

## Christmas & Epiphany at St Andrew's

### Sunday 15 December

4.00pm Christingle & Family Carols  
followed by refreshments & crafts  
in Hall

### Thursday 19 December

6.30pm Community Carols  
In the churchyard; indoors if the  
weather is bad

7.30pm 'Festive Show':  
High Wired Circus perform their  
Christmas show

### Sunday 22 December

10.00am Family Service & Nativity

### Tuesday 24 December, Christmas Eve

4.00pm Crib Service  
(with younger children in mind)

6.30pm Nine Lessons & Carols  
(not suitable for young children)

11.30pm Midnight Eucharist

### Wednesday 25 December, Christmas Day

8.00am Holy Communion

10.00am All-age Communion

### Monday 6 January, Epiphany

7.30pm Epiphany Service &  
Procession

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

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

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joining our giving scheme if you haven't  
already—talk to Simon PJ (523485),  
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# ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

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

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## 1 December 2019

Welcome to St Andrew's Church on  
this Advent Sunday. Coffee will be  
served in church after the service.

This evening, at 5.30pm, there will be a  
special service with readings and music  
for Advent and Andrewtide—this year  
we have readings reflecting on the role  
of both the Blessed Virgin Mary and St  
Andrew in ushering in the reign of the  
coming King; there will be music by  
Elgar, Sumsion, and John Joubert—as  
well as some hauntingly simple but  
beautiful plainsong.

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

*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.*

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

**'Let us live honourably as  
in the day.'**  
*Romans 13.13*

### Today, 1st of Advent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)  
10.00am All-Age Communion  
12.30pm Lunch Club (Hall)  
4.00pm Minims (Hall annexe)  
5.30pm Music & Readings for Advent  
and Andrewtide  
5.30pm YO CFC Youth Group (Hall)

### Monday

8.30am Morning Prayer  
10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)

### Tuesday

8.30am Morning Prayer  
10.30am Religious Poetry (Hall Annexe)  
12.15pm Holy Communion  
5.00pm FAF (Small group for yr 10-13)  
(Vicarage)  
7.45pm 20/30s+ Group  
(71 Humberstone Road)

### Wednesday

8.30am Morning Prayer  
7.30pm PCC meeting (Hall)

### Thursday

8.30am Morning Prayer  
9.15am- Church Mice for babies,  
11.15am toddlers and carers (Hall)

### Friday

8.30am Morning Prayer  
7.30pm Rehearsal for Carol service

### 8 December, 2nd Sunday of Advent

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

*\*see inside*

### Please pray for:

- Our preparations for Advent and Christmas
- St Andrew's Hall, Rachel and other staff, as we celebrate the Hall's birthday
- For the sick and those who are or have been in hospital, including Cynthia Dunstan, Norman Bloom
- RIP: Philip White, Sheila Kerry, Barry Love, Jean Morrison, Jean Stephenson, Ivan Wells

### This week

The Religious Poetry Group meets on **Tuesday**, 10.30 am to noon, in the Hall annexe.

The PCC will meet on **Wednesday**, 7.30pm in the Hall.

The first choir rehearsal for the Carol Service is on **Friday**, 7.30pm, in Church.

### Coming up...

There will be a **Pudding and Wine Evening** on **Monday 9 December**, 7.30pm—10pm, at 13 Leys Road, to raise funds for the provision of food for the children living at Azul Wasi in Cusco, Peru. We will supply wine and puddings, so just come and enjoy a relaxing evening. It will be helpful to know how many to cater for, so please can you let us know if you plan to come. If you would *really* like to contribute a pudding we certainly won't refuse any offers, but please can you let Mary know in advance. Chris and Mary Pountain Tel 01223 311055, or [mary.pountain@gmail.com](mailto:mary.pountain@gmail.com)

**New** The annual **Christmas tree lighting**, outdoor carols and visit of Father Christmas is on **Tuesday 10 December** at Chesterton Methodist Church, 6pm. If you are free and would like to join the carol singing as part of

the ad hoc choir then please let Kathryn know. Enthusiasm is all that is required!

Volunteers young and old are invited to decorate the Christmas tree and make Christingles for the next day's service on **Saturday 14 December**, 10.00am, in church. Refreshments will be provided, jolly music will be played and there will be much anticipatory merriment!

**New** Please note that the morning services in the second half of December are not in the usual order.... On **Sunday 15 December** the 10am service will be a Parish Communion and there will be no special provision for children—who are encouraged to come with their families to the **Christingle** service in the afternoon (4pm). On **Sunday 22 December** at 10am will be a **Family Service with Nativity**; there will be no afternoon service that day.

Food4Food will be hosting their final **Pop Up Café Christmas Dinner**, at St Andrew's Hall on **Tuesday 17 December** from 12noon to 2pm. Please see posters for further details, or call Dominic Bowles on 01223 518140. Booking is essential.

### St Andrew's News

We would like to invite singers to join the **choir for the Christmas Eve carol service**. The rehearsals will be as follows (all in church): Friday 6 December (7.30-9.00pm), Friday 13 December (7.30-9.00pm), Friday 20 December (7.30-9.30pm) and Sunday 22 December (4-6pm). There will be a warm-up at 5.45pm on the evening of the service itself (please note that the service is again at 6.30pm this year). The final Sunday rehearsal is compulsory for all singers and in order to be able to join, everyone must commit to attending at least TWO of the other three rehearsals. Peter would be grateful to hear from anyone who would like to sing, **by today**, so as to have

enough music ready (email: [dom@standrews-chesterton.org](mailto:dom@standrews-chesterton.org)).

Dr Grace Dolman, who spoke about caring for hedgehogs at the 'Caring for God's Acre' evening, has received a grant of £2000 from the Pebble Fund, to be shared between St Andrew's, Cherry Hinton and us, to help make our churchyards and the surrounding land more hedgehog friendly. More information soon – watch this space!

Would distributors please note that the latest edition of *Chesterton News* is now out: the piles of copies are at the back of church as usual.

### Azul Wasi News

Recently the whole of the town of Oropesa where Azul Wasi is had no water as a result of a burst pipe in one of the towns' mains pipes. The whole community worked together to sort this problem, but Azul Wasi doesn't now have enough water pressure and so needs to replace 460m of underground pipes, which will cost around £350. We have agreed to fund this so that it can be done quickly and restore their water supply. Copies of the Azul Wasi Autumn Newsletter are available at the back of the church. If you would like to receive the two Newsletters a year and occasional news of events by email, you can sign up to the mailing list at: <http://www.standrews-chesterton.org/church-life/mission-and-giving/azul-wasi/> Please note we are now using a new email address for Azul Wasi affairs: [azulwasista@gmail.com](mailto:azulwasista@gmail.com).

*Chris and Mary Pountain*

### Readings for Daily Prayer

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| <b>Monday</b>    | Isaiah 25.1-9    |
| <b>Tuesday</b>   | Isaiah 26.1-13   |
| <b>Wednesday</b> | Isaiah 28.1-13   |
| <b>Thursday</b>  | Isaiah 28.1-end  |
| <b>Friday</b>    | Isaiah 29.1-14   |
| <b>Saturday</b>  | Isaiah 29.15-end |

### Readings for 8 December

Isaiah 11.1-10 Romans 15.4-13  
Matthew 3.1-12