

Pew Sheet for 4th October. Feel free to take this sheet home.

Readings and prayers for the services at 11am at St Nicholas and St Peter's are on the other side



St Nicholas Church
— Bishop's Sutton —

Welcome to our Holy Communion service.

Harvest Festival Celebration at St Nicholas 16th-18th October

Friday 16th October: As part of a special weekend of celebrations, there will be an art exhibition of harvest-themed pictures and floral arrangements displayed in St Nicholas. Please channel your creative spirit and join in the competition – there are three categories for prizes: primary, secondary and adults. Entry forms available from St Nicholas and the church office in St Peter's.

Saturday 17th October: Ceilidh fundraiser for St Nicholas in the village hall. Tickets from bishopssuttonceilidh@gmail.com include a live band with caller and burgers from the food van. (Bring your own refreshments)

Sunday 18th October: Harvest service, 11am, followed by lunch in the church.

There is a basket at the back of the church for donations to the Winchester food bank.

Upcoming services & events

Wed 7th Oct: 7pm Healing Service at St Peter's, Ropley.

Sun 11th Oct: 11am Matins

Sun 18th Oct: 11am Harvest Festival

Sun 25th Oct: 6pm Evensong

Sun 1st Nov: 11am Holy Communion
3pm Benefice All Souls Service



St Peter's Church
— ROPLEY —
Discovering and sharing the generous love of God

Welcome to our Harvest Festival. The 9 o'clock informal gathering for families will be harvest-themed and at the Harvest Holy Communion service at 11am, our new lectern will be blessed.

All are very welcome to stay for a shared ploughman's lunch after the 11am service. If you are able to, a financial donation to help cover the costs would be much appreciated but please come anyway. There will be plenty!

The Benefice Prayer Group is meeting 6pm-7pm this evening (4th Oct) at St Peter's. Members come from different churches within and outside the benefice. If you would like the group to pray for something or someone, please contact Julian Shellard on 07940 565440.

An Evening with Gina Beck at 7pm next Sunday (11th Oct) is sold out. There are still tickets available to watch the Masterclass 3.30-5pm.
<https://www.stpetersropleyvenue.org.uk>

Could you help with St Peter's social media to share everything that's happening here? Amber would love to hear from you if you can help.

Upcoming services & events

Every Tuesday: 9.45am Celtic morning prayer; 5.30pm-7pm Minecraft Church.

Every Sunday: 5pm-7pm Ropley Youth Group for ages 11-13+. Activities, craft and pizza.

Wed 7th Oct: 7pm Healing Service at St Peter's

Sun 11th Oct: The 9 o'clock; 10.30am Holy Communion.

Sat 17th Oct: Ropley Courtyard Community Shop's 20th Anniversary Dinner in the Parish Hall. Tickets can be purchased in the shop.

St Mary Magdalene Church, West Tisted

Sunday 18th October: Harvest Festival at 4pm, tea at 5pm, Harvest Supper at 6pm

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