

30th April

3rd Sunday of Easter

Welcome to St Andrew's!

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. 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

SAY It's Sunday youth group for year 6 and above meet at 6pm in Church Gate House.

14+ Youth group meets on Wednesday evening at 7pm in Church Gate House.

Refreshments

Tea & Coffee will be served after the 10am service by Jill Newman and Patricia Olokose in Church Gate House. Please do join us.

8am Holy Communion

Presiding and Preaching:
 Folli Olokose
 Intercessor: Clergy
 Readers: Tanya Hall

10am Parish Communion

Presiding: Charleen Hollington
 Preaching: Folli Olokose
 Intercessor: Michael Elson
 Readers: Geoff Morris and Moni Babatunde

6pm Evensong at St Mary's

Preaching: Peter Vickers

Friday 5th May 10:30am

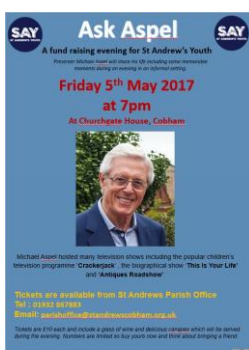
Holy Communion
 Preaching: Peter Vickers

ASK ASPEL

Friday 5th May

7pm

Tickets to include refreshments
 £10 from the office



This week's prayers and readings:

Service Booklets:

8am: Easter Booklet (E)

10am: Easter Booklet (H)

Readings:

8am & 10am

Acts 2:14a, 36-41 (NT 127)

1 Peter 1:17-23 (NT 249)

Luke 24:13-35 (NT 96)

INDIVIDUAL PRAYER

The Prayer Team is available to pray with you during and after communion. If you would welcome prayer on an individual concern for yourself or someone else. Or to give thanks for prayers answered. Please do join us in the back corner of the Church.

Collect

Risen Christ,
you filled your disciples
with boldness and fresh hope
Strengthen us to proclaim
your risen life
And fill us with your peace
To the glory of God the Father
Amen

Praying For:

- Charleen and Folli as they lead our services today. Pray that God will speak to us through their words as we worship together.
- All those reading and leading the prayers during the services today.
- Those involved in Kids' Church today.

Pastoral/Church

- Paul Ramsey and Anita Hawkes who were married here yesterday.
- Those in our congregation who are ill or lonely.
- The Church Wardens & Clergy with their increased responsibilities during the Interregnum.
- For the team writing the parish profile that they are able to discern and reflect God's vision.
- The residents of Ashcroft Park, Benfleet Close, Fairmile Court and Woodpecker Close.
- For the members of the Giving Committee and our own response to being good stewards of God's blessings to each one of us.
- For the members of the Administration & Finance Committee exercising financial prudence with donated monies.
- For peace and diplomacy in international relations.

A VACANCY PRAYER

God our father, you have welcomed each one of us in Jesus and called us to be His Body in this place; Send us your Holy Spirit, at this time of uncertainty and change, to fill us with vision, energy and faithfulness in prayer, that we may be true to our calling to bring new life to our community; And guide with your heavenly wisdom those who are to choose a new Rector for this Benefice, that the one whom we receive may be a wise and gentle shepherd of your people: ready to serve us with joy, to build us up in faith and to lead us by example in loving obedience to your son, our Saviour, Jesus Christ.

This week's notices:

THANK YOU to everyone who help yesterday with the Church Yard and garden clear up.

FOLLI OLOKOSE IS MOVING TO ST MARY'S OATLANDS

If you would like to write brief reflections on Folli's ministry in St Andrew's and St Mary's, please send them to the Editor by Wednesday 10th May for inclusion in the June issue of "Together". Contact details on page 2 of magazine.

LEAVING GIFT FOR FOLLI if you would like to contribute to a gift for Folli after the amazing four years he has spent at St Andrew's please let the office or one of the Church Wardens have your contribution.

CHURCH WATCHERS NEEDED To Join the team organised by Eileen Ranger, which keeps the church open for visitors. Sessions are 2 hours once a month, on Tuesday, Wednesday, Friday or Saturday. Contact Eileen for details on 01932 700762 as soon as possible.

ST ANDREW'S SCHOOL MAY FAIR on May 6th between 12 - 3pm with a 'Beach Party' theme. More details on the poster.

TRIP TO WADDES DON MANOR The Mothers' Union have a space available on their trip to Waddesdon Manor on 1st June. If you would like to join them please contact Jenny Vickers on 01932 862497

THY KINGDOM COME St Andrew's is committed to praying during the 10 days of *Thy Kingdom Come*, from Ascension Day to Pentecost. Details of the local programme are being finalised and will be available very shortly. The national programme has many great resources for families and individuals to use in this special week of prayer.

Details available from:

www.thykingdomcome.global/prayerresources

DATE FOR YOUR DIARIES Please save the date for the Folli's farewell and Church BBQ on Sunday 11th June.

ASK ASPEL evening on the 5th May at 7pm. Tickets, £10 to include light refreshments are available from the office

THE FOOD BANK would be grateful for donations of UHT Juice or Squash, UHT Milk, Toilet rolls, Tinned fish, Instant coffee, Tinned custard, Biscuits, Sugar 0.5kg, Tinned tomatoes, Tinned vegetables (preferably not pulses) and Disposable razors

COBHAM BOWLING CLUB in Lushington Drive have open day on Saturday 13th May at 2:30pm. Open to all from older children upwards. Everything provided just wear flat shoes.

COBHAM BAND a concert of favourite pieces from stage, screen and musicals. 7:30pm on Saturday 13th May at the Village Hall. Tickets available from www.thecobhamband.org and the Cobham bookshop.

Sunday (7th May – 4th Sunday of Easter)

8am Holy Communion Presiding & Preaching: Peter Vickers	10am Family Service Presiding: Folli Olokose Preaching: Faith & Social Action Committee	6pm Evensong Preaching: Hugh Bryant
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Upcoming Events

Wednesday 3 rd May	9am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Baby Talk
	7pm	14+ Youth Group
Friday 5 th	10:30am	Holy Communion
	7pm	ASK ASPEL (tickets from the office)
Sunday 7 th	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Family Service – Do this for me!
	6pm	SAY It's Sunday Youth Group
Monday 8 th	8pm	Vacancy Prayer Meeting (CGH – Lounge)
Tuesday 9 th	9am	Morning Prayer
	8pm	PCC
Wednesday 10 th	9am	Morning Prayer
	10:30am	Baby Talk
	7pm	14+ Youth Group
Thursday 11 th	2:30pm	T4U afternoon tea
Friday 12 th	10:30am	Holy Communion
	12noon	Lunch Club
Sunday 14 th	8am	Holy Communion
	10am	Parish Communion
	6pm	SAY It's Sunday Youth Group
Friday 19 th	10:30am	Holy Communion
	7pm	Men's Curry & Conversation