



ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

*A thriving, open and welcoming church community
for all ages*

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9 January 2011

WELCOME to St Andrew's on this day when we remember the Baptism of Christ—and also celebrate the baptisms of Nathaniel Grantham and Elizabeth Morris at our 10am service.

Tonight is our Epiphany Procession when the gifts of the magi are dramatically enacted—and we are invited to offer our own gifts, in particular our spiritual resolutions for the new year. You may like to take some time today to reflect on

9 January: 1st of Epiphany

- 8.00am Holy Communion (1662)
- 10.00am Parish Communion and Baptism
- 6.30pm Epiphany Procession*

Monday - Friday

- 8.15am Morning Prayer
(9am on Tues)

Monday

- 10.15am Coffee morning (Hall)
No Bible study group

Tuesday

- 12.30pm Holy Communion (Hall)
followed by a

to take some time today to reflect on that—and to be ready to make your response. A 'rule of life' card invites us to record any commitments we feel ready to make in the areas of worship, study, service and prayer. These are offered at the crib/altar and kept –confidentially—in the chancel sacrament safe until this time next year.

If you would like to know more about life at St Andrew's, please fill in one of the 'Welcome' cards in the pews and hand it in to one of the clergy.

*'A voice from heaven said,
"This is my Son, the
Beloved, with whom I am
well pleased"'*

Matthew 3.17

followed by a
bring-and-share lunch

2.15pm Silver Threads*

Wednesday

10.30am Midweek Break

Thursday

9.15am Church Mice: for babies,
toddlers and carers (Hall)

Friday

4.00pm Vespers and Vigil
No Bible study group

Sunday: 2nd of Epiphany

8.00am Holy Communion (1662)
10.00am Family Service
11.15am Matins
6.30pm Iona Eucharist

**For details, see overleaf*

Please pray for:

- Among the sick and grieving, Alison Hughes, Diana Blackwood Murray, Janet Wheeler, Barry Eaden, Betty and Gordon Borley, Kirsty Corrigan, Marvellous Nyanhi, Maureen Littlewood
- Ellie Howes, North Cambridge Transitions Project worker, who is moving on (to New Zealand!) at the end of January
- Bishop Stephen Conway (who is to be our new bishop)
- Nathaniel Grantham and Izzy Morris being baptised today
- Jakob Frickelton and Golnar Malek getting married today
- Our spiritual resolutions for 2011: those to be made during this evening's service and our response to the Bible challenges

Coming up...

There will be a Church Mice craft morning (for Epiphany) on **Tuesday 18 January**, 10-11.30am. A crèche will be provided but booking is essential. Contact Victoria, 704791, v.j.goodman@ntlworld.com.

The **Book Group** will be meeting on that evening, **Tuesday 18 January**, to discuss *Surviving with Wolves* by Misha Defonesca.

St Andrew's News & Notices

Marmalade time is approaching! Urgently required: 1lb and ¾lb jars, please. Ring or email and I will collect, or bring them to church at 10am on 19 December. Cynthia Bull, 322467, nvbull@ntlworld.com.

Leaflets are available at the back of church for next year's **Parish Weekend** at Belsey Bridge, 20-22 May. Why not think about joining us for a great weekend of fun,

Bible challenge

During 2011 there will be a special focus on the Bible, and we will have a number of Bible challenges at St Andrew's. The first is to read 1 Corinthians in the weeks before Lent **beginning tomorrow**. The vice-principal of Ridley Hall, Dr Michael Thompson, will be coming to give us an introduction to this letter of Paul—on **Monday** at 7.30pm, in a *Thinking our Faith* evening at Chesterton House.

This week...

At Silver Threads on **Tuesday**, Lesley Machie demonstrates and talks about her hobby of spinning wool. Can you tell the difference between a 'niddy-noddy' and a 'lazy kate'? Come along and find out more.

friendship and deepening our faith? All are welcome and there will be a programme for children. 74 of us went last time, but there's room for more!

This year the Ascension Singers, directed by Peter Horley, completed a 23-year tour of singing services in all 43 English Anglican cathedrals (plus one or two others on the way). Chris was their organist on 23 of their visits. See http://web.me.com/ian.mitchell/The_Ascension_Singers/The_Ascension_Singers.html if you would like to know more about the Ascension Singers' remarkable achievement. Peter has now very generously donated their sheet music to St Andrew's, where it will find a safe and appreciative home in our choir music library. Very many thanks.

Week of Prayer for Christian Unity 2011

This year, the North Cambridge Council of Churches and Orchard Park Community

Church invite you to a family-friendly act of worship where we shall explore our ties with the early church and with Christians living in the Holy Land. We will also be holding a Bring & Share meal after the worship. **Sunday 23 January** 2011 at 4pm in the Orchard Community Centre, Central Avenue, Orchard Park, Cambridge, CB4 2EZ.

Other News & Notices

Quiet Days at St Giles: 10am -4pm. The cost for the day is £18, which includes coffee and biscuits on arrival, lunch and tea. Hot and cold drinks are available throughout the day.

Quiet Days in 2011: 12 February, the Revd Nick Moir; 9 April, Fr Eric Simmons, CR.

Readings for Daily Prayer: 1 Corinthians Bible Challenge

Monday	1 Corinthians 1.1-17
Tuesday	1 Corinthians 1.18-end
Wednesday	1 Corinthians 2
Thursday	1 Corinthians 3
Friday	1 Corinthians 4
Saturday	1 Corinthians 5

Church House Publishing has produced a book with all the daily lectionary readings for the new church year, and with comments on the highlighted reading. It is called *Reflections for Daily Prayer: Advent 2010 to Christ the King 2011*. It can be ordered direct from Church House, or through Amazon.co.uk – price £15.99 (less than £1.50 per month for the year!).



" IT'S VERY ENCOURAGING TO SEE SUCH A
GOOD TURN OUT..... "

Help required

If you are happy to **read a lesson** or prepare **intercessions** on an occasional basis then Patricia Abrey would be happy to add you to the rota. Please contact her on patriciaabrey@ntlworld.com to say if you prefer the 10am or 6.30 service & what you wish to offer. Assistance with intercessions can be given if required.

St Andrew's Hall

The festive season continues at the Hall at least until 7pm on Friday 28 January, when Sky Blue Theatre Co. presents 'Aladdin', a panto suitable for all the family. Tickets are £8 for adults, £5 for children, and are available from 832288/529491. Happy New Year from us all at the Hall!

Junior Church News

Junior Bible Challenge: Learn the Bible

Some Contacts at St Andrew's

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Junior Bible Challenge: Learn the Bible verse on the front of the pewsheet, find a leader the following Sunday to tell it to and earn a prize.!

If you would like a copy of the notice sheet e-mailed to you, please send an e-mail request to the Parish Administrator.

A large print version is available at the back of the Church

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