

site .We will be holding a free certified course during the day which people can then add to their CV, along with an interview to each person who attends, as well as a chance to speak to members of our brilliant team and some of the people we currently support. We will also have lots of yummy cakes and refreshments! I look forward to hearing from you if you think you can possibly help?

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16 September 2018

Welcome to St Andrew's Church. This morning we are delighted to have Chris Naylor with us, who will be speaking about the work of A Rocha, a Christian charity working for the protection and restoration of the natural world (see inside for more information). Our collections (all loose cash and any gift aid envelopes marked 'A Rocha') will be going to A Rocha today. Please give generously.

There will be a short service of Communion following the Family Service, and Informal worship with Communion at 5.30pm.

Everyone is very welcome to stay for coffee in the hall after the service.

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

Please ask a sidesperson at the back for access to the toilet.

'The cow and the bear shall graze, their young shall lie down together; and the lion shall eat straw like the ox.'

Isaiah 11.7

Today, 16th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am Family Service
11.00am Short Communion
5.30pm Informal worship with Communion, followed by YO CFC youth group

Monday

8.30am Morning Prayer
10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)
5.45pm Deeper Discussion Group for 16-18s (Hall)
7.30pm Hall Committee meeting (Hall)

Tuesday

8.30am Morning Prayer
10.30am Art and the Bible Story (Annexe)
12 - 2pm Food4Food Café (Hall)
12.15pm Holy Communion
5.00pm Youth small group for 13-15s (10 Lynfield Lane)

Wednesday

8.30am Morning Prayer

Thursday

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9.15am- Church Mice for babies,
11.15am toddlers and carers (Hall)

Friday

8.30am Morning Prayer
4.00pm Evening Prayer and Vigil

Sunday 23 Sept, 17th after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am Parish Communion
10.00am Junior Church (Hall)
5.30pm Choral Evensong

**see inside*

Items for potential inclusion in the next pewsheet should be sent to admin@ by Wednesday please.

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

Regular at St Andrew's? Please consider joining our giving scheme if you haven't already—talk to Simon PJ (523485), giving@standrews-chesterton.org.

Please pray for:

- A Rocha, today's Gift Day charity, who work for the environment
- Luna Burleigh-Smart, being baptised this afternoon
- Amongst the sick and those recovering: Ian Ferguson, Jean Barrington-Ward
- RIP: Fred Hills

Today...

is a **Gift day** in aid of A Rocha. A Rocha UK is a Christian charity working for the protection and restoration of the natural world. We are delighted that Chris Naylor is speaking at our Family service. Chris has been Executive Director of A Rocha since April 2010. He joined A Rocha in 1997 working, until 2009, as Lebanon Director where he co-founded the work. He oversaw the habitat restoration programme at the Aammaq marsh, the development of the environmental education project and the field research programme, identifying 11 new Important Bird Areas nationally. Prior to joining A Rocha, Chris had a wide experience of science teaching and schools' management in the UK and the Middle East, attending Bible College and learning Arabic (in Jordan) along the way. Chris has written a book, Postcards from the Middle East: How our family fell in love with the Arab world was published by Lion Hudson in March 2015. There is a video of him talking about his work in Lebanon on <https://vimeo.com/137807328>. Please give generously. We will accept gifts for the next couple of Sundays. Please mark them 'A Rocha'.

This week

'Art and the Bible Story' is on **Tuesday**, 10.30am in the Hall annexe. We will be using pictures from the National Gallery as well as passages from Scripture as the

starting point for our reflections and discussions. We meet on alternate Tuesdays. Everyone is very welcome even if you are not able to come along to every session.

The **Umbrella Group Tea** will be held at the Arundel Hotel on **Thursday** at 3pm. The Tea must be ordered beforehand. If you would like to join us but haven't ordered please let Ursula or Pat Reed know.

Coming up...

We are gathering a team of adults and young people from St Andrew's to complete a **BESOM project on Sunday 30 September**, likely from 2-6pm. The BESOM is a local Christian charity that arranges practical projects (usually gardening or painting) for church groups to serve someone who needs it in their local community. Due to the nature of these social projects, times and locations are not able to be finalised until the week before the project, but we know that ours will be in the afternoon of Sunday 30 September. Confirmation of the time, location and logistics for the day will be emailed out to those interested in the week leading up to the event. To sign up, please email maggie.tate@standrews-chesterton.org or speak to Maggie Tate on a Sunday. If you are interested in finding out more about BESOM, their website is: www.besom.com

New Message in the Movies returns on **Sunday 30 September**, 5.30pm, in the Hall. In preparation for the 100th anniversary of the end of the First World War we will be watching and discussing 'Journey's End', R C Sherriff's classic WW1 drama.

The next meeting of the **Book Club** will be on **Tuesday 6 November**, at 8 pm, at the home of Ewa Allen (42 Hawthorn Way, Tel. 367351). We will be discussing The Music Shop by Rachel Joyce. It follows record-shop owner Frank, who has a rare gift for music

therapy: he can find the perfect piece to remedy any emotional or psychological woes his customers are suffering from. According to a review in the Observer, it 'hits all the right notes'. As always, new and occasional members are most welcome.

St Andrew's News

Do you have a **re-usable coffee cup**? We throw away 2.5 billion disposable coffee cups every year in the UK, fewer than 1 percent of which are recycled because of the plastic film liner on the inside. Here at St Andrew's, we use recyclable cups when serving coffee in church on the first Sunday of the month, but have you thought of bringing your own cup? See <https://www.churchofengland.org/more/policy-and-thinking/our-views/environment-and-climate-change> or <http://arocha.org.uk/our-activities/living-lightly-take-action/> for more ideas on what we can do to live lives that are just and fair and that respect this beautiful world God has made.

Helen Druiff, Mission & Giving Group

The next '**Party with a Purpose**' event, which is now part of the Diocese of Ely Vocations Strategy, will on **Thursday 20 September**, 7 to 9pm, at Bishop Woodford House, Ely. It is a relaxed social evening event (with a buffet) explaining the process of becoming an LLM or Ordained Minister. All who may be considering Church ministry are welcome. A poster giving all the details can be found on the notice board at the back of the church.

Other News

New A female teacher is looking for a home in Cambridge from half-term till Christmas, until her husband and children arrive in the UK. A house-share or annex would be ideal. Please see Chris Guerin if you have or know of something suitable.

A Farewell Service for Bishop David and

Readings for Daily Prayer

Readings for 16 September

Isaiah 11.1-9

Monday 17 Acts 19.8-20

Tuesday 18 Acts 19.21-end

Wednesday 19 Acts 20.1-16

Thursday 20 Acts 20.17-end

Friday 21, Matthew, Apostle & Evangelist
2 Timothy 3,14-end

Saturday 122 Acts 21.17-36

Readings for 23 September

Isaiah 45.9-22

Jean is being held on **Sunday 23 September** at 4pm in Ely Cathedral. Everyone is very welcome to this service. Although RSVP's are not required, if you are planning to attend it would be helpful if you let Linda know so that we can give approximate numbers to the Cathedral. There are invitation flyers at the back of church.

Fr Robert Eccles has been holding a series of conversations on the Acts of the Apostles on Wednesdays at 7.30pm at St Laurence's in Milton Road; these will resume on 12 September. They are lively, informal and friendly - and extremely helpful (each ends with a glass of wine). He would welcome anyone else from St Andrew's, and be delighted to see them.

Martin Brett

I work for The Edmund trust, a charity which has been established for over 70 years, supporting people with learning disabilities. We support people in their own homes or in residential settings to help live fulfilled lives and gain independence. We have services and support people in Ely, Little Downham, Milton, Histon and Chesterton at present which means we are recruiting constantly to keep up with demand. We are holding a Recruitment Open Day on 25 September at our Milton