

Pew Sheet for Sunday 14th September 2025. Feel free to take this sheet home.
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St Nicholas Church

— Bishop's Sutton —

Welcome to this morning's service of Matins.

Looking ahead at St Nicholas

Thurs 18th Sept – no Tea at 10

Sun 21st Sept – 11am Holy Communion
(CW) with refreshments

Sun 28th Sept – 6pm Evensong

Thurs 2nd Oct – Tea at 10am with Amber

Sun 5th Oct – 11am Holy Communion (BCP)

Our next early-evening charity concert, in aid of Treloar's, is a recital by the renowned organist **Richard Pearce** on **Saturday 27th September**. Doors open at 5.15pm and the concert will begin at 6.00pm. There will be a welcoming drink on arrival. Tickets are £15.00 payable on the door. Space is limited so seats need to be reserved in advance please from Mandy Caldwell via stnbconcerts@gmail.com. **The Ship** is now open, so you can treat yourself to a post-concert meal as well! Booking advisable.

Gillian Gray Knight is being licensed as a Lay Reader to the benefice at Winchester Cathedral at 11am on Saturday 11th October. All are very welcome to come to the service to support her and the other candidates. After the service, Gillian will be sharing a glass of wine with anyone who would like to join her at Alresford Rugby Club.

St Nicholas' Harvest Celebration is at 11am on Sunday 19th October, followed by lunch.

St Mary Magdalene, West Tisted

Harvest Celebration at 5pm on **Sunday 5th October** followed by supper in West Tisted village hall.



St Peter's Church

— ROPLEY —

Discovering and sharing the generous love of God

Welcome to this morning's service of sung Holy Communion. During the service, the community room is only for the use of children aged 0-4 and their carers please. Older children can go over to the Coffee Room during the first hymn for Explorer Church or are welcome to borrow a book from the table at the back.

Ropley Youth Group starts up again this week – 5pm-7pm every Sunday during term time. Do join us IRL for activities, games, crafts and fun. Details from Rev Amber.

Thank you to the **Courtyard Shop** who have started a donations box for the food bank.

We have 2 events at the end of September focusing on **faith and generosity** - an information evening on Wed 24th Sept about how St Peter's funds are raised and spent, and a special service on Sun 28th Sept. Thank you to all who so generously give their time, talents and financially to the three churches.

Looking ahead at St Peter's

Every Tues – Celtic Morning Prayer 9.45am;

Minecraft Church 5.30pm-7pm (term time).

Sun 21st Sept – 10am Morning Worship

Wed 24th Sept – 7pm Information Evening about St Peter's finances (welcome drink at 6.30pm)

Sun 28th Sept – 10am Holy Communion service focusing on faith and generosity.

Sat 4th Oct – 7pm The Jane Austen Songbook. Information and tickets from:

<https://www.stpetersropleyvenue.org.uk>.

Sun 5th Oct – 10am Café Church (refreshments from 9.50am)

Sun 12th Oct – 11am Holy Communion and Harvest Celebration followed by lunch.

The next **Community Tea Concert** at St Peter's is on Sat 25th Oct from 3.15pm. Tickets £5.

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