



St Andrew's
Church

THE GOOD NEWS LETTER

Week beginning 7th May 2017

Fourth Sunday of Easter

TODAY

10am All Age Eucharist

We especially welcome the children and young people (and their families!) and thank them for engaging in all aspects of our worship this morning.

No youth group today after the service

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Another opportunity to worship God through beautiful choral music, following the Book of Common Prayer in the cathedral tradition.

Followed by a glass of wine

Sunday 14th May 11.30am

Christian Aid Sunday

Here are a few ways we hope to mark Christian Aid Week (14th – 20th May) and raise money for their work with refugees:

- * Cassie Woodard (from Cn Aid) will join us as our preacher
- * **'Big Brekkie'** after the service next Sunday (please sign the list on the table in the café). Light lunch with donation to CA
- * House to house envelope delivery (volunteers wanted!)
- * Daily prayer at 12noon in the Lady Chapel
- * Street collection at Baron's Court tube on Monday 15th.

For further information please see Veronica or Nikki

Congratulations!

At last week's Annual Parochial Church Meeting we welcomed our new Church Wardens – Trevor Dawson, re-elected, and now joined by Adriaan van Zyl. They will be formally admitted to office of Church Warden on 15th May by the Diocesan Registrar, at a service known as the Easter Visitation.

We are privileged to have, yet again, two such excellent Wardens and I encourage you to pray for them in this responsible task.

We are also deeply grateful to Humphrey Gervais, who steps down from this role, for his years of cheerful, creative and dedicated service. Our prayers continue for Humphrey and his family as he returns to Spain.

Calling all 8-11 year olds!

Get together each Wednesday after school (4.30-6pm) to have fun, eat, and learn more about God! They're currently learning the big picture of the stories in the Bible, through crafts, marshmallows and biscuits! Intrigued??? Speak to Penny S to find out more!

Faith & Mental Health

Monday 15th May 7pm

Our neighbouring parish of St Alban's is running an open evening with Will van der Hart, director of Mindandsoul.info, exploring Christianity and mental health. Refreshments from 7pm. All welcome.

Advanced notices:

Messy Cathedral @ St Paul's Cathedral

Monday 29th May, Bank Holiday Monday

FREE family-friendly activities 10.30am - 12pm, including crafts, storytelling and contemplative/prayer stations. Followed by an all-age Messy Eucharist from 12.30 - 1pm under the dome. Tickets are free, but places are limited so book your tickets now through www.eventbrite.co.uk

And talking of St Paul's Cathedral, we had a card from the Chapter and staff at there to assure us of their prayers for St Andrew's during the month of May.

Visit to Fr Guy & Tessa

Tuesday 6th June

We're arranging a minibus trip to Salisbury to visit Fr Guy & Tessa. Leaving St Andrew's around 9am. Eucharist at Salisbury Cathedral 12noon, lunch at Fr Guy's & Tessa's house, afternoon free to explore Salisbury. Returning around 7pm. Cost £10 (including travel and contribution to a gift for them)

Please sign the list in the café. For those who aren't free on Tuesdays, we'll have another later!

Thursday 15th June 7.30pm

The Road to Colditz

(Please note change of date)

Illustrated talk by Ben Hamilton-Baillie, whose father Jock was a prisoner of war in Colditz. Ben will bring a selection of original visual aids, hopefully including a full set of keys stolen from Colditz Castle! Evening in aid of The Children's Society.

Queens Tennis Tournament
Monday 19th – Sunday 25th June

We're hoping to open St Andrew's Café for snacks and light lunches from Monday to Friday during the tournament so we'd be very glad of offers of help with serving, cooking (baked potatoes and fillings), washing up, cake baking, distributing flyers etc etc.

Home Communion

If you know anyone who may be unwell, or for any other reason would like communion brought to them at home or in hospital or simply a visit, please let Revd Lesley know.

WHO'S WHO

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Welcome to St Andrew's

If you are new, we would like to welcome you to St Andrew's, and update you by email with our news and events. Please fill in the form and hand it to a member of the clergy or welcome team

First name

Surname

Address

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Postcode Telephone No

Email

WHAT'S ON EACH WEEK

Sunday

10.00am Family Communion and Children's Church followed by delicious refreshments and great conversation!

11.30am Youth Group

6.30pm Said Evensong

First Sunday of every month

6.30pm Choral Evensong

Third Sunday of the month

6.30pm Taize Prayer

Monday, Wednesday, Thursday & Friday

8.00am Morning Prayers in the Lady Chapel

Monday

11.00am Parents, carers and toddlers informal communion service

12.00 noon 30 mins prayer together, followed by soup

Tuesday

10.30am till noon Open Door & Gardening: Coffee, chat and fun activities especially for the over 60s.

Wednesday

10.15am till 1.00pm Songs and Stories for children with refreshments.

4.30pm – 6.00pm 8-11 year olds group at Penny Stradling's house

Thursday

11.00am Holy Communion

7.30pm Bible Reading group (**1st Thursday of the month**)

Friday

10.30am – 12 noon Jewellery making group

Saturday

8.00am till 12.30pm Project for the Homeless, including Eucharist at 9.30am.

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