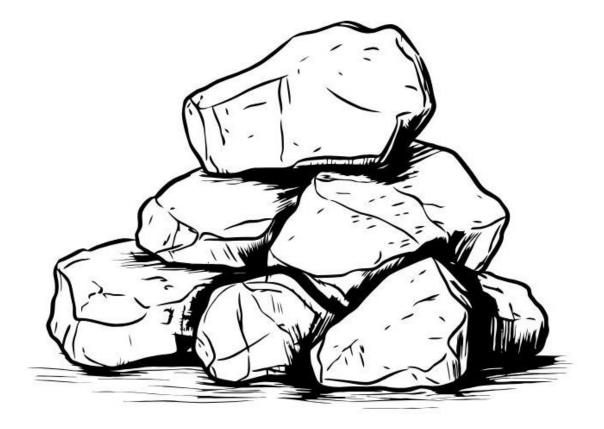
Good Shepherd with St. Peter's, Lee



Saint Peter's Day

June 29th 2025

All the words you need for this service are on this sheet. Please join in the bits in bold.

Welcome

Opening Words

Welcome, friends—young and old, curious and faithful, wobbly and bold!

Today we remember Peter, the fisherman who followed Jesus and helped build the Church.

Let us gather in joy, ready to explore, create, and celebrate.

All: Here we are, God! Ready to follow, ready to grow!

Peter was brave, but also made mistakes. He walked on water, and he sank. He said he didn't know Jesus—but Jesus forgave him. God used Peter anyway. Just like God uses us.

All: Here we are, God! Sometimes stumbling, still your people!

So bring your questions, bring your joy. Bring your mess, your joy, your giggles, your games. In this space, everyone belongs.

All: Here we are, God! With hearts and hands open wide!

Let us pray.

Loving God, Thank you for Peter—brave, flawed, and faithful. As we gather today, may we discover more about your love, And the church you're still building with all of us. Bless our time, our making, our playing, our worship, That we may leave ready to follow you like Peter did—one messy, marvellous step at a time.

All: (with hands raised) Amen! Let's go God's way!

HYMN Dear Lord and Father of mankind

Dear Lord and Father of mankind, forgive our foolish ways! Reclothe us in our rightful mind; in purer lives Thy service find, in deeper rev'rence, praise.

In simple trust like theirs who heard, beside the Syrian sea, the gracious calling of the Lord, let us, like them, without a word Rise up and follow Thee.

O Sabbath rest by Galilee! O calm of hills above, where Jesus knelt to share with Thee the silence of eternity, interpreted by love!

Drop Thy still dews of quietness, till all our strivings cease; take from our souls the strain and stress, and let our ordered lives confess the beauty of Thy peace.

Breathe through the heats of our desire Thy coolness and Thy balm; let sense be dumb, let flesh retire; speak through the earthquake, wind and fire, O still small voice of calm!

Game: Who is Peter?

SONG (My Lighthouse) In My Wrestling And In My Doubts

In my wrestling and in my doubts In my failures You won't walk out Your great love will lead me through You are the peace in my troubled sea whoa oh You are the peace in my troubled sea In the silence You won't let go In the questions Your truth will hold Your great love will lead me through You are the peace in my troubled sea whoa oh You are the peace in my troubled sea

Chorus:

My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse Shining in the darkness I will follow You oh My Lighthouse, my Lighthouse I will trust the promise You will carry me Safe to shore, safe to shore Safe to shore, safe to shore

I won't fear what tomorrow brings With each morning I'll rise and sing My God's love will lead me through You are the peace in my troubled sea whoa oh You are the peace in my troubled sea

Bridge: Fire before us, You're the brightest You will lead us through the storms (Repeat)

Bible Reading: John 21:1-19

Talk: Three Things

SONG (Oceans) You call me out upon the waters

You call me out upon the waters The great unknown where feet may fail And there I find You in the mystery In oceans deep my faith will stand

And I will call upon Your name And keep my eyes above the waves When oceans rise My soul will rest in Your embrace For I am Yours and You are mine

Your grace abounds in deepest waters Your sov'reign hand will be my guide Where feet may fail and fear surrounds me You've never failed and You won't start now

Spirit lead me where my trust is without borders Let me walk upon the waters Wherever You would call me Take me deeper than my feet could ever wander And my faith will be made stronger In the presence of my Saviour

Prayer stones

Lords prayer

Our Father in heaven, hallowed be your name, your kingdom come, your will be done, on earth as in heaven. Give us today our daily bread. Forgive us our sins as we forgive those who sin against us. Lead us not into temptation but deliver us from evil. For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours now and for ever.

Amen.

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Join us for a special St. Peter's service tonight, 6pm at St. Peter's Church (on the corner of Weigall Road and Eltham Road) with pizza after the service

Bridget, our former vicar, will be installed as Archdeacon of Wandsworth in a service at Southwark Cathedral, 3pm, Sunday 6th July – all welcome.

We'll be having a Church BBQ on 20th July after the morning service – come along and enjoy the sun (we hope!)

SONG Cornerstone

My hope is built on nothing less Than Jesus blood and righteousness I dare not trust the sweetest frame But wholly trust in Jesus name (Repeat)

Chorus: Christ alone, Cornerstone Weak made strong in the Saviour's love Through the storm, He is Lord Lord of all

When darkness seems to hide His face I rest on His unchanging grace In every high and stormy gale My anchor holds within the veil My anchor holds within the veil

When He shall come with trumpet sound Oh may I then in Him be found Dressed in His righteousness alone Faultless stand before the throne

<u>Grace</u>

The grace of our Lord Jesus Christ, the love of God, and the fellowship of the Holy Spirit be with us all, now and evermore. Amen **Closing Blessing**

The love of the Lord Jesus draw you to himself, the power of the Lord Jesus strengthen you in his service, the joy of the Lord Jesus fill your hearts.

Please stay for refreshments and to decorate your rock

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