



**St Peter's Parkstone  
Parish Choir**

## **NEWSLETTER**

*Christmas Term 2011*

*November - December*

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## **Choir Rehearsals**

### *Friday*

*6.00 – 6.30pm Music Theory & Medals Work*  
**Juniors Rehearsal** 6.30 – 7.45pm

*Dean's/Bishop's Award Holders 7.00 – 8.15pm*  
**Seniors Rehearsal** 7.30 – 8.30pm

### *Sunday*

9.40am – 11am Morning Service  
5.30–7.30pm: Choral Evensong

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### *Other Church Activities*

## **Sunday School**

*(ages 4–11)*

10–11am Sundays.

## **Youth Group**

*(ages 11+)*

7.30–9pm Sundays (at Parkstone URC)

## Week 1 beginning – Sunday 6<sup>th</sup> November

**Sunday Morning** – 10am Pet Service



BRING A PET TO CHURCH!

**Sunday Evening** – All Souls Service

**Friday** – Choir Practice

## Week 2 beginning – Sunday 13<sup>th</sup> November

**Sunday Morning** – Morning Service & Eucharist  
Remembrance Sunday  
[ ANTHEM: We Will Remember Them *Salisbury Festival* ]



**Sunday Evening** – Choral Evensong

**Friday** – 5.45pm *Deans Award*  
– Choir Practice

## Week 3 beginning – Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> November

**Sunday Morning** – Morning Service & Eucharist  
[ ANTHEM: Listen Sweet Dove *by Ives* ]

*CONFIRMATION SERVICE  
with Bishop of Salisbury*



**Sunday Evening** – Choral Evensong

**Friday** – 5.45pm *Deans Award*  
– Choir Practice

## Week 4 beginning – Sunday 27<sup>th</sup> November

**Sunday Morning** – Advent 1 Morning Service

*Mother's Union Art, Craft & Music workshop  
afternoon 11.30 – 3pm.*

**Sunday Evening** – Evening Service TBC.

**Friday** – 5.45pm *Deans Award*  
– Choir Practice

## Week 5 beginning – Sunday 4<sup>th</sup> December

**Sunday Morning** – Advent 2 Morning Service

**Sunday Evening** – *Carols By Candlelight*  
5pm Rehearsal, 6.30pm Service  
*Family Celebration of Carols for Christmas.*



**Friday** – Choir Practice

## Week 6 beginning – Sunday 11<sup>th</sup> December

**Sunday Morning** – Advent 3 Morning Service

**Sunday Afternoon** 12.30 – 1.30pm, Carols in  
Poole Dolphin Centre (in aid of RNIB).  
*We will be leaving straight after morning service  
for this...*

**Sunday Evening** – NO CHOIR

**Friday** – *Carols at Bowls Club*, Choir Practice

## Week 7 beginning – Sunday 18<sup>th</sup> December

**Sunday Morning** – Advent 4 Morning Service

**Sunday Evening** – *9 Lessons & Carols*  
5.30pm Rehearsal, 6.30pm Service

This is the biggest choir service of the year!

**Monday 19<sup>th</sup>** – 4.30–5.30pm Carols in Ashley Cross  
w/ Mulled Wine(!)

**Thursday 22<sup>nd</sup>** – 6.30–7.30pm Carols at *The  
Dancing Goat*

**Friday** – Choir Practice

## Christmas Eve 24<sup>th</sup> December

4pm – **Crib Service** *Junior Choir*

10.30pm – ***The Midnight Mass of Christmas***  
The culmination of the Christmas period – a  
fantastic high mass celebration with full choir!

## Christmas Day 25<sup>th</sup> December

**Christmas Day** – Christmas Day Eucharist

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**Sunday 1<sup>st</sup> January** – CHOIR HOLIDAY (no choir)

*First Choir Practice of 2012 is...*  
**7<sup>th</sup> January 2012**