
8am Holy Communion

Presiding: Mike Branscombe
Preaching: Peter Vickers
Intercessor: Joan Bingley
Reader: Tanya Hall

10am Parish Communion

Presiding: Mike Branscombe
Preaching: Peter Vickers
Intercessor: Cathy Whitnall
Readers: Michael Elson
and Kennedy Mensa

12.15pm Parish Holy Baptism

Presiding: Mike Branscombe

6pm Evensong @ St Mary's

Presiding: Godfrey Hilliard

Friday 29th March

10:30am Holy Communion

Presiding & Preaching:
Peter Vickers



Thursday

3:45-5:45pm

Kindness

Cobham United Church, Stoke Road

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 family service in Church Gate House by Sally Donn & Jill Newman. Please do join us.

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via the website or in hardcopy**

Service Booklets:

8am & 10am:

Eucharistic Prayer E

Readings:

8am & 10am:

Isaiah 55:1-9

(OT 712)

1 Corinthians 10:1-13

(NT 170)

Luke 13:1-9 (NT 81)

Collect for

3rd Sunday of Lent

Almighty God, whose most dear Son went not up to joy but first he suffered pain, and entered not into glory before he was crucified: mercifully grant that we, walking in the way of the cross, may find it none other than the way of life and peace; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever Amen

This week's prayers and readings:

Praying For:

- Mike and Peter as they lead our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through their words as we worship together.
- For everyone involved in Kids' Church this morning.
- Those reading, playing and singing during our Worship.

Pastoral/Church

- Eleanora Cini being baptised here today.
- Those in our congregation who are ill, facing treatment, recovering from an operation or who are lonely.
- Liz Bradley recovering from her chemotherapy session on Thursday. For swift and peaceful recovery from the side effects of the chemotherapy. This is the last session in the set following her recent operation, praying that this will be the final time.
- Remembering Peggy Hyland who is unwell.
- Claudia Hollington, Dorothy Mitchell and Mabs Ostley all still recovering from injuries and operations.
- The plans and preparations for Holiday Club, *Backpackers* in April. As the news of the club spreads, that God will touch the hearts of the families he wants to attend.
- Plans for the Easter High Tea, for volunteers to help with the event and for guest to feel the love of Christ as we welcome them.
- The residents of Brook Farm Road, Knowle Park, Lambourne Drive, Oak Road and Woodend Park.
- For the Parochial Church Council members, especially the Church Wardens, Secretary and Treasurer in their responsibilities.
- The bereaved family & friends of the victims of the terror attack in Christchurch, New Zealand.
- The victims of and the devastation caused by the cyclone Idai in Mozambique, Zimbabwe and Malawi.
- The growing humanitarian crisis' in Venezuela, Yemen and other war torn states.

Stations of the Cross

The pictures have been put up around the Church. The title of each picture can be found on the card on the window cill near Station 1, which is on the South Wall next to the Kitchen.

This week's notices:

DISASTERS EMERGENCY COMMITTEE. This Sunday and on the two next Sundays we shall be holding a retiring collection for the victims of Cyclone Idai – the people affected across Mozambique, Malawi and Zambia. Please contribute if you can. If you wish the DEC to claim gift aid, please use a yellow envelope and mark it DEC.

THE LENT COURSE – *Explore the Big Story* continues on Wednesday morning at 11:30 and is then repeated at 7:30pm. All welcome.

HELPING YOUNG READERS AT ST ANDREW'S SCHOOL The school would like volunteers who are available to hear Year 2 children (aged 6-7) read every Friday between 2:30-3:00pm. Volunteers will need a DSBS check. Please to talk to Alison Wilde if you can help.

TRIP TO CHARTWELL Jenny Vickers is organising an outing to Chartwell and then on to Emmetts Gardens on 15th May. If you would like to join the trip please let Jenny know.

MOTHERS' UNION - The next MU meeting is on Thursday 28th March at 2pm in Church Gate House. Our speaker will be Helen Morgan on New Zealand and the Christchurch Earthquakes. Visitors are always welcome. MU Corporate Communion is on Friday 29th March at 10.30am followed by coffee.

SPRING GARDEN CLEAR UP We will be meeting next Saturday morning (30th). Adults only with power tools between 8:30 – 10:30am. Everyone welcome to help from 10:30am (no power tools to be used after 10:30am). Refreshments will be available. Do help if you can to make the Church Yard and gardens ready for Easter.

ANNUAL PAROCHIAL CHURCH MEETING. The APCM will be held in Church Gate House at 8.00 pm on Friday 12 April. This will be an opportunity to catch up with all that is going on in St Andrew's.

PAROCHIAL CHURCH COUNCIL (PCC). There are a number of vacancies on the PCC. Do consider whether you would care to join and play a part in considering and often deciding the issues which arise in running the Church. To get an election form or to find out what is involved please have a word with me or send me a message at leonard@johnb8on.plus.com. Leonard Beighton.

MOTHERING SUNDAY On the 31st we have a family service for Mothering Sunday, when we hope to be joined by families from the school. If you are able to contribute to the flowers please leave your donation in the basket on the table by the door.

BIBLE BACKPACKERS, HOLIDAY CLUB running between 9th – 11th April. Lots of fun activities, crafts, songs and games following some great bible journeys. Spaces will be limited so please book early with Esther or Elaine.

THE FOOD BANK Demand is still high and the team would be most grateful for donations of: Tinned vegetables (not sweetcorn or pulses please), Tinned fruit, Children's toothpaste, Chocolate spread, Adult tooth paste, Biscuits (sweet), Snacks (sweet & savoury), Deodorant (male & female), Shaving foam and Washing up liquid.

MAGAZINE DONATION If you have not yet given your annual donation, £13, towards the cost of our magazine, kindly use a green envelope from the rack near the church door - to be put in the plate or sent to the Treasurer. Our thanks to all who have already donated.
Editor

Sunday 31st March – Mothering Sunday (4th Sunday of Lent)

8am Holy Communion Presiding & Preaching: Mike Branscombe	10am Family Service Leading: Esther Holley Talking: Mike Branscombe	6pm Evensong Presiding: Godfrey Hilliard
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Upcoming Events

Monday 25 th	8pm	St Andrew's Prayer Meeting
Tuesday 26 th	9am 8pm	Morning Prayer PCC Meeting
Wednesday 27 th	9am 10:30am 11:30-1pm	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Lent Course (3 of 5) Repeated at 7:30pm
Thursday 28 th	2pm 3:45pm	Mothers' Union Messy Church - <i>Kindness</i>
Friday 29 th	10:30am	Holy Communion
Saturday 30 th	Morning	Spring Garden Clear Up!
Sunday 31 st	8am 10am	Holy Communion Family Service – Mothering Sunday
Tuesday 2 nd April	9am	Morning Prayer
Wednesday 3 rd	9am 10:30am 11:30-1pm	Morning Prayer Baby Talk Lent Course (4 of 5) Repeated at 7:30pm
Friday 5 th	10:30am	Holy Communion
Sunday 7 th	8am 10am 7:30pm	Holy Communion Parish Communion Maiastra Concert – String Quartet
Tuesday 9 th	9am 10am - 12	Morning Prayer Day 1 of Holiday Club – <i>Backpackers</i>