

# ST ANDREW'S CHURCH, GREAT LINFORD

STANTONBURY ECUMENICAL PARISH

Anglican, Baptist, Methodist, United Reformed Church

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**20<sup>th</sup> August**  
**10am Holy Communion**

**Trinity 10**  
**Judy Rose**

**READINGS:** Isaiah 56: 1, 6-8 & Matthew 15: 10-28

**Next Sunday:**

27<sup>th</sup> August  
10am Holy Communion

Trinity 10  
John Beazley

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**This evening:**

**Hope for Creation ~ Tree Cathedral Service**

6pm at the Tree Cathedral off Brickhill Street at Newlands

An outdoor service of worship, prayer and reflection led by members of the Cross & Stable Church, Downs Barn – rain or shine (*Please bring your own chair/rug/umbrella*).

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**\* MORNING PRAYER: every Saturday at 8.30am in church \***

**Thursday 31<sup>st</sup> August**

**Choir Rehearsal for Worcester**

7.30pm in the church

**Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> September**

**First Wednesday Holy Communion & Open Church**

10am to 1pm in the church

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**Saturday 9<sup>th</sup> September**

**Bucks Historic Churches Ride & Stride**

St Andrew's will be open from 10 – 5

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**Men's Breakfast at Frosts' Garden Centre**

8.30 for 8.45am in the restaurant

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## **AUGUST CREAM TEAS**

Another good turnout and lots of support for St Andrew's fundraising efforts last Sunday. The proceeds seem to be increasing week on week so let's keep it up.

This Sunday two very talented and young local musicians will be playing guitar and piano. You're quite the talent scout, GB.

## **LADIES & GENTLEMEN OF THE CONGREGATION – LESS IS MORE!**

The church is overflowing with donations for Queenie's Stall and the Raffle and there are an embarrassing number of bottles of alcohol in the bell tower which the bellringers decline all knowledge of. Plenty to take us to the end of the month, thank you everyone.

But when it comes to helping set up and take down tables etc, waitressing and washing up, bringing cakes and bakes and all your friends, coming along to eat cream scones, drink tea etc. etc. enough is never enough!

## **NEW CHURCH ROTA**

**The rota for September to November is now available. Please look out for your copy on Sunday if you don't receive it by email.**

## NEW ST. ANDREW'S CALENDAR

Derek Clark will be bringing the 2017 St Andrew's calendar into church on Sunday for visitors to the Cream Teas can buy their copy so, members of the congregation, make sure you and the people you buy one for each year don't miss out. Still priced at £4.50, it's bound to sell out as quickly as last year. You have been warned!

## Reminder ~ RIDE & STRIDE 2017

### The Historic Churches Trust's Bucks Open Churches Day is on 9<sup>th</sup> September

That's 3 Saturdays from now, so not long. We need to have the church open from 9.45 onwards and as many of you as can make it will be very welcome to help with providing refreshments and registering. In fact, you could regard it as a sort of ongoing informal coffee morning, with plenty of coffee, biscuits and chat on offer. Let Ann Fountaine know if you'll be along.

Did you know people can be sponsored to cycle, walk (even horse-ride) around the churches of Buckinghamshire? All funds raised go to Buckinghamshire Historic Churches Trust and 50% can be passed on to the church of your choice. If anyone would like a sponsor form, please let Ann Fountaine know as she has a supply (there are also a couple pinned up on the notice board at the back of church).

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### You might also like to know about:

#### Saturday, 26th August

#### WELCOME SERVICE FOR REVD HELEN CAMERON,

the new Chair of the Northampton Methodist District.

2pm at The Church of Christ the Cornerstone

#### Wednesday, 20<sup>th</sup> September

**ANNUAL LIBRARY LECTURE AT ST MICHAEL'S PRIORY: REVD MALCOLM GUTE** Cost £10, including refreshments (free to St Michael's Priory library members)

For more details contact Joy 01908 242190 / [bookings@stmichaelspriory.org.uk](mailto:bookings@stmichaelspriory.org.uk)

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## REGULAR ACTIVITIES

**Healing Prayer Group:** 2pm at 9 Solar Court on the 1st Monday of month

**House Group :** 7.30pm on Monday evenings (date/venue varies)

**Church Bellringers:** every Tuesday at 7.30pm

**Communion on the first Wednesday of the month:** 10am at St. Andrews followed by coffee. Bring the children as well. Church usually stays open till 1pm

**Children's Choir:** rehearsals every Wednesday during term time from 5.15–6.15pm

**Lunch & Learn:** 4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday of every month at 10.45 at Christ Church, Stantonbury

### WHO TO CONTACT AT ST. ANDREWS

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