St Andrews Church
Great Linford

1st NOVEMBER 2026
ALL SAINTS DAY

WELCOME TO ST ANDREW'S GREAT LINFORD

Welcome to St Andrew's, Great Linford. We're so glad you're here, and we hope you enjoy reading our newsletter. We are part of the Stantonbury Ecumenical Partnership, and our Church has been a place of worship at the heart of this community since the 12th century — complete with a beautiful ring of mid-18th-century bells.

For centuries we have worshipped together, served our community together, and shared our faith in Jesus Christ. Here, ***all are welcome in this place***.

Our services are mainly traditional, with Holy Communion offered most Sundays at 10am. The first Sunday of each month is our Open Door Service, and throughout the week you'll also find other moments of prayer and gathering.

We would love to welcome you to our services and events, and to get to know you.
For more information, please visit our website

https://stantonbury.net/wp/st-andrews-great-linford

St Andrew's Team

SUNDAY 1st NOVEMBER 2026
LED BY THE REV'D SAM MUTHUVELOE
THEME - WE ARE CHILDREN OF GOD - THE SAINTS IN THE MAKING

READINGS First Letter to John 3: 1-3
Matthew 5: 1-12

HYMNS
190 For All the Saints
217 Give thanks for those whose faith is firm
97 Christ is our Cornerstone

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ST ANDREW'S SERVICES

Sunday 8th November 10am. Remembrance Sunday led by Rev Peterson Feita (no communion)

CHANGES

There will no longer be details of the complete months services at St Andrews due to there being so many last minute changes to the Ministers Rota.

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Fellowship Group -	Monday 2ND November - 10am.
Monthly Holy Communion	WEDNESDAY 4th NOVEMBER 10am
5Ways Café	Tuesday 10th November – 11am – 1pm
Watercolour workshop	Tuesday 17th November – 10am
5Ways Café	Tuesday 24th November – 11am – 1pm

SAVE THE DATES

🍰☕🍰☕TEA WITH THE VICAR AT THE RECTORY! ☕🍰☕🍰

SUNDAY 8 NOVEMBER | 2.30-5.00 PM

All are welcome at the Rectory for a cup of tea and a chat with Helen and Peterson.
If you like to bake and fancy bringing a cake or some scones to share, please either bring it with you or deliver to Church Sunday morning.

Many thanks.

WEDNESDAY 4TH NOVEMBER, SEMINAR, 'THE FOUR NOTES OF THE CHURCH. '

Following Holy communion at 10.00 am and a short break for fellowship, the 5th in the present series of seminars looks at the idea of 'One Catholic Church'.
We explore the meaning of the word 'catholic' across the ages, (sometimes with a capital 'C'), and the different ways in which it has been interpreted, notably in the pre and post eras of the Reformation, and in the last 100 years under the influence of the Ecumenical Movement and the World Council of Churches.
You would be most welcome to join us and participate in the friendly discussion.

John Beazley.

SUNDAY 29TH NOVEMBER – joint service at St Andrews – Guest speaker will be The Rev'd Katie Stacey

CHRISTMAS FAYRE

SATURDAY 12TH DECEMBER BETWEEN 2PM AND 4PM.

SUNDAY 31ST JANUARY 2027 – BISHOP DAVE'S VISIT.

PLEASE TAKE A LOOK AROUND THE NEW DIOCESE WEBSITE.

The diocese. has launched a new-look diocesan website! You'll find it at the following address **oxford.anglican.org**, but with a fresh design, clearer menus and better search functionality to help you find the information you need.
When you visit the web site you will see an article by Rev Peterson which is very interesting. Save the address to see, each month, what is happening in the Diocese.

SAFEGUARDING

St Andrews Safeguarding Officer is Stephen Jolly whose email address is
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CHURCH GIVING:
Please continue to support generously by bank transfer to:
St Andrew's Church, Sort Code: 20-57-40, account 00789925
Please remember to put your name as a sender's reference)
or by cheque payable to 'St Andrews Congregational Council' and sent to Jackie Williamson, 2 Lodge Gate, Great Linford, MK14 5EW

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if you would like further information about **services, weddings, funerals, baptisms** at St. Andrew's, please email *greatlinford@googlemail.com*

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