

This is the year that our church **electoral roll** starts from scratch, so everyone signs up again or for the first time. Existing members will be notified and should return their forms. Forms for new members are at the back of church—do take one.

## Other News & Notices

Stuart Wood, the chaplain of Cambridge Utd, has booked **Linvoy Primus** (ex-professional footballer with Portsmouth FC) to come and share the story of his faith journey. The event will be held at Cambridge United FC on **Monday 15 April**. There will be tables of 10 available to book – ideally, from an organisation point of view, he would much rather a Church book a whole table. The evening will include at least a 2-course meal, the bar will be open, there will hopefully be a sporting quiz and then Linvoy. It would be a great opportunity to invite people who might be interested in hearing a footballer talking about their faith. Have a word with Nick if interested.

The **food4food café** has a special Easter menu this week, Tuesday - Thursday (Main: Rosemary, lemon and honey-roast chicken or nut roast (v) served with herby new potatoes, green beans and baby carrots. Dessert: Summer Fruit Tart. Tea or coffee. £8 per person.) Bookings are being taken on 07825 234921 or email [rachelnewell@wintercomfort.org.uk](mailto:rachelnewell@wintercomfort.org.uk).

**Forming a Christian mind: Connecting faith and scholarship to glorify God** is a *Cambridge Papers* Conference for postgrads and other Christian professionals who want to strengthen the connections between their academic discipline and their faith. It is on **Saturday 20 April** 2-6pm at Eden Baptist Church, Fitzroy Street. Free – further details and registration at [www.jubilee-centre.org/jubilee/news.php](http://www.jubilee-centre.org/jubilee/news.php)

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There is a list of PCC Members at the back of the church.

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



# ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

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

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## 24 March 2013

Welcome to St Andrew's on Palm Sunday.

Due to the low temperature the 10am service will not begin outside so please take your pew as normal. Would children and accompanying parents please gather at the back of the south aisle (the far side) ready to take part in a procession round the church.

This evening New Voices are leading the music at a service of music and readings on the Passion (including a full reading of the Passion from St Luke).

Do come along to as many of the Holy Week services as you can and enter into the drama of Christ entering Jerusalem and moving towards the Cross.

Don't forget to bring to the Easter vigil and All-age Communion on Easter Day something with which to make a loud and celebratory noise (whistle, rattle, drum, trumpet...)

*'He emptied himself, taking  
the form of a slave, being  
born in human likeness.'*

**Philippians 2.7**

### Today, Palm Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00am Parish Communion,  
beginning outside (if fine)  
6.30pm Passion Service

### Monday-Friday

8.15am Morning Prayer (9am Tues)

### Monday

10.00am Holy Communion at Chesterton  
House followed by coffee and  
prayer group  
10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)

### Tuesday-Thursday, 12-2pm

food4food community café

### Tuesday

12.15pm Holy Communion in Church  
followed by lunch at the  
food4food café

### Maundy Thursday

9.00am Church Mice: for babies,  
-11.15am toddlers and carers (Hall)  
6.30pm Last Supper, Eucharist & Watch

### Good Friday

See full details on page 3

### Easter Eve

8.00pm Lighting of the New Fire,  
Baptism & Easter Vigil

### Easter Day

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00am All-age Communion  
6.30pm Choral Evensong

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### Please pray for:

- Among the sick, housebound or recovering: Alison Hughes, Betty and Gordon Borley, Harry Holroyd, Benjamin Black, Betty Jennings, Bishop Stephen, Paul Clarkson
- Those preparing for Baptism & Confirmation at St Andrew's
- Development projects in both Church and Hall
- Our seeking a new Director of Music following Chris's retirement in the summer
- The Parish Weekend at Belsey Bridge (12-14 April)
- **RIP** Hilda Parker, Audrey Andlaw

## This week

All the services for Holy Week are listed opposite.

We are keeping **Monday** as a day of prayer—can you spare an hour to pop into church to pray? There are slots between 8am and 10pm. Please sign up at the back of church.

On **Maundy Thursday** we will be sharing a simple meal around the table (a big one!) in the Hall and including Communion (led by Tricia) - in the spirit of the Last Supper. Please sign up on the list at the back of church (and in the Hall) if you would like to come. It starts at 6.30pm and wraps up by about 8.15pm when those who want to move into the church for an hour's vigil, following Jesus into the Garden of Gethsemane. Any volunteers for washing up or helping set up beforehand (to Adrian, Tricia or Nick please)?

Our observance of Good Friday begins with a short (30 mins) ecumenical all-age service at Chesterton Methodist Church at 11am, followed by coffee and hot cross buns. At

12 noon we gather outside and after a hymn and a prayer we process back to St Andrew's (carrying the wooden cross). This is an important act of witness on Good Friday—do join us. Back at St Andrew's our all-age act of worship will involve a journey around five stations of the cross where there will be a story, an activity and a prayer. There will be craft activities for children in the Hall afterwards (and refreshments). At 2pm we will conclude with an hour of hymns, readings and reflections (led by Nick). You are invited to join in parts or all of this—or even dip in and out!

All are welcome to come and help prepare the **Easter garden on Holy Saturday**—Easter Eve—at 2pm.

The **Easter Vigil** on Saturday night begins in the dark of the evening with the lighting of the new fire and the new paschal candle (outside); we then process into church by candlelight and settle into a vigil of readings and music before breaking into celebration. There will be an adult baptism this year and the chance to renew our own baptism vows. Finally, we gather around the Lord's Table to celebrate the first Eucharist of Easter. And at the end, you are invited to stay on for a well-deserved glass of something!

## In April

The **Parish Weekend** will soon be upon us (**12-14 April**). We have 76 people going to Belsey Bridge, including 19 children and young people, and a small contingent from St George's—whose vicar, Ruth Adams will be our speaker. Mary Alwood has organised a special programme for the young people (with their own visiting speaker, Rachel Storey). Victoria will be leading the children's programme.

On the very next day St Andrew's will be hosting our deanery **Confirmation** service (**Monday 15 April, 7.30pm**). There will be

five candidates from St Andrew's—do pray for them and come and support them on the night.

Our church's **annual meeting** will be on Sunday 21 April—reflected in the service but with the business part at 11.20am in church. There will be a bring and share lunch in the Hall afterwards.

## St Andrew's News & Notices

If you would like to give a donation towards the cost of the **Easter lilies** in memory of a loved one, please put your donation in an envelope, together with the names of the persons to be remembered, and hand it to one of the churchwardens, Maureen Ling, or another member of the Flower Group. Thank you from the Flower Group.

There will be no new pewsheets on the two Sundays after Easter (7 & 14 April) so do get any notices to us this week please.

As several members are involved in Lent groups in March, the next meeting of the **book group** has been postponed to **Tuesday 16 April**, at 8pm, and will now be at the home of Ewa Allen, 42 Hawthorn Way. The book we will be discussing is '*To be delivered in the event of my death: Ten Letters*', by Chris Russell. As always, new or occasional members are very welcome, but please let Ewa know if you are planning to come (tel. 367351).

There is an urgent request for sidespeople for 4th Sundays 10am as part of a team so you don't necessarily need do every month. You'd need to arrive about 9.30am and leave after some clearing up. Full on the job training is given.

Additional sidespeople help is needed for 11.30am All-age worship & 2pm on Good Friday, 8pm Easter Vigil on Easter Eve, Sat 30 March, and 6.30pm on Easter Sunday 31 March. Offers please to the churchwardens or Patricia Abrey.

## Readings for Daily Prayer

Monday	Luke 20.1-26
Tuesday	Luke 20.27-21.4
Wednesday	Luke 21.5-38
Thursday	Luke 22.1-65
Friday	Luke 22.66-23.56

Next Sunday's readings:  
Acts 10.34-43 John 20.1-18

## Services for Holy Week & Easter

### Palm Sunday, 24 March

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am	Procession of Palms & Parish Communion <i>beginning in the churchyard</i>
6.30pm	A Meditation on the Passion (music & readings)

### Tuesday 26 March

12.15pm	Holy Communion
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### Maundy Thursday, 28 March

6.30pm	Last Supper, Eucharist & Watch
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### Good Friday

11.00am	All-age Service at Chesterton Methodists <i>followed by drinks, hot cross buns</i>
12 noon	Open air service & Procession to St Andrew's
12.30pm	All-age worship and Prayer stations
1.00pm	Silent Hour (children's crafts in Hall)
2.00pm	The Last Hour (Hymns, Readings & Prayers)

### Easter Eve

8.00pm	Lighting of the New Fire, Baptism & Easter Vigil
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### Easter Day

8.00am	Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am	All-Age Communion
6.30pm	Choral Evensong