

on **1-3 May 2020**. It's a great opportunity to have fun, spend time together, and spend time with God! More information and booking forms are now available from Hannah Fytche and Connor Kennedy (contact by email or in person).

Other news

New Room (and access to bathroom) wanted from March 30th to April 6th for a young Waldensian ordinand who will follow a crash course to improve his English, hoping he'll be able to study at Westminster College withing the Cambridge Theological Federation the next academic year. His other hosts are members of the URC. He is a delightful person, will buy his own food and cook also for you if you wish, since he is ALSO a chef! More details from Erica Newbury 01223 315753 ericanewbury@newburywork.co.uk

Cambridge Street Pastors are running a Mental Health Awareness course on **Saturday 19 March**, 9am to 12 noon, at the Chapel at Fulbourn Hospital, CB21 5EF. Parking available on site. Run by John Nicholson, the mental health chaplain, who says that anyone with an interest is very welcome to come along. If you'd like to attend, please email Eileen at admin@cambridgestreetpastors.org.uk as soon as possible. The course is being organised for volunteer Street Pastors but is a helpful, general awareness course relevant to everyone.

The Ely Diocesan Wholeness and Healing Celebration Day is on **Saturday 14 March**, 10-4, at Ely Cathedral. More information and book tickets at: <https://event.bookitbee.com/21422/2020-diocese-of-ely-healing-and-wholeness-celebrat>

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

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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.



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1 March 2020

Welcome to St Andrew's Church.

Coffee will be served in the church after our 10am service.

This evening, at 5.30pm, there will be an Informal service with worship band, to which all are very welcome!

Lent groups begin this week and there is a chance to observe a Green Lent—see p2 for details

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.

'Of the tree of the knowledge of good and evil you shall not eat, for in the day that you eat of it you shall die.'
Genesis 2.17

Today, 1st of Lent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am All-Age Communion
12.30pm Lunch Club (Hall)
5.30pm Informal service
6.30pm YO CFC youth group (Hall)

Monday

8.30am Morning Prayer
10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)

Tuesday

8.30am Morning Prayer
10.30am Lent/Easter Group (Hall annexe)
12.15pm Holy Communion
5.00pm FAF (Small group for yr 10-13) (Vicarage)
7.45pm Lent Group (20 Pakenham Close)

Wednesday

8.30am Morning Prayer

Thursday

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9.15am- Church Mice for babies, toddlers and carers (Hall)
11.15am- Lent Group
7.30pm Lent Group (71 Humberstone Rd)

Friday

8.30am Morning Prayer
2.15pm World Day of Prayer service at St George's church*

8 March, 2nd Sunday of Lent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)
10.00am Sung Eucharist
10.00am Junior Church (Hall)
5.30pm Taizé Service

**see inside*

Please pray for:

- Amongst the sick and those recovering: Cynthia Dunstan, Bishop Stephen
- The church's finances and stewardship: for faithful giving and use of the resources we have been blessed with
- Our Lenten reflections on evangelism and care of creation
- RIP Geoffrey Williams, Mary Human, Rowland Higgins

This week

Lent groups:

Tuesday, 10.30am in the Hall annexe

Tuesday, 7.45pm, 20 Pakenham Close

Thursday, 7.30, 71 Humberstone Road

The **World Day of Prayer** service this year has been written by the women of Zimbabwe and takes place all over the world during **Friday**, March 6th. In North Cambridge, we will gather at St. George's Church, Chesterfield Road, at 2.15pm. Somebody described Zimbabwe to me as once the 'breadbasket of Africa'. Now the situation is very different. The output of crops has dropped considerably and people do not have enough to eat. In this country of the Victoria Falls, there has been a prolonged drought. There is huge unemployment and inflation runs at 500%. Please come if you can to hear about, and honour, the people who live there.

Maggie Fernie

Coronavirus precautions

St Andrew's—and the Church of England in general—has a responsibility to heed national advice given by the health experts in the context of a potential epidemic. That advice currently states the following:

- Parishioners with coughs and sneezes should refrain from handshaking during the Peace and receive Communion in one kind only.

- At present, there is no Government advice that suggests the use of the Common Cup should be suspended.
- Intinction (dipping the wafer into the chalice) is not recommended as this represents an infection transmission route as well as a risk to those with certain allergies.
- Clergy and communion administrators should wash their hands, preferably with an alcohol-based (minimum 60%) hand-sanitiser.

Lent groups & #LiveLent

Our Lent groups are this year following a course called 'The Joy of the Gospel':

Tuesdays, 10.30am, fortnightly in the Hall on 3, 17, 31 March, 14, 28 April & 12 May
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Tuesdays, 7.45pm, weekly,
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Thursdays, 7.30pm, fortnightly at 71 Humberstone Road
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The fortnightly groups will, of course, be meeting beyond Lent and so should properly be called Lent & Easter Groups!

Copies of the book (at a special price of £5!) are obtainable from the Hall office.



#LiveLent: Care for God's Creation is the Church of England's Lent Campaign for 2020. It has been inspired and informed by the Archbishop of Canterbury's 2020 Lent

Book, *Saying Yes to Life* by Ruth Valerio (SPCK).

#Live Lent: Care for God's Creation has weekly themes and prayers shaped around the first Genesis account of creation, it explores the urgent need for humans to value and protect the abundance God has created.

Copies of the book can be ordered online (e.g. Church House Bookshop) - but it is also available as an Android or Apple app for both adults and children.

Coming up...

The **Religious Poetry Group** will be meeting on the following dates: 10 & 24 March, 7 April. All on Tuesdays, 10.30am-12pm, in the Hall annexe.

The next meeting of the Book Club will be on **Thursday 12 March**, at 8 pm, at the home of Ewa Allen (42 Hawthorn Way, Tel. 367351). We will be discussing *Spring Snow* by Yukio Mishima, which depicts the conflicts in Japanese society caused by westernization in the early 20th century. As always, new and occasional members are most welcome.

St Andrew's News

New Connor is taking part in the Cambridge Half Marathon on **Sunday 8 March** to raise money for Youth for Christ. Please come and speak to him about it and consider sponsoring him using this link: <https://yfc.co.uk/connor-kennedy/>

New A big thank you to everyone who came to the Big Breakfast and enjoyed the company and the bacon butties. I am very pleased that the total has now reached £401 (and will have gift aid added for half of it) all for Cambridge Cruse Bereavement Care which supports adults and children bereaved at any time. It is not generally realised that the local Cruse areas and

Readings for Daily Prayer

Monday	Genesis 41.25-45
Tuesday	Genesis 41.46-42.5
Wednesday	Genesis 42.6-17
Thursday	Genesis 42.18-28
Friday	Genesis 42.29-end
Saturday	Genesis 43.1-15

Readings for 1 March

Genesis 12.1-4a Romans 4.1-5, 13-17
John 3.1-17

branches all have to find their own funding and are not funded by national Cruse. For those who were enquiring, the next one will be in May sometime around and for Christian Aid week. A big thank you to the team: Rachel, Hannah, our daughters Christian and Catriona who stood in for Ian as cooks, our grandchildren Isaac, Maxwell and Leo, and the Cruse volunteers: Juliet, Judy, Chris and Luise.

Margaret NS

In advance of the Annual Parochial Church Meeting (APCM) which will take place on Sunday 26 April, the electoral roll is being prepared. Anyone wishing to be eligible to stand as a PCC member or to vote for PCC members at the APCM, must be on the St Andrew's electoral roll. In March 2019 the electoral roll was completely revised from scratch and anyone who signed up then, or since then, will **not** need to complete another application form. For anyone who wishes to join the electoral roll, application forms are available at the back of the church, in the hall office or can be downloaded at www.standrews-chesterton.org/2020/02/apcm-and-the-church-electoral-roll/ Forms should be completed, signed and returned to the Church administrator (Linda Stollwerck Boulton) at the Hall office.

All those aged 8-18 are invited to a **weekend away** together at Ringsfield Hall,