



ST ANDREW'S, CHESTERTON

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Weekly News Update, 18 November 2022

It will be a **Churchyard Working Party tomorrow, Saturday 19th November** from 9.30 till 12.30. Do come if you can offer any time at all. Gloves, shears and secateurs would be useful. Hot drinks will be served! *Maggie Fernie, Churchwarden*

Letter from the PCC: The PCC has drawn up a [letter](#) setting out the position regarding our finances and potential decisions they need to take in response to the situation. You will read that we invite you to send feedback to pcc.secretary@standrews-chesterton.org or speak to a member of the PCC by **2nd December 2022** in order for the PCC to take such feedback into account at the next PCC meeting on 5th December. The members of the PCC are listed at the end of the letter. Thank you.
Patricia Abrey, PCC secretary (07761 478499)

I am pleased to report that Margaret Nimmo-Smith has offered to be St Andrews second Deanery Synod representative having attended the meeting with Hannah (Diocesan Synod Rep) and me last week when Nick Moir was (re) instituted as Rural Dean for North Cambridge Deanery. Nick has appealed for anyone willing to take on the Deanery Treasurer role to be in touch with him please.
Patricia Abrey

The annual **St Andrew's Fayre** is back, and will take place **next Saturday, 26th November, 1–4 pm!** Crafts, gifts and light refreshments will be on offer and the Fayre will be followed by a concert in Church at 4.30pm with students from Chesterton Community College. If you would like to have a stall at the Fayre please email me: rachel@standrews-hall.co.uk

This Sunday 20 November, Christ the King

8.00am [Holy Communion](#) (BCP; live-streamed and in church)
10.00am [All-age Communion](#), (live-streamed and in church)
5.30pm No service

Monday 21 to Friday 25 November

Every weekday: [Morning Prayer](#) at 8.30am. Online only.
Monday 21st November, 10.45 am to 12 noon: Coffee Morning in the Hall.

Next Sunday 27 November, Advent Sunday

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP; live-streamed and in church)
10.00am Parish Communion, Giving Day for Hope in Action (live-streamed and in church)
5.30pm Advent Service

Please pray for...

Isolde Gundert

From the book of remembrance: Byron Vivian Bacon, John Curry, Peggy Curry

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Azul Wasi News: You can read updates from Azul Wasi in our [Autumn 2022 Newsletter](#).
(<https://standrews-chesterton.org/church-life/mission-and-giving/azul-wasi/>)

For 10am services **sound and livestreaming** have been provided by a very small number of people since March. It's important we recruit one or two more people so this is sustainable. If you think you could help, please speak to a churchwarden, or to current team members David, Sarah or Mark to get more details, or email david.bick@standrews-chesterton.org

The **Crossways hostel** at 176 Chesterton Road run by the Cambridge Churches Homeless Project (CCHP) is now up and running and milk deliveries, provided by St Andrews church members, have begun. If further donations towards this 5 month milk supply are being made please make them payable to: Chesterton St Andrews PCC, Sort code: 20-17-35, Account No: 80263524, Reference: MILK

As the project leader has written: "this seems like a small thing in the big picture but will make a significant contribution, and when we all play our part we make this project possible on a tight budget". They are very grateful for this support St Andrew's congregation is providing towards this local project.

If you could offer any time to volunteer evenings or weekends then visit their website at <https://www.cchp.org.uk/register>

Sunday Coffee Volunteers Needed: The social coffee time after Sunday service is valued by many. We would still like to have it weekly but we'll need more volunteers. Might you be willing to help? If you're not confident, we can match you up to assist someone who is. To sign up or ask questions, get in touch with Emily at emily.winslow.stark@gmail.com Thank you!

The Chesterton Chimes contains more news from our church community, and is available [here](#).

Other News

Prayer Book Society Ely Branch Evensong and AGM: You are warmly invited to Choral Evensong at St Botolph's, Cambridge, on **Sunday, 20th November** at 4.30pm. The service will be sung by a choir conducted by Tim Brown, former Director of Music at Clare College, Cambridge. The Ely Branch AGM will follow at 5.30pm.

Further details from Dr George Owers, T: 07833 012979 , E: georgeowers@gmail.com

Rowan's Christmas Fair, Wednesday 7th December, 5-8pm, 40 Humberstone Road: There will be live music, a pop-up shop and raffle, and mulled wine and mince pies. Everyone is welcome. Why not pre-order your Christmas cards to collect on the night! Take a sneak peek at Rowan's [online Christmas collection here](#).