

(Church Urban Fund, Children's Society) and stigma for those with mental health problems (MIND's Time to Change campaign). Internationally we have supported organisations serving those in major crises (Christian Aid for Northern Iraq and South Sudan, Disasters Emergency Committee Ebola appeal), providing education and home for disadvantaged children (Free a Dalit Child in India, Shearly Cripps Orphanage in Zimbabwe, Azul Wasi Orphanage in Peru), sharing Jesus' love through missions (Church Mission Society), and protecting biodiversity (A Rocha International). We have also supported a member of our congregation who volunteered for USPG helping in schools and a church in Belize. We are thankful for the tireless work done by people from these organizations, and the lives they transform by the grace of God. Sharon Neufeld

## Other news

### Doorkeepers required:

Do you enjoy chatting to people? Are you interested in history? Would you like more opportunities to share your faith? We are looking for more people to volunteer as Doorkeepers at the Round Church, to help keep this incredible building open to the public. If you think you can help, contact

**English lessons for adults:** We try to encourage Christian values of patience, tolerance and understanding amongst our learners and hope to give them more confidence so they can take a more active role in their local community. You are welcome to come along anytime! <http://www.esolcafe.co.uk>

### Some Contacts at St Andrew's

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# ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

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## 3 May 2015

Welcome to St Andrew's.

Our church calendar for May to August is now available—do pick one up from the back of church.

This afternoon 'Creative church' is at 3.30pm—an informal service that includes prayer stations and craft activity. This evening's service will be at St George's and will have the flavour of the Corrymeela community of Northern Ireland.

*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.*

*Work on the new disabled toilet continues, but there is now access to the Hall toilets via the new door from the Hall garden—please ask a sidesperson.*

*We do have gluten-free wafers available for Communion—please speak to one of the sidespeople at the back.*

**'I am the true vine, you are the branches.'**

*John 15.5*

### This Sunday, 5th Sunday of Easter

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00am All-age Communion  
3.30pm Creative church  
5.30pm YO!CFC (youth group)  
6.30pm United Service at St George's

### Monday

9.30am Morning Prayer (Hall)  
10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)

### Tuesday-Friday, 12-2pm

food4food café

### Tuesday

9.30am Morning Prayer (Hall)  
12.15pm Holy Communion  
followed by lunch at the food4food café

### Wednesday

8.15am Morning Prayer (Hall)

### Thursday

8.15am Morning Prayer (Hall)  
9.00am- Church Mice for babies, toddlers  
11.15am and carers (Hall)  
7.30pm PCC

### Friday

9.30am Morning Prayer (Hall)

### Next Sunday, 6th Sunday of Easter

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00am Sung Eucharist  
6.30pm Iona Service for Christian Aid week

### Please pray for:

- The appointment of a new youth worker/pastoral assistant and communications officer/assistant parish administrator
- Our new PCC, meeting on Thursday
- The continuing building works
- Thursday's General Election & local elections
- Among the sick, housebound or recovering: Alison Hughes, Pam Fry, Ian Ferguson
- **RIP** Ronald Abraham, Barbara Reynolds

### This week

Nick is continuing his **History of Christianity** course for Open Mind on **Wednesday**, 10-11.30am, in the Hall.

The summer edition of *Chesterton News* will be collated on **Thursday** (NB not Tuesday as previously advertised), 2.30pm, in the Hall. Do come along—it not only helps but it's quite a jolly hour!

### Coming up

The **Friends of St Andrew's AGM** will be held on Ascension Day, **Thursday 14 May**, after Evensong. If you would like to join The Friends, please ask me or Patricia Abrey for more details. John Reynolds

The next **Hard Questions** evening will be at Robin and Gill Bickerstaffe's, 9 Cheney Way, CB4 1UE, on **Friday 15 May**. The Hard Question will be - "Are the old failing the young?"

Eleanor has invited **Umbrella Group** members to her house in St Neots for our next meeting on **Monday 18 May**. If you haven't already given your name to Pat

Reed and would like to go, please phone her on 01954 202746.

The next book group meeting will be on **Tuesday 19 May**, at 8 pm, at the home of Ewa Allen (42 Hawthorn Way, tel. 367351). We will be discussing *Timbuctu* by Paul Auster. The book is a fantasy based on the life of Mr Bones, canine companion to one Willy G. Christmas, a Brooklyn-born poet who has fallen down on his luck. One reviewer has said 'Auster gives us in this short novel all that humanity desires: love, friendship and happiness'. As always, new and occasional members are most welcome.

### Two new jobs

St Andrew's is looking to appoint to two paid roles in the coming month, one for a year but full-time (potentially) and one permanent but part-time.

The first role is that of a **youth worker & pastoral assistant**. The lead part of this role is to develop our church's work with and for young people (14 hours per week), but –given the right person—we are able to make this up to a full-time role by including a pastoral assistant brief that includes work amongst older people and assisting the Hall manager.

The second role is that of **communications officer** (and assistant parish administrator). This is a part-time role (6 hours per week).

Those appointed will have an office base in the Hall and will be part of the Church staff team that works with the Hall team in serving our local community. Full details are available on the church website: [www.standrews-chesterton.org](http://www.standrews-chesterton.org).

Informal approaches to Nick are welcome. St Andrew's operates an equal opportunities policy and is committed to appointing the person who is best able to

meet the brief.

### Christian Aid Week, 10-16 May

Material for regular collectors is at the back of church today.

*Margaret*

### St Andrew's News & Notices

The existing sidespeople would appreciate additional support at 10am services on 1<sup>st</sup> and 3<sup>rd</sup> Sundays to start as soon as possible. It involves arriving about 9.30am and staying until things are cleared up at the end, greeting people with a smile and following some simple instructions once a month or as arranged with the rest of your "team". Please speak to a sidesperson, Patricia Abrey or a churchwarden for more details. Thanks. 30 healthy cherry tomato plants, now over 12" or 30cm tall, for sale in aid of the Friends of St Andrews for £1 each. Please place orders with Patricia Abrey [patriciaabrey@ntlworld.com](mailto:patriciaabrey@ntlworld.com) on a 1st come, 1st served basis.

### Lyn's House

The residents of Lyn's House are a community of four Christian women and men who, together with a wide circle of friends, are providing hospitality and building friendships with people with learning disabilities in and around Cambridge. We are inspired by the worldwide L'Arche movement and seek to provide a hospitable environment where people with different gifts and vulnerabilities can come together. We build friendships by having everything from tea parties to film nights, and regular times to pray and eat together. Guests are welcome to attend on their own, or with their parents or carers.

We are looking for new residents for September 2015. All the residents have full

programmes of work or study outside the house, and pay a market rent.

We share food, laughter and prayer two evenings a week, one Sunday afternoon a month, and the occasional 'film night' with 8-10 people with learning disabilities.

All the residents meet weekly as a community for planning and sharing.

If you would like more information, we would love to hear from you! You would be welcome to come along for an evening event to see how it all works. Please do email our supporters Revd James Gardom ([itdg2@cam.ac.uk](mailto:itdg2@cam.ac.uk)) or Revd Debbie Ford ([deborahford@gmail.com](mailto:deborahford@gmail.com))

### Mission & giving news

With St Andrews' annual meeting having just taken place, it is a good opportunity to give our thanks and prayers for the charitable organisations we have been able to support in 2014. Locally, we have supported organisations which meet physical (Cambridge Foodbank, Wintercomfort) and financial need (Money Advice Centre), give social support to young people (Romsey Mill Transitions programme), unite churches for community action (Hope Cambridge), and aid those in difficulty late at night (Street Pastors). National causes we have supported work to end poverty

### Readings for Daily Prayer

Monday,	1 Peter 1.1-12
Tuesday	1 Peter 1.13-end
Wednesday	1 Peter 2.1-10
Thursday	1 Peter 2.11-end
Friday	1 Peter 3.1-12
Saturday	1 Peter 3.13-end

Readings for Sunday:  
am: Acts 10.44-end 1 John 5.1-6 John 15.9-17