

Broughton Parish



21st November 2021

We hope you are all well and keeping safe. Please remember if you need any help or support, please contact the parish office, and a member of the Parish Pastoral Team will get back to you. Messages can be left on 01772 713880 or email officebroughtonparish@gmail.com For urgent enquiries please contact Rev Fleur Green 01772 862330

Take care & God bless.

The Parish Pastoral Team

Services in the Parish

Sunday's

St John Baptist

8am – BCP Holy Communion
11am – Holy Communion or Morning Praise
6.30pm – Choral Evensong

St Peter's Chapel

9.30am – Holy Communion or Morning Praise

Wednesday

St John Baptist

10am – Holy Communion

Morning prayer will be said Monday, Tuesday and Thursday mornings at 9.00am at St John's.

You would be most welcome to join us.



Broughton Parish is now on social media!



Keep up to date with services and events in the Parish. Join us on Twitter and Facebook:

Twitter: @broughtonparish

Facebook: Broughton St John Baptist, Fulwood St Peter & St Martin

Parish Packs

Since March 2020 we have emailed, posted and delivered 230 packs a week, that's over 20,000 packs in 21 months!

Now church services are back across the parish, we feel that it is time to stop the parish packs & newsletters. As Advent Sunday bring the start of the Christian calendar, we feel that this will be a good time for a fresh start.

We will be moving back to a **pew sheet** in church and to a **Worship at Home** pack for those who are unable to attend church due to illness etc.

We will email the pew sheet each Friday, but if you require a **Worship at Home** pack, please get in touch with the parish office. This will be emailed, delivered or posted fortnightly.

We are so grateful to Rev Pauline and Canon Andrea for supplying such wonderful material each week and to everyone who has helped in the office and with delivering the packs.

If you require any further information, please get in touch with Vicki in the parish office.

We are pleased to let you know that tea & coffee & juice for the children, will be served after the 9.30am Sunday service at St Peter's.

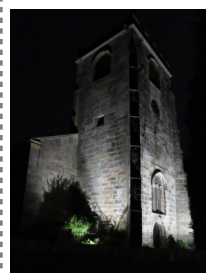
Anyone able to join the Tea rota at St Peter's, please speak to Janet Townsend on 864763.

Tea & coffee will also be available at St John's. Please leave a donation towards costs.

Please continue to wear your face mask except when consuming your drink. Thank you.

Light up a life

If anyone would like to have the church flood-lit on a particular occasion, to celebrate an anniversary or commemorate a loved one.



The cost is £15 per night & you can book it by calling Chris on 01772 863782 or chris.j.couper@talk21.com.

Cheques payable to **PCC of Broughton** please. If paying by bank transfer please use 'LuL' as a reference.

Jigsaw Sunday School

Where: St Peter's Chapel
Meadowfield, PR2 9RE



When: 9.30 am

We look forward to seeing you there!
From the Jigsaw Team

Jigsaw at St John's we would love to re-start Jigsaw (Sunday School) for our young people at St John's on a Sunday morning at the 11.00am service.

Pat Gibson has very kindly said she will oversee this, but she needs some help. If you think that you could help her with this, please speak to Pat, Pauline or Fleur.

The Parish Christmas Fair

Saturday 4th December
11am
at St Peter's School
(Meadowfield, PR2 9RE)



How can you help to make this event a huge success?

Cakes for the cake stall can be brought to St Peter's on Saturday 4th December.

There will be donation boxes at St John's and St Peter's from Sunday 21st November. Please will all sides people leave their donation for the sides persons tombola stall in these boxes by Sunday 28th November, or take it to the Parish Office by Wednesday 1st December.

All children will love to see Father Christmas in his grotto. Admission charge includes a gift from Father Christmas.

If you can help to set up on Friday evening from 6.30pm or serve on a stall on Sat. please let us know.

Most of all, let's see you all at the fair!

Damaris Dixon Charity Fund

This local charity exists to support people who are experiencing some form of hardship and live in the ecclesiastical parish of Broughton. Should you wish to make an application for a grant or should you know of anyone who might benefit from this charity, please speak in confidence to Rev Pauline 774634.



TRAIDCRAFT

Traidcraft Christmas Catalogues, are available at each worship centre and the parish office.

Last Closing date: 5th December,
Orders can be taken at the Christmas Fair at St Peters.

Fulwood Christmas Farmers' Market

with Fairtrade

will be held on Saturday 27th November from 9.30am till 1pm at Fulwood Methodist Church, Watling Street Road, PR2 8YU.

There will be Christmas cards and crafts, plus all the normal Farmers' Market stalls. Come and look for that special Christmas gift or stock up on Fairtrade and local food. Traidcraft orders also taken. All stalls BACK INDOORS.



Advent Calendar Appeal

We are supporting the Salvation Army this year and we are collecting Chocolate Advent Calendars. Many thanks to everyone who have already donated, there is still time to get them in... this Sunday is the last day for dropping them off at church, but you can drop them at the parish office up to Tuesday 23rd November.

Many thanks, as always, for putting a smile on children's faces at this special time of year.



BROUGHTON PARISH CHURCH CHOIR

In time for the Christmas Festivities, we are currently recruiting Boys aged 7 – 12 for places in the Parish Church Choir.

Our Boy Choristers receive a free first-class musical training, and as they sing, travel and have great fun together, there is little doubt that many life-long friendships are forged.

For further information, Check out the Choir Website: 'broughtonchoir.org' or Have a word with the Choirmaster after any Service or contact him on 01772 686886 musicaldirector@broughtonparish.org.uk