

## Summer Concert

Saturday 27th June

7.00 pm in church



Come and see children and adults of all ages singing & playing a variety of instruments.

*The event is not ticketed, but there will be a chance to donate to Water Aid in memory of Olwyn Powell*



*"After he said this, he was taken up before their very eyes, and a cloud hid him from sight." Acts 1:9*

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Most of our services can be attended in person or on Zoom.

**Zoom meeting ID: 508 367 3910**

If you have missed a Sunday or Wednesday service, the sermons (and some services) can be accessed on the website under 'Media Library'. Sermons are deleted after 4 months, while services are only available for 2 months.

In May, Paul will be running an ultra marathon in aid of Birmingham City Mission. If you would like to sponsor him, please follow the link below.  
[https://www.stewardship.org.uk/pages/Ultra\\_for\\_BCM](https://www.stewardship.org.uk/pages/Ultra_for_BCM)

For more information about the event, use the link below.  
<https://keswickmountainfestival.co.uk/buy-tickets/adidas-terrex-50k-ultra-trail-marathon/>



The Parish Church  
of Water Orton

Sunday  
17th May

## Welcome to Saint Peter & Saint Paul's

Our Vision:

To prepare a community to meet the Christ

Our Mission:

To worship God, grow believers and make believers

Our Values:

Word, Worship, Welcome and Wisdom



# 17th May – Sixth Sunday of Easter

**Today's Readings:**  
 1 Peter 4:12-14; 5:6-11  
 John 17: 1-11

**This Week's Collect Prayer**  
 Risen, ascended Lord,  
 as we rejoice at your triumph,  
 fill your Church on earth with  
 power and compassion,  
 that all who are estranged by sin may  
 find forgiveness and know your peace,  
 to the glory of God the Father.  
 Amen

**Welcoming Prayer**  
 God of mission,  
 who alone brings growth to your  
 church, send your Holy Spirit to give  
 vision to our planning, wisdom to our  
 actions and power to our witness. Help  
 our church to grow in numbers, in  
 spiritual commitment to you and in  
 service to our local community.  
 Through Jesus Christ our Lord.  
 Amen

**Church Weekend Away 10th-12th July**

There is a list at the back of church with the names of all participants. Please note that payments need to be in by the end of May. If you need help with the cost, please speak to Paul or Judith.

**Today**

9.00 am Holy Communion  
 11.00 am Contemporary Worship  
 (with children's groups)

**Next Sunday 24th May**  
 9.00 am Holy Communion  
 11.00 am Contemporary Worship


**Please pray...**

**For the residents of St Peter's Close**

**For all who are taking exams...**

Loving heavenly Father,  
 there is so much pressure on children and young people to perform well academically. Many of them are struggling with depression, ill-health, abuse or difficult relationships. We pray that they would have clarity of thought and peace of mind during this exam season. May they be satisfied that they are doing their best and, above all, help them to know that they are not defined by their results.


Amen




**Please sign up...**

**THE ELECTORAL ROLL**  
REASONS TO JOIN IT

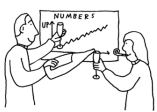
① YOU WILL DECIDE WHO SHOULD BE ON THE P.C.C. AND DEANERY SYNOD



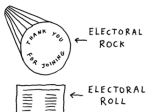
② YOU CAN PLAY A FULL PART IN THE LIFE OF THE CHURCH




③ IT WILL BOOST THE MORALE OF THE CLERGY



④ THERE MAY BE A THANK YOU PRESENT – SEASIDE CONFECTIONARY PERHAPS



⑤ YOUR NAME WILL BE EXHIBITED IN CHURCH FOR 14 DAYS



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**This week...**

**Tuesday**

9.30-11.30 am The church is open for the Food Bank  
 10.00 am Morning Prayer- Common Worship on Zoom & in church

**Wednesday**

10.00 am Holy Communion in church and on Zoom  
 7.30 pm Music Group  
 9.00 pm Compline on Zoom

**Thursday**

9.00-10.00 am Contemporary Prayer Meeting at the vicarage  
 7.30 pm Choir

**Friday**

12.00 for 12.30 Meet & Eat at The Link

**Saturday**

10.00 am The church is open for the Food Bank & for private prayer  
 5.30 pm Thrive Social at the vicarage

**Future Dates**

**Saturday 30th May at 11.00 am** – APCM in church  
**Sunday 31st May at 1.00 pm** – Baptism of Willow Heaton  
**Friday 5th June at 2.00 pm** – Memory Café in the Robert Lloyd Room  
**Sunday 21st June at 3.00 pm** –Thanksgiving and Memorial Service, where we remember our loved ones who are no longer with us

**Paul is on leave from the 15th - 29th May. Please contact Judith or Kim in his absence.**