

# 13<sup>th</sup> May 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

## Welcome to St Andrew's!

### 8am Holy Communion

Presiding: Peter Vickers  
Preaching: David Taylor  
Intercessor: Clergy  
Reader: Jenny Vickers

### 10am Parish Communion

Presiding: Peter Vickers  
Preaching: David Taylor  
Intercessor: Dave Greenwood  
Readers: Gill Sharp and Geoff Morris

### 6pm Evensong @ St Mary's

Presiding: Hugh Bryant

### Friday 18<sup>th</sup> May

### 10:30 Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:  
Peter Vickers

Welcome to St Andrew's. If this is the first time you are joining us please do introduce yourself to one of the clergy or someone with a name badge. If you would like more information on anything at St Andrew's please leave your details on the welcome card on the desk. Members of all Christian churches are most welcome to receive Holy Communion. We have an audio loop in the church and large print versions of our service booklet are available. Please use a yellow Gift Aid envelope if you would like to make a donation. There is a WC in the corner of the church, just past the organ. We hope you enjoy the service.

**Kids' Church** is a time of teaching, fun and worship for children and young people. We have activities available for children from the age of 2 to 13 and up. Please enter through the main door of Church Gate House. Children join their families to worship together for the last part of the service. **Parents should meet their children at the Church's main door at the start of Holy Communion.**

At the back of the Church there is an activity space for very small children.

**REFRESHMENTS** Tea & Coffee will be served after the 10am service in Church Gate House by Edna Tipping and Beryl Mooney. Please do join us.



10<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> May

Join is in

Morning Prayer

and

Praying for 5 people

# This week's prayers and readings:

## Service Booklets:

**8am & 10am:**

Easter Booklet

Eucharist Prayer E

## Readings:

**8am & 10am:**

Acts 1:15-17, 21-end

(NT 126)

1 John 5:9-13

(NT 260)

John 17:6-19 (NT 119)

## Collect for 7<sup>th</sup> Sunday of Easter

O God the King of glory,  
you have exalted your only  
Son Jesus Christ  
with great triumph to your  
kingdom in heaven:  
we beseech you, leave us  
not comfortless,  
but send your Holy Spirit to  
strengthen us  
and exalt us to the place  
where our Saviour Christ is  
gone before,  
who is alive  
and reigns with you,  
in the unity of the  
Holy Spirit,  
one God, now and for ever.  
Amen

## Praying For:

- Peter and David as they lead our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through their words as we worship together.
- Everyone involved in Kids' Church today.
- Outreach Youth Work at St Andrew's.

## Pastoral/Church

- The bereaved family and friends of John Chambers and Geraldine Hyde.
- Those in our congregation who are ill, recovering from operations, are facing treatment or who are lonely.
- Polly Zabari during her course of chemotherapy.
- The Church Wardens, Clergy and St Andrew's congregation during the vacancy. That we will trust God for his timing and plans for St Andrew's.
- The residents of Eaton Park Road, Eaton Park, The Drive, and Water Lane.
- Those suffering from various addictions including drugs, alcohol and gambling, that they might find the help and support needed to release them from their addiction. We pray for their families and all affected by those who are addicted in any way.
- Thy Kingdom Come this week - a wave of prayer will sweep through Cobham.
- For peace and reconciliation for the political situation in Nicaragua.
- Those affected by the volcano in Hawaii.
- Peace and reconciliation in the Middle East and North Korea.

### A VACANCY PRAYER

Our gracious Father: as we continue to seek for the person who will become our new incumbent, we pray that you will bless us with an outpouring of your grace. Grant us the grace to be patient and to trust in your sure purpose for us. Grant us the grace to bear with one another in kindness and mutual encouragement. Give the gift of discernment to those making this decision. Above all help us never to cease declaring to the world God's love for us in Jesus Christ. Amen

# This week's notices:

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**PRAYING FOR ST ANDREW'S YOUTH** at 5pm this evening in Church Gate House Lounge.

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**MORNING PRAYER DURING THY KINGDOM COME WEEK.** Thy Kingdom Come runs from the 10<sup>th</sup> – 20<sup>th</sup> May. The Archbishop of Canterbury is encouraging all Christians to join in a wave of prayer leading up to Pentecost. You are invited to join us in the reflective and deeply spiritual tradition of Morning Prayer, bringing peace and strength for the rest of the day. Each morning, at 9:15am lasting approximately 45 minutes, will be slightly different. Monday – Wednesday mornings at St Andrew's and Thursday morning at St Mary's. Please join us for this week of prayer.

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**ROYAL WEDDING CELEBRATION** on the 19<sup>th</sup> May between 11am and 2pm. We will be sharing bubbles and a buffet lunch in Church Gate House whilst watching the proceedings on the large screen. If you would like to join the celebrations please sign up in the porch to allow us to cater for the correct number. Donations on the day please. Hope you can join us.

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**PENTECOST 10AM SERVICE** please do come in **bright** and **colourful** clothes. Can you say the Lord's Prayer in a language other than English or a sign language? If so, please contact Charleen regarding our celebration of Pentecost service next Sunday.

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**RACE FOR LIFE** On June 3rd Liz Bradley will be taking part in the 5km Race for Life for cancer research, a cause particularly relevant to Liz given her recent fight against lung cancer. If you would like to support her and sponsor her race please go to: <https://fundraise.cancerresearchuk.org/page/lizzies-race-for-life-72>

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**GIVING COMMITTEE UPDATE** please take a few minutes to pray and consider the enclosed leaflet about our giving and expenditure.

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## **ANNUAL PARISH BARBEQUE SUNDAY 24TH JUNE**

Please make a note in your diaries for the annual summer barbeque. From 12.00 midday on Sunday 24th June. Suggested donation is £5 per adult, children will be free. We hope to see as many of you as possible. Bouncy castle and games!

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**VACANCY PRAYER MEETINGS** at 8pm on Monday evening. The card with the new dates for the next few months is available to take from the desk.

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## **MAIASTRA CONCERT**

7:30pm this evening.

Programme details on the poster and flyer.

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## **THE FOOD BANK** is running **very short of supplies**

and would be most grateful for donations of:

UHT/Long life fruit juice or Squash, Tinned custard, Tinned potatoes, Tinned vegetables & tomatoes (not corn, beans or pulses please) Tinned fruit, Tinned meat, Clear runny honey, Large instant coffee, Liquid hand soap, Shaving foam and Razors (men's & women's), Deodorant and Laundry liquid, gel or powder.

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## **SPIRITUAL CINEMA**





on May 21<sup>st</sup> at 7pm will be showing *Victoria & Abdul* Everyone welcome.

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# Sunday 20<sup>th</sup> May – Pentecost

<b>8am Holy Communion</b> Presiding & Preaching: Charleen Hollington	<b>10am Parish Communion</b> Presiding & Preaching: Charleen Hollington	<b>6pm Evensong</b> Preaching: Peter Vickers
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## Upcoming Events

Monday 14 <sup>th</sup>		9:15am 8pm	Morning Prayer – TKC Event Vacancy Prayer Meeting (Lounge)
Tuesday 15 <sup>th</sup>		9:15am	Morning Prayer – TKC
Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>		9:15am 10:30am 7pm	Morning Prayer – TKC Event Baby Talk Youth Group
Thursday 17 <sup>th</sup>		9:15am	Morning Prayer – TKC (St Mary's)
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>		10:30am	Holy Communion – TKC Event
Saturday 19 <sup>th</sup>		11am – 2	Royal Wedding Celebration Lunch (sign up)
Sunday 20 <sup>th</sup> Pentecost		8am 10am	Holy Communion Parish Communion – TKC Event Followed by cake & bubbles in the hall
Monday 21 <sup>st</sup>		7pm	Spiritual Cinema – <i>Victoria &amp; Abdul (12)</i>
Tuesday 22 <sup>nd</sup>		9:15am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 23 <sup>rd</sup>		9:15am 10:30am 7pm	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Youth Group
Thursday 24 <sup>th</sup>		12 noon 3pm 3:45pm	Wedding of Lukas Hughes and Anna Beagley Wedding of Freddie Watkins and Jessica Walker Messy Church – <i>The Wedding at Cana</i>
Friday 25 <sup>th</sup>		10:30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 27 <sup>th</sup>		8am 10am	Holy Communion Parish Communion