

A PEEK AT THE WEEK		
Monday	12.45 pm 7.00 pm	Lunchtime Prayers at All Saints Carolling Around the Parish, Meet at 5 Eston Ave
Wednesday	9.00 am	Prayer at All Saints
Thursday	1.00 pm	Kirsty's Wedding at St Andrew's
Friday	9.30 am 1.45 pm 3.00 pm	Prayer at St Andrew's Tricia Carter's Funeral at Worcester Crematorium Tricia Carter's Thanksgiving Service at St Andrew's

SERVICES OVER THE CHRISTMAS

On Christmas Eve

All Saints	9.30 am 3.00 pm	'A REFLECTIVE CHRISTMAS' MESSY CHRISTMAS
St Andrew's	9.30 am 6.00 pm 10.00 pm	JOINT (8.45 & 10.30) SERVICE CAROLS FOR ALL CHRISTMAS COMMUNION & CAROLS

On Christmas Day

All Saints	9.30 am	CHRISTMAS COMMUNION FOR ALL
St Andrew's	10.00 am	CHRISTMAS DAY FAMILY CELEBRATION

On New Year's Eve

All Saints	9.30 am	JOINT MORNING WORSHIP
St Andrew's	9.30 am	JOINT COMMUNION SERVICE



NEXT WEEK'S NOTICE SHEET WILL BE A DOUBLE ISSUE:

Please send notices for the next two weeks to Carol Barnes by 9 pm on Wednesday (notices@standrewsandallsaints.org 01684 573478)

Team Rector: Dave Bruce

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Chase Team Administrator hours:

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Kirsty: Friday 9:30-12:30pm.

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OFFERTORY - If you would like to make an offering please place it on the plate near the church entrance on the way in (or out). For tax-efficient giving, tax payers please use a named gift envelope. Thank you.

• Please take this notice sheet home with you to refer to during the week •



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A warm welcome to all visitors joining us for worship today



17th December 2017 Advent 3

THE ADVENT JOURNEY



At All Saints:

9.30 am	TRADITIONAL CAROL SERVICE		
	led by Jacqui Green	preacher	Paul Hunt
4.00 pm	CHRISTINGLE@4		Helen Attree

At St Andrew's: **Getting Ready** Isaiah 35: 1-10; Matthew 11: 2-11

8.45 am	HOLY COMMUNION		
	led by David Ritchie	preacher	James Smith
10.30 am	NATIVITY CELEBRATION		
	led by Barry Austin	preacher	Dave Bruce

- * Tea & Coffee is served after all the services. All welcome.
- * Prayer is available after the 10.30 service for yourself or on behalf of someone you know.

NEWCOMERS:

Welcome! Please fill in and return a "Welcome" leaflet, available in the foyer at St Andrew's or at the back of church at All Saints.

- Encountering Jesus in Worship, Prayer, Word and Spirit
- Growing whole-life, life-long disciples of Jesus
- Seeing lives transformed and communities flourish as we demonstrate and proclaim God's Kingdom

CAROLLING AROUND THE PARISH

Please join us for carolling around the parish on Mon 18th December from 7 - 8.30 p.m.

This year we will meet at 5 Eston Avenue, Malvern and head off to sing around the Campion Drive area. Donations of mince pies welcome (for us to offer as we go).

Warming refreshments afterwards at 5 Eston Avenue. Don't forget to wrap up warm!



AT ST ANDREW'S ...

The large noticeboard in the hall is ready to receive Christmas cards sending greetings to all our fellowship. Please add yours and read the others (blutack provided).

If you would like to make a financial donation to the Food Bank there is a box on the font.

There will be no children's groups at the 9:30am service next Sunday at St Andrew's.

PRAYER CHAIN: Send prayer requests for the Prayer Chain to Heather Williamson 01684 575584 or email heatherrwilliamson@hotmail.com with "Prayer Chain" as the subject, update every 2 weeks for continued prayer.

NEW SERVICE TIMES AT ST ANDREW'S from 7th January 2018

The PCC agreed this week to change the service times slightly from the new year - to move to a 9am and 10:45am service. This is particularly so that the earlier service can start a little later for those who want a traditional service but find it currently too early for them.

Kirsty Crichton is getting married at 1 pm on Thursday 21st December at St Andrew's All are welcome to attend

FAMILY RESOURCE LIBRARY

NOW OPEN

in the Chase End room (Church office)

Great for Christmas holiday reading, any queries ask Diane Hancock.



THANK YOU to everyone for their kind thoughts, words and prayers which have upheld us since Janet's Father's death. Thank you too, to everyone who helped in any way in the preparations for John's funeral and on the day. It was wonderful to see so many people in church!

Janet & David Booth

DON'T FORGET TO SIGN UP FOR THIS FESTIVE PARTY. TO SIGN UP SHEETS ARE LOCATED AT THE BACK OF EACH CHURCH

You are invited to

A NEW YEAR'S EVE FESTIVE CELEBRATION SUPPER.

for all the family on

Sunday 31 December at All Saints Church from 7-10 pm.

Festive/Wacky clothes optional. Small prize for the 'best dressed'.

- 7-8pm - Bring and Share Hot Supper (bring your own drinks)
- 8-9:30 - Games, Quizzes, Family Fun.
- 9:30-10 - A time of prayer and thoughts for the coming year led by Paul Hunt.



For more information speak to Vanessa or Joanne at All Saints and Mary Flynn at St Andrews.

JOIN OTHER CHRISTIANS IN MALVERN IN PRAYING FOR ...

Voluntary Organisations of our town - Community Action, Citizens Advice Bureau, Age UK, Home-Start, Foodbank, Positive Thoughts (formerly Malvern MIND), Malvern Special Families, ...

Please also pray for - Paul Hunt, Jacqui Green, Peter Buchanan, Judith Keene, Mary Flynn and Dave Bruce taking the services next week.

FOODBANK LATEST

Current shortages are ...

UHT milk, Jam, Sponge Puddings, Tomato Ketchup, Sugar, Washing powder, Washing up Liquid

We have plenty of...

Christmas things, tinned soup and beans, pasta and feminine hygiene

Thank you all very much for all your contributions.

DAVE'S DAY OFF...

is Tuesday along with Saturday afternoon and evening. Please only contact him during these times in an emergency.

NEW PHONE NUMBER



Please note that we now have a new phone line installed in the church office - 01684 576582. Please no longer use the church mobile for contacting the administrators.

TODAY'S SERMONS

Available to download (mp3 format) or listen to (via our websites). Videos and sermon slides normally available for St Andrew's. **Also available:** Notice sheet, the Chase Team Diary and previous sermons.

If you have not picked up a new MONTHLY BULLETIN please do so and keep it to refer to during December. It includes our Christmas service details, information about the Happiness Lab, Walking on Water, Christmas Tree festival and updates for the telephone/prayer books.