

This Week...

Sunday 5th February 2012


St Andrew's and
St Bartholomew's
hope for all ages

What's happening in the life of St Andrew's and St Bartholomew's

We **WELCOME YOU** if you are new to the Church and hope you have a wonderful time with us today. If you would like any more information do complete a **welcome card** and/or join us for refreshments after the service. During our Communion service please ask the stewards if you would like Communion brought to your seat and they will be happy to help. Finally, please take this sheet home with you or pass it to a friend.

KIDS & YOUTH GROUPS

For 10.30 service only:

Creche: under 3s in the Lounge

Little Fishes: 2-4yrs in the Atrium

Little Stars: reception in the Large hall

Shining Stars: Year 1 in the Large Hall

Faith Rocks: Year 2-3 in the Small Hall

Our Group: Year 4-6 in the Loft

Year 7-9 in the Quiet Room

Year 10+ in the Loft

PRAYER OPPORTUNITIES

It is a privilege to **pray for the sick**. If you wish to be named in our prayers, do let us know. Place **prayer items** in the plastic pocket in the concourse for praying at Morning Prayer. For **Prayer Chain** items: please contact **Roy Bourne** on 01452 714210 or email roybourne@virginmedia.com. **Prayer Ministry** is offered at 9.00 am Holy Communion and after the 10.30 am Service. **Morning Prayer** Mon — Fri 9 am in the Quiet Room.

EVENTS & ACTIVITIES

February 12th: KIDS WORSHIP meet in large hall before 10.30 service.

February 13th CAMEO meet at 12.30. Speaker: Laine Lewis on 'Little Bundles'.

February 22nd: LENT COURSE starts - "Time to Reflect".

February 25th: REVIVE Youth Conference

March 3rd Men's Breakfast 8.30-10.00 am £3 pre-paid or £4 on the door

SERVICES NEXT WEEK

Sunday 12th February
9am Holy Communion
10.30am Morning Worship
11.30 Matins at St. Bartholomew's

SERMONS ON THE WEB

Most Sunday 10.30 am morning sermons at St Andrew's can be heard again on our Website: www.standrewschurchdown.org.uk

PRAYER FOR THE WEEK

Eternal God, whose Son went among the crowds and brought healing with his touch: help us to show his love, in your Church as we gather together, and by our lives transformed into the image of Christ our lord. Amen

SERVICES Sunday 5th February Epiphany 4

9am Holy Communion
10.30am All Age Communion
3.30pm Evensong at St. Bartholomew's
7.30pm FUEL

Sermon Series Close Encounters: Service

READINGS

9.00 am

Mark 10 v 35-45
Deuteronomy 10 v12-21

10.30am

Mark 10 v35-45

11.30am

Jeremiah 1 v1-12

USEFUL CONTACTS

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Michelle Allen-Jones T: 712154

CHERNOBYL CHILDRENS' PROJECT

We looking for families to host children, aged 9-12 who are in remission from cancer, and their doctor this summer for two weeks (July 22nd to Aug 19th).

Fundraising quiz night on Sat. 25th Feb from 7.30pm at the Carpenters Arms, Miserden, £7. Details from Helen Marcus on: helenmarcus@blueyonder.co.uk.

GRAND RIPPLES SALE

A grand 'Half The Ticket Price' sale will take place in the main hall on Sat. 18th Feb. from 10am-2pm. Please support this event as all proceeds go to fund mission work.. Volunteers are needed to help; please see Gordon Goodman.

BRING AND SHARE LUNCH

There will be a Bring and Share Lunch on Sunday 26th February at 1pm. Sign up sheets are in the concourse for contributions and offers of help. Thank you.

HOTHORPE MARCH 2012

If you have booked a place please check your pigeonhole for a green confirmation slip which will also show any payment outstanding.

BOOKS FOR DAVID BARNARDO

We can now start taking donations of books in the Church Office again.

HOSTING SWEDISH CURATES

Are you interested in hosting a curate from the Diocese of Vasteras in Sweden after Easter for about 4 weeks? For more information please see Jon Hills.

THE CHOIR

During last year the Choir had some very significant losses and we are now looking to increase our numbers. The urgent need is for Altos and Basses, but all voices will be most welcome. Why not come to our rehearsal on any Friday at 7.30 pm and try us out. We don't do auditions. You can also contact John Taylor on 856042.

INDABA

Good quality warm coats or jackets are needed (by Sunday 12th February) for a group of Tanzanians visiting our diocese next month. Sizes required: Men's—X-large, large, medium, Women's—sizes 16,12. The coats and jackets will be given to charity after the visit. Please let me know if you have a coat you no longer need. Thank you! Anne Davies (01452)859892 or e mail annenormandavies@mail.com

MENS' BREAKFAST

The next breakfast is on 3rd March from 8.30—10am. Speaker: Paul Hobbs. Please sign up in the concourse.

ROTAS

If you are involved in any church rotas could you email the church office as soon as possible so that we can be sure we have your current email address. Thank you.

LOST PROPERTY

Please check the table of items in the concourse.

WEBSITE DESIGNER NEEDED

Please contact Robert Cook or Jon Hills if you are interested in updating the St Andrew's website

ST. ANDREWS FC

Are you interested in playing for our football team? We play on Saturday mornings. Contact Karl Allen Shepherd on 07828 712038.

HOME COMMUNION

If you know anyone who would appreciate Home Communion please let Jonathan know.

PUBLIC PARKING

A reminder that Public Parking is available behind Churchdown Club, and it is only a short walk through the park. Please can you try and avoid parking on Station Road. Thank you.

EVENTS FOR THE WEEK**Monday**

20.00 Mens Connect Group

Wednesday

11.00-13.00: BLT

19.30 Alpha+ 'Connect Groups'

Thursday

10.00: Holy Communion

10.00-12.00: Coffee Shop

19.30pm First Priority

Friday

10.00: Craft Connect Group

12.30 CAMEO Laine Lewis will talk about 'Little Bundles'

20.00: CLAY

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RIPPLES CHURCH CHARITY SHOP**3 Brookfield Road**

Grand Sale Feb. 18th, 10-2pm in the church centre.

Shop closed till Feb. 7th 2012

*No donations until after Feb. 20th
Thank you.*

LOOP SYSTEM

The Church is installed with a loop system for use with hearing aids. We would suggest that you sit away from the wall for the system to be more effective.



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