who can collect bedding or you can leave it on her doorstep. Money donations also welcome: https://gf.me/u/xvrn6x

A **Community Fridge/Food Hub has** opened in the Church Hall of the Good Shepherd on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays, 11am to 1pm and at St George's Church Hall on Tuesdays and Thursdays, 2-4 pm. Everyone is welcome to pick up food from these two locations, but do not come if you are highrisk or self-isolating. For a food delivery (if you live within CB4 1 or CB4 2), call 07908 458034 or email

#### eastchesterton.mutualaid@gmail.com.

Food donations can be left in a bag during the half hour before they open at the door. Donations of money are very welcome. Initially email Christian on <u>cmaosborne@icloud.com</u> if you would like to donate to the Community Fridge at the Good Shepherd.

Margaret and Ian Nimmo-Smith

# **Azul Wasi News**

Azul Wasi is still in lockdown. The level of hygiene that is necessary, and educating their wide range of ages with such limited supplies is certainly challenging. To help with the rising cost of food, we have sent an extra donation of £600 from our fund at St Andrew's. Alcides is very grateful for our support both financially and in prayer at this time. LAFF (Latin American Foundation for the Future) also thanks St Andrew's for our support for Azul Wasi.

Sadly one of the other projects that they work with, Casa Mantay, (a wonderful home for young single mothers and their children) is currently under threat of closure as a result of Coronavirus. Some substantial funding has been withdrawn,

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

# Some Contacts at St Andrew's

Vicar: Canon Nick Moir, 303469 (not Saturday) vicar@standrews-chesterton.org

Associate priest: Revd Dorothy Peyton Jones, 523485 <u>dorothy.peytonjones@standrews-chesterton.org</u>

Curate: Revd Kathryn Waite kathryn.waite@standrews-chesterton.org

#### Youth Work:

Hannah Fytche hannah.fytche@standrews-chesterton.org Connor Kennedy connor.kennedy@standrews-chesterton.org

Church Administrator: Linda Stollwerck Boulton admin@standrews-chesterton.org

their workshop has had to close, and their income source through the sale of their quality leather goods (mainly to tourists) has dried up. LAFF is working hard to try to secure funding to prevent these young girls and their children becoming homeless.

> Mary and Chris Pountain (azulwasista@gmail.com)

# **Other News**

The Faraday Institute for Science and Religion Youth and Schools Programme has three part-time positions available : Training Officer, Programme Officer, and Programme Researcher . If you are interested in equipping and engaging young people and their influencers in exploring big questions of science and religious faith then try <u>https://faradayinstitute.org/</u>.

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.



Thursday).

or Garden!

events.

Friday 22 May

Morning Praver at 8.30am (Monday to

(Monday, Wednesday and Friday) and

Night Prayer at 9.15pm (Tuesday and

We have two livestreamed services on

Sunday—our Prayer Book Communion

Evening Prayer is at 5.30pm (on Zoom).

There will be the opportunity to meet

services—simply click on the relevant

For coffee at 11am first go to the Hatch

other links for a smaller group—Table

Go to the homepage of the website

where there will be links to all of

Sunday's services and this week's

'You will be my witnesses

in Jerusalem, in all Judea

and Samaria, and to the

ends of the earth.'

Acts 1.8

and chat online after our morning

title in the diary list on the website.

and if it's a bit busy try one of the

at 8am and All-Age Service at 10am;

This week we will join in the **Thy** 

Friday), Evening Prayer at 4pm

Kingdom Come Prayer Week with

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All of these services and events will be ONLINE—go to the website (address above) to find the link

#### 24 May, 7th Sunday of Easter

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP, L) 8.45am 'Breakfast' (M) 10.00am All-age Service (L) 11.00am 'Coffee' (M) 2.00pm Junior Church (Z) 5.30pm Evening Prayer (Z) 5.30pm Youth Sunday Hangout (Z)

Monday

8.30am Morning Prayer (M) 4.00pm Evening Prayer (Z)

#### Tuesday

8.30am Morning Prayer (M)
10.30am Bible Study (Z)\*
8-9pm Home group (Z)\*
9.15pm Night Prayer (Compline, Z)

#### Wednesday

8.30am Morning Prayer (M) 4.00pm Evening Prayer (Z)

#### Thursday

8.30am Morning Prayer (M) 7.45pm Home Group (Z)\* 9.15pm Night Prayer (Compline, Z)

#### Friday

8.30am Morning Prayer (M) 4.00pm Evening Prayer (Z)

### 31 May, Pentecost

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP; L)

- 8.45am 'Breakfast' (M)
- 10.00am All-Age Communion (L)
- 11.00am 'Coffee' (M)
- 2.00pm Junior Church (Z) 5.30pm Evening Prayer\* (Z)
- 5.30pm Youth Sunday Hangout (Z)

\*see inside

Z=Zoom, M=Meet, L=Livestream

#### Please pray for:

- Amongst the sick and those recovering: Eric Burbridge
- Those providing and delivering food and essential provisions around Cambridge
- St Andrew's Hall and other community organisations working out when and how to re-open (Rachel & Jan are on furlough)
- RIP Betty Binns, John Farrant, John Nash, Francie Barr, Betty Stollwerck and, from the Book of Remembrance, Henry Humin, Ethel Race & Albert Lilley

# Virtual meetings & services

The website has this week's diary complete with links to each event's virtual community. There are three systems for joining in: (the first two allowing those watching also to take part)

- Small group meetings will be using either the Hangouts Meet platform or Zoom
- Bigger services and some smaller ones will be livestreamed on our Youtube channel

All you need to do is click on the (coloured) title of the meeting (on the website list).

We have continuing activities for children and young people: they or their parents will be receiving weekly emails with news and resources.

You can catch up with past livestreamed services on the church Youtube channel (click on the symbol on the church homepage). Sunday morning sermons can be watched or read on the sermons page (see under 'Services').

For young people at St Andrew's, we have 'Sunday Hangouts' at 5.30pm or 6.15pm on Sundays (get in touch with us if you'd like to join in but don't have the link!). We are also continuing with our two midweek small groups, FAF and Higher Wednesdays. We will also be at the 'Youth Corner' in coffee time after church: come and find us there. Hannah & Connor

# This week

Thy Kingdom Come has become established as a week of prayer leading up to Pentecost (31 May). Join us for a special programme of online praver services in the week leading up to Pentecost (see front page).

# St Andrew's News

New The PCC (church council) met on Monday. It heard that the new online giving facility had added £600 to church funds (though in the same timeframe we would have received about £1,000 in the collection plate). The council decided to:

- look towards September for a rescheduled annual meeting
- have a series of 10am services in June/ July celebrating some of the things we've been appreciating during lockdown, beginning with music, pets and craft.
- have a series of midweek teas in June with some show-and-tell demonstrations of hobbies/crafts
- donate £300 to the project providing food for the homeless (and to raise further finds via the website)
- Apply for a faculty to install a new lowlevel board in the churchyard giving information about its wildlife and history

New The online collection for Christian Aid Week has yielded a total of £1,185 so far. Gift Aid at 25% will be added to many of the individual donations. The total exceeds what we collected last year doorto-door. Thank you so much for your generosity at this difficult time. (The Christian Aid Donate button will be on the website for one more week.)

Ian Nimmo-Smith

New This bank holiday Monday, Connor will be fundraising in aid of Youth for Christ. Youth for Christ aim to walk the distances of Everest, Mont Blanc and Kilimanjaro from the confines of their own homes. Connor himself will be walking for the entire duration of the Lord of the Rings trilogy on his staircase. Follow along as he livestreams from Facebook throughout the day. Please sponsor Connor at https:// www.justgiving.com/fundraising/ connorkennedy-yfc-milesfromhome

New A new Religious Poetry group will start at 10.30 on Thursday mornings. starting on **4 June**, and then fortnightly. The focus will be on speaking and enjoying the poems, rather than saying things about them. Those who think they don't enjoy poetry particularly welcome! For more information phone 01223 709769 or email peter.hilken@ntlworld.com

Though our doors are closed at the moment, we're thinking about how to make St Andrew's more accessible when we re-open. Would you be interested in being part of a small group to explore how we might help people with disabilities feel welcome and participate in our services? We will guide our conversations with a short course, More than Welcome, produced by Livability (www.livability.org.uk), a leading UK disability charity. The group will meet for three one-hour discussions online in late May/early June. If you'd be interested to take part, please be in touch.

Deborah Bick (01223 473721) deborah.bick@standrews-chesterton.org

The BBC Young Musician 2020 competition started last Sunday. Annemarie Federle took part in the Brass Final last Sunday (including a solo horn piece composed especially for her by Will Harmer). You can catch up on iPlayer if you missed it. Highlights of the concerts are being broadcast on Sundays on BBC Four, 19.00 -

# **Readings for Daily Prayer**

Monday	Luke 7.36-end
Tuesday	Luke 8.1-15
Wednesday	Luke 8.16-25
Thursday	Luke 8.26-39
Friday	Luke 8.40-end
Saturday	Luke 9.1-17
Readings for 31 May	
Acts 2.1-21 John 20.19-23	

20.00 and each of the Category Final concerts will be shown in full afterwards on the BBC iPlayer. There is more information about competitors at www.bbc.co.uk/ programmes/b00bb3wt.

Three Home groups are meeting by Zoom for bible study, prayer and fellowship. Do consider joining one of them if you haven't already.

Fortnightly on Tuesdays, 10.30am-12noon. Bible study, contact Kathryn Tuesdays, 8-9pm, Home group, contact Sharon (sharon.neufeld@gmail.com, 07853 172 634) or Quentin (07894 608 428, gharmer@endomag.com) Fortnightly on Thursdays, 7.45-9.15pm, 20s/30s+ group, contact Kathleen Jowitt (kafjowitt@gmail.com)

# **Community News**

Among the local businesses you may like to support, don't forget our own Barker family who are now running CambridgeBBQ. The website link is https://

cambridgebbg.co.uk/ and if you enter the code SAC5 into the discount code box, £5 will be donated to St Andrew's on orders over £50!

**Needed for NHS** scrubs sewing project: unwanted duvet covers, sheets and pillow cases, patterned or plain, cotton or polycotton, must be washable at 60°. Please contact Lesley Mackie (lesleyemackie@gmail.com)