



St John's & St Andrew's Noticesheet for 4th March

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Welcome to our services

St Andrew's 9.30 am

Holy Communion

Leader: Tom Putt

Preacher: James Dudley-Smith

Luke 10: 25 - 37

St John's 10.30 am

Together for Worship

Leader & Preacher: James Dudley-Smith

Luke 10: 25 - 37

6.30@StJohns

Evening Service

Leader: James Dudley-Smith

Preacher: James Maitland

Giving Review

Matthew 27: 11 - 26

All welcome!

The next First Wednesday - the main parish prayer meeting will be on March 7th at 7.30pm in St Andrew's Hall. All welcome.

'The Weekend that changed the World':

A teaching day in the Schoolrooms, Saturday March 17th, 10:00 a.m. to 2:00 p.m. Our speaker is the Revd. Dr. Peter Walker who was a tutor in biblical studies at Wycliffe Hall when James D-S was a student there: he has recently been teaching at a seminary in the USA. He's written several books about Jerusalem and the gospels and led many tours to the Middle East. On our teaching day he will help us explore the history and geography of the first Easter.

This is advance notice: please keep the date! A flyer with more details and a sign-up sheet is at the back of the church.

Please pray for Steve, Mary and James, involved in a CAP day for the South West CAP workers and church leaders on Wednesday 14th March at the GateWay.

Art for Easter Plans for the Yeovil Churches Art for Easter exhibition: we are now looking for volunteers to steward the event which runs from Monday 26th to Saturday 31st March. We need to fill 3 slots per day: each slot will be 2 hours long and we ideally need 3 people per slot. You are more than welcome to offer to fill more than one slot! A sign-up sheet will be at the back of Church after today's service. Jennifer Matthew is also looking for a large curtain (height at least 2m): one that would not have looked too out of place in the Temple in Jesus's time (not big floral print or one obviously of a synthetic fibre, or is an unlikely colour) and very importantly, a curtain that you don't mind being ripped in half! Thank you.

Charity Day at GateWay coffee shop (Addlewell Lane BA20 1QN)

Monday 5th March 9.00am – 4.30pm. All donations received by the coffee shop for food and drink will be used towards the work of the CREATE team.

Parish Weekend Away

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

Floral group Annual General Meeting will be on Saturday 10th March at 10.30am in the school rooms.

Music for Charlie – an evening of music and entertainment at 7.30pm on Saturday 10th March in St John's church. Tickets £7 per person on the door or www.eventbrite.co.uk A great line-up of Acoustic musicians, singer songwriters and bands. The event is supporting Charlie & the Lily Foundation, raising awareness of Leigh disease. For more about this foundation go to www.thelilyfoundation.org.uk

“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 Sunday March 25th.

Men about Yeovil - Men's Breakfast Saturday 24th March.

Yeovil Court Hotel at 8.15am. Our speaker will be Paul Davies.

Paul is a former police officer in the Lancashire Constabulary who became a Christian in his mid-twenties. In more recent years he has left policing to pursue a vocation as a minister in the Church of England and is currently studying for a degree in theology and pastoral studies at Oak Hill College in London, where he lives with his wife and children.

We hope that you will be able to join us for this breakfast and do bring friends with you. There will be a charge of £8.50 per person for the breakfast payable on the day. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of the church or contact Edward Armitstead.

Please note - News from Yeovil Chamber Choir

The March edition of Focus advertises an Easter Concert on Wednesday 24th March at 7.30pm in St Andrew's.

The venue has been changed: the concert is now in St Michael's Church – same date and time.

New Directories for St John's and St Andrew's are now available.

You are encouraged to have a new copy each year: previous years' copies can be kept for reference. If you are still using 2016 or even older, there will be (possibly) up to 50 new entries of families or single people missing from your copy. You will also have missed out on new addresses and detail changes. A voluntary contribution of £1.00 per copy will be appreciated

The directory is all about church family.

This Directory is not a public document but for the private use of church members only. When you dispose of an old directory please shred it.

Lord's Larder Many thanks to everyone who responded to last month's appeal for food items.

If you would like to support the Lord's Larder and want to know what we are currently running short of, we are currently running short of :-

Boxes of Cereal, Packets of Pasta, Tins of Curry, Tinned Tomatoes, Tins of Spam with ring pull, Jars and Packets of Pasta Sauce, Litres and 500ml Cartons of UHT Milk, Tins of Custard, Tins of Rice Pudding, Sugar, Shampoo.

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.

Two Women's conferences:- Both need early bookings!

Ready for heaven

Bristol Women's Conference on the 3rd March 2018.

www.bristolwomensconference.org or

Bath Women's Conference on the 14th April.

www.bathwomensconference.org

Contact Caroline Armitstead 01935 862785

or Janet Dean 01935 389780

Please note there will be no new notice sheet prepared for Sunday 11th March.

Sunday 11th March

St Andrew's 9.30 am

Morning Worship

Leader: Beth Farrington

Preacher: Tom Putt

2 Peter 3: 3 – 14

Whole-Life Hope

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