



**St John's & St Andrew's  
Noticesheet for 9<sup>th</sup> July**  
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**Welcome to all our Sunday services**

**St Andrew's 9.30 am**

**Morning Worship**

Preacher: James Maitland

Leader: Beth Farrington

*Exodus 13 - 14*

**St John's 10.30 am**

**Holy Communion**

Preacher: James Maitland

Leader: Tom Putt

*Exodus 13 - 14*

**6.30@St John's**

Preacher & Leader: Tom Putt

*Acts 19 v 1- 22*

**Visitors:** Thank you for joining us. Feel free to ask for any information you need, and do introduce yourself to us.

**Babies/Toddlers:** St. John's has a supervised crèche for 0-3 from the start of the 10.30 am service. Please ask for directions.

**Groups for children** begin after the first part of the 10.30 am service at St John's. If your children prefer to stay in the service, that is fine too.

**Holiday Club** We now have 72 children books into holiday club. Around 20 of them are new to holiday club which is really good.

Don't forget the Team Brief, this Thursday 13th July in the school rooms.

Coffee and cake will be served at 7.30 as we are not able to organise fish and chips this year.

**Keep Calm and Bric-a-Brac!**

The Friends of St John's are holding a Bric-a-Brac Sale in aid of funds for the church building 10am to 1pm Saturday 15th July in St John's Schoolrooms.

**Donations for sale (including cakes) are welcome at the schoolrooms from 5.30 to 7.30pm, Friday 14th July**, or if that is not possible for you, see Terry Bush or stewards during church opening hours.

**Please remember to pray** for Jam Cary and James Dudley-Smith and all at General Synod July 7th – 10th

## **SAFEGUARDING UPDATE**

There is now a Basic Awareness Safeguarding Course (C0) online that needs to be completed by all those who have a role in the Church, particularly anyone in who has not done a training course with Jane Maclean, and is going to help out with holiday club this year.

It is also for anyone on the PCC, even if they don't help with the youth in the church. We have a number of vulnerable adults attending church and the Diocese team say that PCC members should be aware of Safeguarding procedures. Please note that completion of this course is a prerequisite for any other safeguarding training. If you do not have access the internet this course is also available as part of a face-to-face course. In order to carry out this course, link to <https://safeguardingtraining.cofeportal.org/>

Can 2 or 3 people that have a current DBS for this church please run a session for the **junior church children on Sunday 13th August**. It could be games, or simply board games. Please speak to Jo-Anne Smith.

**Rotas** .....”Everybody was sure that *Somebody* would do it”.....

There will shortly be a new rota for volunteers making coffee/tea on a Sunday after the 10.30am service at St John’s.

With enough helpers this may mean helping 3 or 4 times a year. Please consider whether you might be included. Getting involved in practical ways is so good for building and developing friendships – getting to know the church family. And could you consider joining one of these rotas?

- washing the linen after communion;
- helping on a Saturday morning to prepare books for a Sunday and welcome visitors;
- helping on the door on a Sunday morning;
- flower arranging.....to name but a few.

As a church family we can all be “helpers”.

Please contact Kath in the church office –427745 or [office@sjyeovil.org.uk](mailto:office@sjyeovil.org.uk)

## **Holiday at Home ‘VIVA ITALIA’ –**

an action-packed fun-filled day for Seniors at St Andrew’s Church Hall on Thursday 31st August 2017 10.30am to 3.30pm.

Forms available at St John’s and St Andrew’s today – cost £5 per person, includes delicious lunch, refreshments, entertainment and much more!

For more details contact Helen Peace or Beth Farrington.

**REMINDER The Yeovil Show:** 15th - 16th July has a Yeovil Churches' Tent. St John's is going to be hosting 2 of the children's craft sessions on Saturday 15th from 12-3pm and on Sunday 16th from 12-3pm and is also involved in other areas of the churches' stand. Please pray for this event.

### **Support *Oddments Theatre***

Do have a look at the (drama) sketch book Emma is promoting. "Purchasing a copy for £10 will enable the book to be donated to a prisoner in one of the prisons we work in across the country. The prisoners will be able to start up drama within their chapels or at the very least read through the bible stories and understand them in a new light. If people would like to purchase a copy for themselves they're more than welcome."

### **Do you like knitting, crochet, card making, sewing and art?**

Sandra is starting a craft group in St Andrew's Church hall in September to run every other Tuesday from 2.30 – 4.00pm (dates to be decided). If you are interested please contact Sandra Warr on 07771 907664 or e-mail [sandrajwarr@outlook.com](mailto:sandrajwarr@outlook.com) for more information.

### **6.30@St.John's - August Sunday Evenings –**

*Bible books you have never read!* Join us in the schoolrooms on Sunday evenings during August for an informal (café style) service including Bible reading, prayers, talk and discussion. Refreshments from 6.15pm (There will not be any music during these evening services so that our musicians can have a well-earned rest.)

**Schoolrooms kitchen refurbishment** this August and possibly first week of September. Use of the first floor in the schoolrooms during August or the first week of September - the main room will be available for use, but NOT the kitchen. The facility to make drinks will be available downstairs.

### **Looking ahead – dates for your diary**

Future dates for the **Autumn/ Winter Women's breakfasts.**

September 2nd with Kate Scorer speaking.

November 4th with Helen Wilcox

January 20th with Susanna Padiachy as the speaker.

March Bristol/Bath women's conferences.

All are very welcome. Please put the dates in the diary!

Any enquiries Caroline Armitstead 01935 - 862785

**Looking Ahead** - July 25th Tuesday Holy Communion service at 10.30am will be held in the schoolrooms – downstairs. Holiday Club will be using the church building.

**The Lord's Larder** are currently running short of the following items. If you would like to help the list is as follows;

*Tins of Fruit Tins of Rice Pudding Tins of Baked Beans*

*Tinned Spaghetti Tins of Ravioli 1kg bags of Sugar Jars of pasta sauce*

Thank you.

**Community Governor at Preston School:** If you are interested in becoming a School Governor, please have a word with James Dudley-Smith or Jon Peace.

### **Sunday July 16th**

**St Andrew's 9.30 am**

**Holy Communion**

Preacher: James Dudley-Smith

Leader: Doug Johnson

Exodus 16

**St John's 10.30 am**

**Morning Worship**

Preacher & Leader: James Dudley-Smith

Exodus 16

**6.30@St John's**

Preacher: Jam Cary

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*Acts 19: 23 - 41*

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**A diary of future events and contact details for staff are published in Focus, which can also be viewed on line.**