

# News Sheet

## 28th April

Theme: Pick'n'Mix Daniel 1

- 9am Holy Communion St. Andrew  
10.30am All Age Morning Worship with Children's Groups St. Andrew
- 3pm **Newcomers Tea at The Vicarage**
- 5pm Holy Communion St. Bartholomew  
6pm FUEL Service St. Andrew with Refreshments in church at 5.45pm

### READINGS:

- 9am Mark 4 vs. 21-23  
9am & 10.30am Daniel 1 vs. 1-8

## 5th May in Church Hall

Theme: Future Hope Daniel 2

- 9am Holy Communion St. Andrew  
10.30am All Age Morning Worship with Children's Groups St. Andrew
- 5pm Evensong St. Bartholomew  
6pm FUEL Service St. Andrew in Church with Holy Communion

Please note the 9am and 10.30am Services will be held within the Main Hall at St. Andrew.

Refreshments and Bring and Share Lunch will not take place following the morning services.

# ST ANDREW'S

## ST BARTHOLOMEW'S

hope for all ages

### Upcoming Events

**Monday 29th 5pm** Inter:Act Years 5/6 Group

**Wednesday 1st May 11am** BLT (Babies, Lunch & Toddlers)

**Thursday 2nd \* Flower Festival Starts 10am-3pm at St. Andrew Church \***

10am Holy Communion  
10-12pm STACS Coffee Shop with Knitting/Crochet Group, Toy area & Traidcraft  
7pm-7.45pm Awake! Prayer Event St. Andrew Church  
7.30pm Youth TGI

**Friday 3rd \* Flower Festival 10am-3pm Today at St. Andrew Church \***

12noon Friday's Kitchen  
6pm Healing Prayer Quiet Room  
7-9pm Flower Festival Welcome Evening at St. Andrew Church All Welcome

**Saturday 4th Flower Festival open 10am-3pm at St. Andrew Church**

**Sunday 5th Flower Festival 2-4pm**

**Monday 6th Flower Festival 10am-3pm 11am-3pm Party in the Parish**

**Wednesday 8th**  
11am BLT (Babies, Lunch & Toddlers)  
7.30pm Marriage Course Starts (1)

**Thursday 9th 10am** Holy Communion  
10-12pm STACS Coffee Shop with Knitting/Crochet Group, Toy area & Traidcraft  
7.30pm Youth TGI

**\*TODAY\* Newcomers Tea at The Vicarage (5 Vicarage Close) at 3pm** All newcomers welcome for tea and cake at The Vicarage just a short stroll from St. Andrew's.

**Awake! Prayer at St. Andrew Church Thursday, 2nd May, 7-7.45pm** Prayer for the Flower Festival and Party in the Parish.

**Flower Festival Welcome Evening 7-9pm, Friday, 3rd May, St. Andrew.** All welcome to view the flowers, hear Chloe sing & enjoy a glass of wine with nibbles (donations).  
**St. Andrew's Flower Festival Opening Thursday 2nd-6th May** We would be grateful for donations towards the costs. Donations can be handed to the Church Office, Sheila Madigan or Betsy Wilson. Cheques payable to St. Andrew's PCC. Thank you.

**Party In The Parish Bank Holiday Monday, 6th May 11-3pm** at St. Andrew's Centre. Free event for everyone! Only charge is for the BBQ. Please help by volunteering to help on the day especially Children's Activities, Kitchen Clean Up, Henna & Bouncy Castle.

**Marriage Course 7.30pm May 8th, 22nd, June 5th, 19th, July 3rd, 17th.** A short course for couples to invest in your marriage. Input from DVD & course leaders, but all discussion intimately (and safely) in your couples. Desserts and refreshments will be served during the evening, so eat your main course at home and come hungry!! Please fill in an enrolment form and return to office with course fee (£30 per couple). Further details from Paul & Clare Kenchington 07825 482225.

**Mission Weekend 18th/19th May** further details available soon! Gift Aid envelopes will be available for this event.

**Sunday, 2nd June Water Baptism and Reaffirmations** Please speak to Jonathan for further details and to register your interest in being baptised/reaffirmed.

**Reader Placement St. Andrew Church** We welcome Nigel Hughes on a Reader Placement from Newnham on Severn from 1st May for 6-8 weeks.

**APCM Annual Parochial Church Meeting New Church Warden & PCC Members** Many thanks to those who attended the meeting on Wednesday. The following have been appointed: Church Warden—Andrew Smith PCC Members—Celia Anderson, Rob Capon, Dave Keeper, JoJo Lei and Emma Nhachi.

**Car Parking St. Andrew's Church** We have a busy few weeks ahead with the Flower Festival and Party in the Parish setting up and the events themselves. When the church car park is full, please use the public car park off Church Road, or if open Churchdown Junior School, Station Road. If you have to park on the road outside church, please do so with consideration for residents and other traffic. The Church Wardens are seeking volunteer carparking stewards. See Andrew or Richard.

**Crockery and Food Containers** Please check and remove your items from the Corridor. We have quite a collection now!

**Eco Tip:** Use re-usable dishcloths and wet wipes.

**TWITTER:** follow **Jonathan:** @johnnyperkin For youth: @sta\_youth  
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