



INTER-LINK



The Churnside Benefice

All Hallows South Cerney, All Saints Preston, Holy Trinity Cerney Wick and St Peter's Siddington

Today is 27th April 2025

Second Sunday of Easter

A warm welcome to you

Today's services

9.30am	Holy Communion	All Saints
11.15am	Morning Praise	St Peter's
11.15am	Morning Praise – refreshments at 10.30am	All Hallows

This week in the parishes

Thursday	10.00am	Holy Communion	All Hallows
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Sunday 4th May

9.30am	Holy Communion – followed by refreshments	All Hallows
11.15am	Family Service – refreshments at 10.30am	St Peter's
4.00pm	Messy Church	All Hallows

Morning Prayer is said in All Hallows as follows:

Monday at 8.30am, Tuesday at 9.15am, Wednesday at 9.15am,

Friday at 9.15am, Saturday at 8.30am

Vicar: Rev'd Jennifer McKenzie, The Vicarage, Silver Street, South Cerney, GL7 5TP.
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APCM

All Hallows South Cerney and Holy Trinity Cerney Wick APCM will be on Monday 28th April at 7.30pm in All Hallows Church.

DEMENTIA AWARENESS

All Hallows Church, 7.00pm-8.30pm on Wednesday 30th April 2025.

This free information session will cover:

- What is Dementia/common types of Dementia
- Prevention/reducing the risk of Dementia
- How to get a diagnosis and who to contact for support
- How can you help.

COMPLINE

Please note that the next Zoom Compline service will be on Tuesday 6th May, due to the Bank Holiday.

ST PETER'S APCM

St Peter's APCM will be on Wednesday 7th May at 7.30pm in the Church.

SPRING KIDZ

On Saturday 10th May 2025, St Peter's Church is organising an afternoon of fun activities for the whole family called 'Spring Kidz' which will be held in the village hall from 2pm to 4pm. Activities will include creative crafts, an edible craft, colouring, puzzles and much more. There will also be a story and singing time before we enjoy some refreshments together. The event is free and open to children of all ages.

LIGHTHOUSE 2025

The next Lighthouse is on Monday 12th May, starting at 10.30am. There will be lots of things to do and plenty of time to chat and get to know everyone. There is a short time of worship at around 11.40am and this is followed by lunch. New people always welcome. If you would like more information, please contact either the vicar or Joan Townsend.

STREET FAIR HELP

We need help setting up, on the day and tidying away afterwards. Links to sign up are below.

Street Fair set up and clear up rota (2 weeks before and 1 week after) volunteersignup.org/7JA74

Street Fair weekend, stewards and bar rota volunteersignup.org/4Q4PR

Helping on Street Fair day (selling ducks, stewarding, raffle, bouncy castle, human fruit machine etc, etc) volunteersignup.org/4CCT4

STREET FAIR DONATIONS

We also need donations of items for some of the stalls:

Cakes for the cake stall - please speak to Steve Buxton 0791723124.

Cakes for the refreshment tent - Ruth Lewis 860246.

Tombola prizes - please leave either in church or at Brook Cottage the week before the Street Fair.

Made in South Cerney items - pass to Joan Townsend 860710.

Donations of plants, books, bric-a-brac and toys - can be dropped off at Atkyns Mannor the week before the Street Fair.

Hamper items for the raffle - please leave or donations in church or speak to Jennifer. Cut off for donations is Thursday 22nd May.

GROOVE CLUB COLLECTIVE

One of the main events to raise funds for the church during the Street Fair weekend, will be on Saturday 24th May 2025, with the Groove Club Collective event at Atkyns Manor Garden. Dance the night away (7.30pm-midnight) to a mix of pop, dance and disco from the 70's, 80's, 90's and now. There will be a licensed bar and tables for 8 or more can be reserved via 07887 614742.

Tickets are £20 via ticketsource.co.uk.

THY KINGDOM COME 2025

Join a great wave of prayer between 29th May – 8th June 2025. Thy Kingdom Come (TKC) is a global ecumenical prayer movement that invites Christians around the world to pray from Ascension to Pentecost for more people to come to know Jesus.

Since it began in May 2016, God has grown TKC from a dream of possibility into a movement which unites more than a million Christians in prayer, in nearly 90% of countries worldwide, across 85 different denominations and traditions- so that friends and family, neighbours and colleagues might come to faith in Jesus Christ.

Every person, household and church are encouraged to pray during the 11 days in their own way, in the hope that those who have not yet heard the Good News of Jesus Christ and His love for the world, will hear it for themselves and respond and follow Him.

Specifically, each and every Christian across the globe is invited to pray that God's Spirit might work in the lives of 5 people who have not responded with their 'Yes' to God's call.

thykingdomcome.global

**HE IS
RISEN**

Readings for Second Sunday of Easter

Acts 5. 27-32

Revelation 1. 4 - 8

John 20. 19 - end

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COLLECT FOR SECOND SUNDAY OF EASTER

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father.

PRAYERS OF INTERCESSION

Please remember the needs of the church and the world in your prayers.

Prayers are especially invited for:

The family and friends of Patricia Stephens as they prepare for her interment.

Isla, her parents and godparents as they prepare for her baptism.

The APCM meeting at All Hallows Church.

All who live in Post Office Square.

All who are seeking God's intervention, guidance or healing in their lives.

God of faithfulness, help us embrace our doubts, as part of the journey of faith.
When we encounter doubt in others, allow us to be witnesses to your faithfulness,
waiting patiently with those who feel alone.

May we ask for what we need, trusting you will meet our needs in your time.

Lord, help us to lead our world in the ways of justice and peace.

Help us to be at peace with ourselves, our families, friends and neighbours.

May peace, not conflict, arise from our hearts wherever we go.

May our peace be a sign of strength and not of weakness, that others may follow
peace with peace.

Our Benefice Mission Statement

Growing in our relationship with God, caring for the whole church family,
sharing the good news of Jesus in love and action.