

Notices - 22nd May 2022

APCM

Thank you to those who attended our APCM on Monday 16th May. Copies of the annual report are available at the back of church and on the church website.

Nick Tooby and Rebecca Martin were elected as churchwardens. The following were elected to the PCC: Julia McNaney, Richard Marr, Rita Muir, Diane Wilson, Clive Murden, Jeremy Thomas, Trevor Hill, Lindsey Rawlings, Pete Wilson and Anthea Edwards. Lesley Lee and Jill Joyce were elected as Deanery Synod Reps. Please pray for them as they take on this responsibility.

Thank you for your service to all those who stood down from PCC; Becky Crowe, Linda Chylinski, Penny Wakefield, Charley Watts, John Ross-Barnard and Paul Crowe.

May Challenge

Jo will be walking 300,00 steps in May to raise money for Christian Aid. You can find out more about her progress at the back of church. To donate to our Christian Aid Appeal, you can give through our e envelope, you can also pledge on the form at the back of church, or take some envelopes for a cash collection. This is the link to our e-envelope https://envelope.christianaid.org.uk/envelope/st-andrews-church-eastern-green?channel=status or scan the QR code at the back of church.

Parish Away Day - Saturday 25th June 2022

WHAT IS IT? A day away for members of St Andrew's/St Andy's to come together for fellowship, worship, discussion and prayer.

WHERE IS IT? Berkswell Church Hall

WHO IS IT FOR? Everyone including children

Tea and coffee will be provided and we will have a bring and share lunch (please speak with Sue or Jo if you have questions concerns about lunch)

Please think about joining us as we meet together on 25th June.

Want to know more or book a place?

Speak with Sue Masters 07958322026 or Rev Jo Joyce

Readers & Tea/Coffee Volunteers

We are looking for people willing to do a reading at the services on Sunday to add to those already on the rota. We are also looking for people willing to make and serve teas and coffees after the Sunday Service. There are currently only 3 people on the tea rota and would be grateful for a few more, especially as we are approaching holiday season. If you are interested in either of these roles, please could you let Julie know on 07756 918847 or via email administrator@standrewseg.org.uk

Craft & Hobby Fair

St Andrew's Church is hosting a Craft & Hobby Fair on Saturday 11th June 1.30- 4.30pm at Eastern Green Village Hall. We still have a couple of tables left, if you are interested in having a stall, please speak to Rebecca Martin in church or contact Julie Crow by tel 07756918847 or via email administrator@standrews-eg.org.uk

We are looking for volunteers to:

- Provide some delicious cakes to sell as part of the refreshments. Please let Rebecca or Julie know if you are willing to bake a cake
- In addition, we will be selling books and jigsaws, so if you
 have any of these you wish to get rid of, we will be happy
 taking these off your hands.
- Please note NO BRIC- A- BRAC

Priorities 2022

The PCC agreed the following church Priorities for 2022 at our meeting on the 25th April 2022. We now want to progress the priorities through several subgroups, so that everyone is involved in moving our church forward. This is a great chance for us to put our faith into action. James 2 vs 18 "someone will say "you have faith and I have deeds" Show me your faith without deeds and I will show you my faith by what I do"

The aims and areas to focus on are included on the sheets on the notice board at the back of church. If you feel called to any of the subgroups, then please put your name on the list. There is no minimum or maximum number for each group. The more involved in the work of our church the greater the impact we can have. Thank you for your support. Nick Tooby.

Volunteer Drivers Wanted!

Would you be able to offer the occasional lift to church for someone in need? We are looking for people who could assist in helping to church those who are unable to come without help. If you would be happy to do this please speak to Jo. If you would like a lift to any of our services do get in touch with Julie and we will do our best to help.

Monday Prayer

Join us on Monday Morning's at 9.30am for zoom prayers. The zoom access codes are:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/83313483900?pwd=VmQ5UDBTalpWaTVVODBCakZ4a3NQZz09

Meeting ID: 833 1348 3900

Passcode: 090705

Bereavement Group

We meet on Tuesday Mornings in Church for tea, biscuits and chat on the second and fourth Tuesdays of the month at 11am. If you have been bereaved over the last 3 years and would find a small friendly group helpful then do come along. If you would like more information speak to Lynnette on 024 7646 7097 or 07890 048210.

Building our Faith

Building our Faith bible study is taking a break and will restart on Wednesday 18th May. The zoom access codes are:

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85246705617?pwd=MW9YVm1vZ1cxdUUraWdXYU9GTEUwdz09

Meeting ID: 852 4670 5617

Passcode: 668683

St Andrew's Book Club

Our book club meets every two months to discuss the book agreed by the group and the next book we will be reading and discussing is The Prayer Box by Lisa Wingate.

The next Book Club meeting is on Monday June 6th at 7.30pm, where we will meet to discuss and share our views on the book. If you would like to join us or have any questions, please contact me. Sue Masters on 07958322026.

Donations

We have several people who continue to use the online giving page to make donations and give weekly to the work of the church. The link below will take you directly to the page. It is a secure way of supporting the churches ministry. Thank you for your ongoing support. Nick Tooby https://givealittle.co/campaigns/eef64318-0a22-4db7-8d81-0ab3ccddf15d



Mike McCaffrey who has recently had major surgery and is due to have further treatment.

Diary Dates May	Time	Event
Sun 22 nd	10.00am	Parish Communion
	3.30pm	St Andy's service at St Oswald's
Mon 23 rd	9.30am	Morning Prayer on zoom
	7.30pm	Eastern Green History Group meeting
Tues 24 th	11.00am	Bereavement Group
Weds 25 th	10.00am	Midweek Communion
	7.30pm	Building our Faith on zoom
Thurs 26 th	7.30pm	Ascension Day Service