



Peters Green Newsletter

March April May 2025

Lent

Dear Church Family,

In a couple of weeks, we will be entering Lent—a significant season in the Christian calendar, observed by many denominations. It is a 40-day period of reflection, fasting, and spiritual preparation leading up to Easter, the celebration of Jesus Christ’s resurrection. We have long associated this time with an element of sacrifice and self-denial. It is a time of reflection, a time of preparation.

As we enter this season of Lent, we are reminded of the deep significance of these 40 days leading up to Easter. While Lent is often associated with fasting and reflection, it is ultimately a time for us to draw closer to the Lord, renew our faith, and prepare our hearts to celebrate the victory of Christ’s resurrection.

Lent is inspired by the 40 days Jesus spent in the wilderness, fasting and resisting temptation (Matthew 4:1-11). It was a time of spiritual preparation before He began His ministry, and it serves as an example for us to focus on God, turn from distractions, and grow in our walk with Him.

As Baptists, we may not traditionally observe Lent with formal rituals, but we do embrace its core purpose—repentance, renewal, and devotion to God. This season invites us to examine our hearts, confess our sins, and seek a deeper relationship with Christ. It is a time to set aside anything that hinders our faith and commit ourselves fully to the Lord’s work.

One of the best ways we can observe this season is through prayer. Let us spend intentional time in God’s Word, seeking His guidance and wisdom. Let us pray for our families, our church, and our community, asking God to move in powerful ways.

Lent is also a time for service and generosity. Jesus calls us to love our neighbours, care for the needy, and be His hands and feet in a broken world. Whether through acts of kindness, giving to those in need, or sharing the Gospel,

let us use this season to reflect Christ's love to others.

Finally, let us prepare our hearts for Easter, the greatest celebration of all—Christ's victory over sin and death. As we journey through Lent, may we be reminded that Jesus endured the cross for our salvation, and through His resurrection, we have the promise of new life.

May this season be one of spiritual renewal and deeper faith. Let us seek the Lord with all our hearts, knowing that He is faithful to transform us.

“Return to me with all your heart, with fasting and weeping and mourning.” — Joel 2:12

In Christ's love,
Erwin

TUESDAY FELLOWSHIP

We meet at 2.30 pm. On the first Tuesday of each month at Perry Green Baptist Chapel.

Please Join us.

You are Always Welcome.

The next sessions are as follows:

March 4th. Mr. Howard Chandler

April 1st. Rev. Liz Chilton-Guest

May 6th. Mrs. Diane Maple



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Contributions for the next newsletter.
Please email your contributions to chapel@peteretteridge.com or hand your contributions to Pam Greener by 30th April.

PERRY GREEN BAPTIST CHAPEL AT PETERS GREEN

Central Baptist Church
Tel: 01582 363000

Branch Leader: Pam Greener
Tel: 01582 604771

SUNDAY SERVICES 6.00 pm.

March

- “ 2nd. Mr. Roger Barton (c)
- “ 9th. Mr. Andy Morton
- “ 16th. Mr. Samson Akinola
- “ 23rd. Tea and Hymns at Central 3.30 pm.
- “ 30th. Miss Pam Greener (c)

April

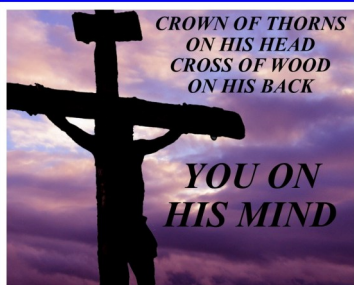
- “ 6th. Mr. Adam May
- “ 13th. Mrs. Diane Maple
- “ 18th. Good Friday - Raising the Cross 9.00 am.
Mr. Erwin Tadiar
- “ 20th. Easter Sunday (c) - Mr. Erwin Tadiar
- “ 27th. Angela & Tony Mann

May

- “ 4th. Mr. Michael Adams
- “ 11th. Mr. Roland Ogberigbe (c)
- “ 18th. TBC
- “ 25th. Tea and Hymns at Central 3.30 pm.



From Good Friday to Easter Sunday - JESUS IS RISEN



A service will be held at Perry Green Chapel at Peters Green starting with the raising of the cross.

*Good Friday
April 18th
9.00 am.*



EASTER

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RISEN

Easter Sunday Service April 20th 6.00 pm.
Perry Green Chapel at Peters Green

Easter Egg Hunt

Monday
21st April
11.00 am.



A Trail through the Village of Peters Green and in the Chapel Grounds



Kimpton May Festival
Friday 2nd May to
Monday 5th May 2025

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KimptonMayFest](https://www.facebook.com/KimptonMayFest)



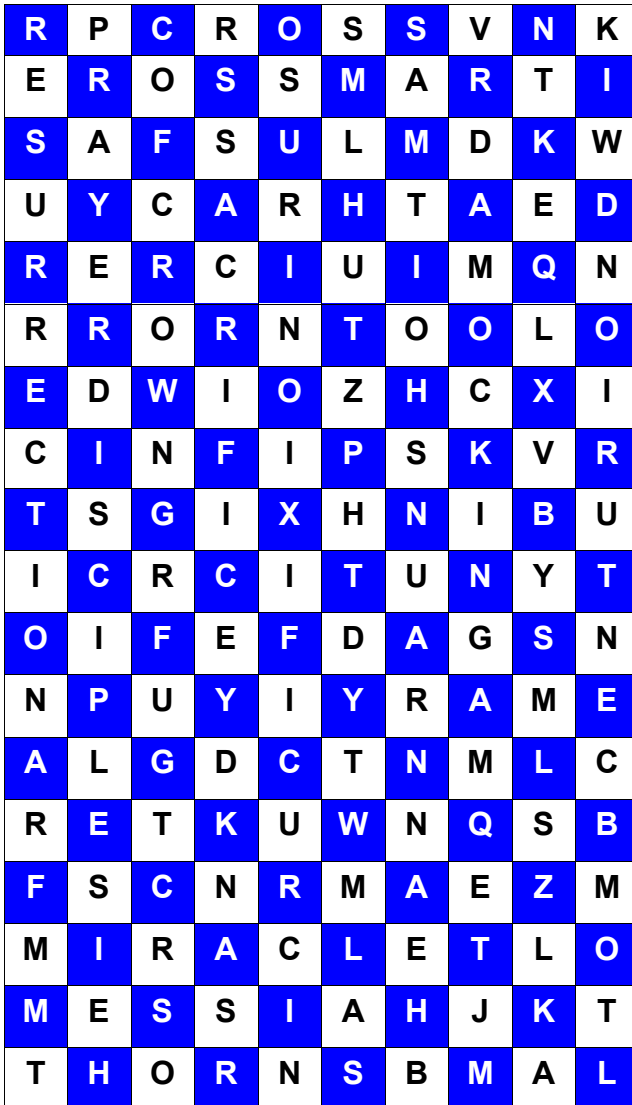
**Kimpton Art Show - Friday 2nd May
to Monday 5th May 2025**

<https://www.kimptonartshow.co.uk/>

Submissions for artwork
from 1st February

WORDSEARCH

Easter



- Cross
- Crown
- Crucifixion
- Disciples
- Faith
- Death
- Centurion
- Lent
- Miracle
- Sacrifice
- Prayer
- Resurrection
- Thorns
- Tomb
- Messiah
- Lamb
- Mocking
- Mary

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EVENTS AND SERVICES



Raising the Cross
Good Friday 18th April
9.00 am



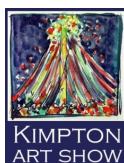
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Sunday 20th April 6.00 pm.



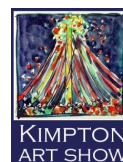
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Recordings of
Services
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Parish Councillor...

Peters Green update

- We hope that you are all enjoying the actions taken following the community questionnaire last Summer, with the 3 new trees settling in their new homes (one replacing the dying Cherry tree with a partner opposite on the verge creating a gateway to the village, and the third on the little green outside the Bright Star). As the weather warms, to ensure they flourish we will need to water them regularly, please do let me know if you would like to join the watering rota.
- The circular bench is in situ as a feature for the little triangle sited around the new Acer tree, as a feature to visually bring together the two greens and to act as protection for the new tree from the foraging deer.
- We have received notification that the requested movement of the SID from the northern entrance to Peters Green to the southern entrance will take place in February. The intention is it will move between the two locations on a 6-monthly rota.
- We are working on progressing the purchase and installation of 2 pairs of village gates with a speed indicator to reduce speeding through the village, to be similar in style to this image:



- We are also hoping to incorporate additional shrubs around the village greens, as per the planting plan previously shared, to be reviewed over the next few months.

The Bright Star

The increasing success of the alternate weekly Wednesday events at The Bright Star is heartening to see, with a quiz alternating with a steak night, and the all-new Friday Prosecco and Pizza evening. The events offer a warm, community feel, and are a great way to reconnect with neighbours as we welcome in the Spring.

Road project

The condition of the road and potholes is an ever growing problem, to which we all must remain vigilant. As a village community, if we note and report potholes in the road, then we start the process for the council to assess and resolve where necessary. So, if you do note a pothole in the road, that is not verge erosion, please report it to the council at the following link, it really is a very quick and easy process:

https://eservices.hertfordshire.gov.uk/services/hidden/hfr-roadcycle?cat=road_cycle&type=CW06

Kimpton Parish Council

Communication - In addition to the Kimpton Parish Council website, the KPC use the FaceBook page and email bulletins to pass on news and local updates. If you would like to be included on the distribution list for the e-bulletin please forward your email to

clerk@kimptonpc.org.uk

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Community Events coming up



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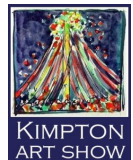
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With best wishes,
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