

St Andrew's Hall

Today is the last chance to collect your lost property from the Hall cloakrooms before items are taken to Oxfam. If you have lost something which you think might be there, please could you track it down before Monday morning? Thank you.

Meanwhile, Hall events and activities continue unabated. See the Hall notice board at the back of church or visit www.standrews-hall.co.uk for details, or give Eleanor a ring on 301650.

A History of St Andrew's in 100 objects: the prayer niche

The area towards the front of the south aisle has in the last year become a special place for prayer: the candle (or 'pricket') stand has been moved there, next to a niche in the wall where there are flowers, a bible and a small basket where people can (and do) leave prayer requests, which are offered up especially at Morning Prayer on Fridays.

The niche itself was created in the major church restoration of 1880 and was one of many little nooks and crannies - such as the nearby double piscina (used for washing the communion vessels in medieval times) - filled in and plastered over, centuries ago. It is part of an arched tomb, similar to the one behind the choir on the north side. Very often such tombs commemorated the person who founded the chapel or aisle in which they are situated.

If you would like a copy of the notice sheet e-mailed to you, please send an e-mail request to the Parish Administrator.

A large print version is available at the back of the Church

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ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

*A thriving, open and welcoming church community
for all ages*

www.standrews-chesterton.org.uk

17th October 2010

WELCOME to St Andrew's today.

..for St Luke's, the **Family Service** will include anointing and the laying on of hands for healing.

There will be a longer opportunity for prayer for healing at this evening's **Healing Eucharist** at 6.30pm (which will have an Iona flavour).

Today is the second in our series, *A History of St Andrew's in 100 Objects*—which went countywide on Friday when Nick appeared on Radio Cambridgeshire to talk about it!

After the 10am service there will be all-age football on the rec—all are welcome. WE will also be waving off those embarking on the **Azul Wasi Sponsored Cycle Ride**. There is a sponsor sheet at the back of the church, or you can sponsor online at <http://www.justgiving.com/bluehousecycle>.

The **Minims** (singing group for 5 to 7-year olds) meets in church, 4-4.45pm. All welcome. Contact: David and Linda Stollwerck Boulton, 526007.

If you would like to know more about life at St Andrew's, please fill in one of the 'Welcome' cards in the pews and hand it in to one of the clergy.

Today: Eve of St Luke

8.00am Holy Communion (1662)
10.00am Family Service: anointing
and laying on of hands
11.15am Matins
4.00pm Minims singing group*
6.30pm Evensong

Monday - Friday

8.15am Morning Prayer
(N.B. 9am on Tuesday)

Monday (Luke the Evangelist)

10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)
8.00pm Bible study group*

Tuesday

12.30pm Holy Communion (Hall)
followed by a
bring-and-share lunch

Wednesday

10.30am Midweek Break:
housegroup for parents
with young children

Thursday

10.00am Church Mice: for babies,
toddlers, parents and
carers (Hall)
7.15pm Alpha Course (Hall)

Friday

9.30am Bible study group*
5.00pm Vespers and Vigil

Sunday, 24th October:

Last Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (1662)
10.00am Parish Communion
5.00pm Message in the Movies*

*For details, see overleaf

Please include the following in your prayers:

- Among the sick and grieving, Alison Hughes, Diana Blackwood Murray, Janet Wheeler, Barry Eaden, Betty and Gordon Borley
- The ministry of healing at St Andrew's and the team led by Pam Lumsden
- Those attending the Alpha course
- Bishop Stephen Conway (who is to be our new bishop)
- The North Cambridge Council of Churches, meeting this week
- **RIP** Leonard Moss, Ruth Lee, Margaret Sondergaard

This week...

The new **Bible Study Group** meets on **Monday evening** (8-9.30pm) or **Friday morning** (9.30-10.30pm) at 71 Humberstone Rd. It is looking at a series of Bible characters from the Old and New Testaments.. You don't have to come every week Any questions to Dorothy Peyton Jones (523485, dorothy@ntlworld.com)

Next Sunday...

Junior Church meets next Sunday. Come along to the Hall at 9.50am for a prompt 10am start.

On **Sunday 24th October** 'Message in the Movies' returns, 5pm ('til 8.15 max.) in the Hall. We'll follow a slightly different format from previous 'movies' evenings, this time watching a whole film, following that with a simple supper and discussion, and ending with night prayer. This month's film will be Groundhog Day (PG): all adults and young people welcome. For more details, please speak to Sarah or Peter Abrey, or Eleanor or Steve at the Hall.

There will be no evening service in church.

Coming up at St Andrew's....

The next meeting of the **Pub group** will be on **Friday 29th October**, from 8pm at the Old Spring.

NORTH CAMBRIDGE
COUNCIL OF CHURCHES

**GOODIES &
BADDIES PARTY**

A CHILDREN'S
CELEBRATION
OF ALL HALLOW'S EVE

(AKA HALLOWE'EN;
HALLOWS=HOLY ONES=SAINTS!)

COME IN FANCY DRESS AS YOUR
FAVOURITE GOODIE OR BADDIE,
BRING A TORCH AND A PUMPKIN
LANTERN IF YOU CAN
AND GET READY FOR SOME
SUPER SAINTLY FUN!

ST ANDREW'S HALL
(ending in the church) 3.30 - 5pm

The next **Thinking our Faith** evening will be on **Wednesday 3 November** at Chesterton House, 7.30pm. The speaker will be our Rural Dean, the Revd Dr John Binns. He is an expert on the church in Ethiopia—whose expression of Christianity has very early roots but is quite different from our own. His title is *Why worship? A conversation with Ethiopian Christianity*.

On **Sunday 7 November** is our annual All Soulside **Time to Remember** service, at 4pm (no Evensong). All are welcome to come and remember loved ones; names are read out, candles lit, flowers laid. And there's a cup of tea afterwards to share with others. Special invitations go out to

those we know who have been bereaved in the last few years.

On **Remembrance Sunday (14 November)** the 10am morning service will not include Communion—and is intended to be welcoming to those who may not be regular churchgoers. In the evening, the season of remembering concludes with a Eucharist at which New Voices will be singing Fauré's Requiem.

St Andrew's News

£1,205.98 was raised for Christian Aid at Harvest Festival services.

The Youth Choir concert raised £205 for Classic FM's Music Makers charity.

The **House group** would welcome new members. It now meets on alternate Tuesdays at 83 Hertford Street, the home of Caroline Fisher (07761 478 412). For more information, please contact Helen Druiff on 572828.

Simple Suppers in aid of the Sherley-Cripps Children's Home, Harare, at Chesterton House, 7pm: Tuesday, 19th October, Wednesday, 27th October, Thursday, 11th November, Monday, 22nd November. 2 courses, wine and coffee - £10. To book, please ring Lorna and Derek, 356243.

PCC News

1. A decision has been made to fund a stipend position of **Children's and Families' Minister**. Victoria Goodman has kindly accepted this role. Anyone wishing to contribute to this particular **fund**, please contact Simon Peyton-Jones, our Treasurer.
2. Discussions about **the church development project** are ongoing. Tenders have been received for the refurbishment of our windows. Plans are made to create space for access either to the chancel or disabled toilets using the current **organ area** as part of our church development project.

Suggestions for relocating, rebuilding or even replacing the organ are being investigated.

3. Trevor Thorn, the former Development Director of Ridley Hall, has been asked to assist us to help us see a bigger picture and move the project forward.

Other News & Notices

Chesterton Methodist Church: Coffee mornings 1st and 3rd Tuesdays, 9am - 12pm.

Quiet Days at Lode Chapel led by Rev Tricia Troughton, **Saturday 6th November** - 'Life In All Its Fullness', **Saturday 4th December** - 'Freedom & Joy Time': 10am – 4pm, Venue: Lode Chapel, High Street, Lode, CB25 9EW. Cost: £15 per day or £40 for all three (includes tea, coffee & simple lunch). For more details contact: Rev Simon Goddard on 812881, Rev Tricia Troughton on 521786 or send an email to quietdays@lodechapel.org.uk. Registration forms at back of church and poster on notice board.

Motivate 2010: 22nd to 24th October run by YFC/Scripture Union: fabulous residential weekend for years 7-9. All meals, church floor accommodation and a packed programme for £32! Find out more at www.cambridgeyfc.com/motivate, mail@cambridgeyfc.com or 727452.

Annual Celebration of Wholeness and Healing, Saturday 13th November, 9.30am-4pm, Ely Methodist Church. See poster at the back of church for full details.

Home for Christmas? Would you share your festivities with an international student at a UK university who might otherwise be stuck on an empty campus? HOST is looking for invitations for 2 or 3 days for students from China and many other countries. Hosting makes a worthwhile contribution to international goodwill. Please see www.hostuk.org or call HOST's regional organiser Mandy Talbott on 01472 851084.