matthew 28: 14-30

Communion Antiphon: **To be near God is my happiness, to place my hope in God the Lord**



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, Fred Coppenhall, Jackie Niblett, Bill Brewer, Monica Whaley, Matt Sheppard, Santina Long, Shelia Moore, Joan Agassi, Iris Brennan, Agnes Moran, Elizabeth Catling, Dorothy Godleman, Lyn Ibbitt, Julie Bulmar, Marie Coupland and Alice Walsh. Please inform Elaine of any changes to this list. **RIP** those who have died recently 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. If you are going into hospital and would like to receive the sacrament of the sick before admission, please speak to Fr Issy who will arrange this for you. If you would like a visit from the hospital chaplain please ask in hospital as the chaplains no longer have access to admission records.

Parish Finances:

St Peter's Parish: Last week's collection: £349

St Michael's Parish: Last week's collection: £98. Thank you.

Next Sunday, 23rd November, is the Feast of Christ the King and National Youth Sunday. There will be more information about Youth Ministry in the Clifton Diocese and a second collection to support its work.

This Week @ St Michael's: Minister of Holy Communion: Deacon Steve & Elaine; Ministers of the Word: Catherine & Rachel; Flowers: Carol & Pam; Church Cleaning: Carmel & Hetty; Collection Counting: Elaine & Kevin

Next Week: Minister of Holy Communion: Pam and Tony; Ministers of the Word: Youth; Flowers: Carol & Pam; Church Cleaning: Janet and Chris; Collection Counting: Elaine & Peter



PARISH EVENTS

First Holy Communion 2015: Both St Peter's and St Michael's Parishes will be holding their First Holy Communion Mass on Sunday 17th May 2015; if you have a child who would like to make their First Holy Communion please contact the Parish Office for an application form. Preparation classes will start soon.

Confirmation 2015: Bishop Declan Lang will be visiting St Peter's parish for the Sacrament of Confirmation for both St Peter's and St Michael's Parishes on Thursday 11th June 2015; if you have a young person in your family who feels ready and would like to be confirmed and are at least in year 8 of Secondary school, please contact the parish office for an application form. Preparation classes will start soon.

St Michaels Parish AGM: This will be held TODAY after Mass. Please come along to discuss what has happened during the year and to bring ideas for the coming year and for the future of our Parish.

Joint St Peter's Parish and St Michael's Parish Pastoral Committee meeting: This will be held on Wednesday 19th November 2014 @ 7.00pm. Please pray that all that is discussed will be a success for us all in the months to come.

Advent Talks: 'There will be three talks in Advent, all starting at 7.00 pm, in the Presbytery @ St Peter's:

Monday 24 November – Joe Dunthorn: *Isaiah and the Old Testament*;

Monday 1 December – Adrian Lickorish: *Reasons to Believe - That Jesus is God*;

Monday 8 December – Rupert Hanbury: *'Make straight the way of the Lord': reconciliation*'.

DIOCESAN AND DEANERY EVENTS

Vocation Matters: "A perfect wife – who can find her? She is far beyond the price of pearls" Is marriage an outdated institution? The debate rages on as numbers of marriages, on the whole, decrease year on year. Surely, though, it all depends on how you understand marriage. Is it just a legal contract or a convenient framework to nurture children? Viewed as a call from God, marriage is something beautiful, enriching, generative and a path to holiness for those involved. "The vocation to marriage is written in the very nature of man and woman as they come from the hand of the Creator", says the Catechism. Marriage reflects the covenant relationship between God and his people, grounded in the life, death and resurrection of Jesus. Let's encourage our younger members to reflect on the awesome nature of this vocation. Vocation not institution!