



St John's & St Andrew's Noticesheet for 25th March

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Sunday 25th March

Welcome to our services on Palm Sunday

St Andrew's 9.30 am

Together for Worship

Leader: Beth Farrington

Preacher: James Dudley-Smith

Luke 19: 28 - 44

Holy Communion

St John's 10.30 am

Leader & Preacher: James Dudley-Smith

Luke 19: 28 - 44

6.30 @ St Johns

Evening Service

Leader: James Dudley-Smith

Preacher: Tom Putt

Matthew 27: 45 - 56

LAST CHANCE TO SIGN UP TODAY for Bank Holiday Breakfast Fun!
THE BIG BREAKFAST - enjoy a Bank Holiday Breakfast with the church family in the schoolroom on Mon: 2nd April from 9am to 10.30am. Cost £2 per person. Sign-up sheet at the back of church or let Helen Peace know you are coming (to get the catering right!) If you can help, please also sign up or let Helen know: there are lots of jobs - setting up, cooking, clearing up. If the weather is good, we can venture down to Ninesprings for a walk or to play in the park. All ages welcome.

Did you miss our Giving Review? There are orange slips at the back of St John's entitled "**You are the Light of the World**". If you haven't already done so, please pick one up and read it. Please return the completed response as soon as you are able. Thank you.

Good Friday – activities for children

There is an "all-age service in St John's at 10.30am which will be followed by a craft event. Cost £1.50 per child

Please can you help? A few volunteers are still needed to help with the children's craft event and refreshments. Please contact Melissa Cary if you can help. mrsmelissacary@yahoo.co.uk

Events for Holy week

Monday 26th	7.00 pm	Meditations at St Andrew's
Tuesday 27th	7.00 pm	Meditations at St Andrew's
Wednesday 28th	7.00 pm	Meditations at St Andrew's
Maundy Thursday	7.30 pm	Service at St. Peters, Westfield
Good Friday	10.30 am	St John's All-Age service followed by children's craft activity
	11.30 am	Walk of witness – meet outside the Post office, King George Street
	2.00 pm	"An hour at the cross" in St John's

Important dates to note –

St Andrew's – Sunday 29th April AGM after the 9.30 am service.

St John's – Annual Parochial Church Meeting on Wednesday 18th April in the schoolrooms at 7.30pm.

The Electoral roll

If you are a regular attender, it helps us if you join the electoral roll. Speak to James or a church warden to know more about what this means and eligibility to join. St John's AGM is on April 18th and **you need to be on the roll in order to vote for church wardens and PCC members or to stand for election.** A revision of the roll commenced on Tuesday March 20th and will be completed by Tuesday 3rd April. Please hand in any new forms to the church office by Sunday April 1st.

Forms are available at the back of St John's

Art for Easter Exhibition Invitation

In case it had somehow passed you by the Yeovil Churches Art for Easter exhibition is taking place from Monday 26th until Saturday 31st March, from 10am till 4pm. However, as one of the participating churches we are also invited along to a preview night on Monday 26th March, pop in between 6pm and 8pm. Children are welcome.

"Easter Lilies" Remembering a loved one at Easter, by making a special donation. See Mary Brooks or Terry Bush for a donation envelope. Please remember to write the name of the person you are remembering & your name and address, on the envelope. Hand all donations to St John's Church office or to Mary Brooks by TODAY Sunday March 25th.

Baby arrivals!

Congratulations to Stefan and Charlotte Davies on the safe arrival of their daughter, Aphia.

And to Hazel and Martin Cooper - on the safe arrival of their baby son Samuel James born on 21st March - a brother to Annie and Charlie.

Parish Weekend Away

If you wish to pay for the Parish Weekend Away by instalments, Janet Dean will receive payments after any Sunday morning service at St John's. Please have your payment ready in an envelope with your name on it.

A Daytime Christianity Explored Course will be starting on

Thursday 12th April at lunchtime in the schoolrooms.

Please speak to Tom for more details.

SAMARITAN'S PURSE INTERNATIONAL (SPI)

Samaritan's Purse is a global evangelical Christian relief and development organisation. They are advertising for a.....

Regional Volunteer Manager – South & South West England

Full time £27,000 - £28,800 per annum

Permanent Home-based

Closing date for applications: Tuesday 27 March 2018 (12 noon).

For more information [please speak to Melissa Cary](#)

Lord's Larder

If you would like to support the Lord's Larder we are currently running short of :- *Packets of Pasta, Tins of Chilli Con Carne, Tinned Potatoes, Tins of Ravioli, Tins of Macaroni Cheese, Tins of Mince and Onion, Cereal*

these and any other long-life food items would be gratefully received.

Easter at the Lord's Larder With Easter being early this year, people are already asking me if they can give Easter Eggs to the Larder to go out in food parcels: that would be great, if anyone would like to do so.

African Night 2 – Saturday 21st April

4.00pm onwards at Merriott Village Hall TA16 5QH

African Drumming Workshop 5.00-6.00pm and 8.00 – 9.00pm

More details on displayed poster.

Ready for heaven **Bath Women's Conference** on the 14th April.

www.bathwomensconference.org

Contact Caroline Armitstead 01935 862785 or Janet Dean 01935 389780

Please note!

Holiday club dates for your diary.

Saturday 30th June 2018: Art day 10.30am

Thursday 19th July 2018: Team Brief 7.30 pm

Sunday July 29th Set up Sunday

Monday July 30th to Friday August 3rd:

Holiday Club Sunday August 5th: Holiday Club Sunday

Sunday 1st April

Easter Sunday

St Andrew's 9.30 am

Holy Communion

Leader and Preacher: Tom Putt

Luke 24: 1 - 12

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Parish Office, St John's Schoolrooms, Church Path, BA20 1HE

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A diary of future events and contact details for staff are published in Focus, and on line.