

The Calendar:

27th Feb—George Herbert, priest, poet, 1633; 1st March David, Bishop, patron of Wales c 601; 2nd—Chad, bishop, missionary, 672

Coffee Shop

Weds 27th February

9.30 AM—12 noon

Please note COFFEE SHOP

Will close @ 11.30 am on

WED 6th MARCH, Shrove

Tues: Said Eucharist Service

@ 12.30

Christian Aid Coffee Morning with Joanna Tom-Kargbo talking about the needs in Sierra Leone on **Mon 18th March @ St Peter's Church, Lords Mead. 10-11.30 am:** All welcome.

Thank you to all who donated raffle prizes, & supported the **Autumn Fayre Coffee Morning** on Sat 16th.

A fantastic, record breaking £712.00; thank you to our Autumn Fayre Planning Team & helpers.

Just one week left to write your contribution to the Annual Report:

Jenny Norris will be putting together the usual St. Andrew's annual report. Would those involved, **Please email Jenny** with the report for your Committee/Group to Jenny by the **end of Feb.** norrisjm2@gmail.com

St. Andrew's Art Group On Mondays in the church 1.30—4 pm. All welcome. Elizabeth Blum.

Items for inclusion in Pewsheets to be with Ros Harford 812190 by Weds Evening rosharf31@btinternet.com



"Foundations of Faith": Next meets on **Weds 27th Feb (postponed from 20th)** at Rod & Sue's home 7.30 pm:

DEANERY & OTHER INFORMATION FROM DICK SPENCER, OUR DEANERY REPRESENTATIVE:

♦ **Chippenham Street Pastors "Our Story Celebration Service"** on **Weds 13th March 7.30 pm @ St Paul's Church, Chippenham**

♦ **Counselling Manager Vacancy, in Chippenham** for Olive Branch Counselling for details & application forms email:

geoffandchris@waitrose.com

• **World Day of Prayer, Fri 1st March @ Central Methodist Church, Monkton Hill, Chippenham 2 pm—all welcome.**

Parish Retreat at Nympsfield 22nd – 24th March: The retreat will be led by Rev. Minty Hull, associate priest at St Matthew's, Bristol and a very experienced Spiritual Director and Retreat Leader in Ignatian spirituality. Cost £120. Minty has chosen the title "In all Things Thee to See" for our retreat, from the hymn by George Herbert, and hopes to share with us some very practical and accessible ideas for enriching our spiritual lives together and as individuals. Booking form at the back of Church

Mid-Week H.C service: Thursdays 8.30 am H.C. Said Service. **Morning Prayer 8.30 am Mondays, Tues, & Sat:** Morning Prayer 8 am Wednesdays. **Please note that Rod's day off is Friday**



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TODAY: SUNDAY 24th FEBRUARY 2019

2nd Sunday before Lent (Year C)

8 am HOLY COMMUNION (Trad. Language):

10 am PARISH EUCHARIST

Reading: Revelation 4. 6-11

Gospel: St. Luke 8. 22-25

HYMNS: 379; 162; 662; 381; 337

(Today 24th: Sunday Club meets in the Club Room @ 9.50 am)



WARDEN ON DUTY : MARGARET HARRISON

NEXT SUNDAY 3rd MARCH 2019

Sunday next before Lent (Year C)

8 am HOLY COMMUNION (Trad. Language):

10 am ALL AGE EUCHARIST

Reading: Exodus 34. 29-end

Gospel: St. Luke 9. 28-36

HYMNS: 691; 590; 525; 88;

(words on separate sheet "I want to Walk")



ASH WEDNESDAY 6TH MARCH :

Said Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes @ 12.30
Sung Eucharist with Imposition of Ashes @ 7.30 pm
Guest celebrant Rev. Judy Howard



"BROKEN" - A STUDY COURSE FOR LENT written by Paula Gooder based on the TV series. This challenging and hard hitting **6 SESSION COURSE** focuses our thoughts on sin, guilt, forgiveness and redemption. We begin in the week beginning 11 MARCH - flyers with information and a sign-up form are available at the back of church today with a **DEADLINE of SUNDAY MARCH 3!!** Any queries, see or contact

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Collect

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth and made us in your own image: teach us to discern your hand in all your works and your likeness in all your children; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord .

Post Communion

God our creator, by your gift the tree of life was set at the heart of the earthly paradise, and the bread of life at the heart of your Church: may we who have been nourished at your table on earth be transformed by the glory of the Saviour's cross and enjoy the delights of eternity; through Jesus Christ our Lord.

1st Reading: REVELATION 4. 6-11

In front of the throne there is something like a sea of glass, like crystal. Around the throne, and on each side of the throne, are four living creatures, full of eyes in front and behind: ⁷the first living creature like a lion, the second living creature like an ox, the third living creature with a face like a human face, and the fourth living creature like a flying eagle. ⁸And the four living creatures, each of them with six wings, are full of eyes all around and inside. Day and night without ceasing they sing, 'Holy, holy, holy, the Lord God the Almighty, who was and is

and is to come. ⁹And whenever the living creatures give glory and honour and thanks to the one who is seated on the throne, who lives for ever and ever, ¹⁰the twenty-four elders fall before the one who is seated on the throne and worship the one who lives for ever and ever; they cast their crowns before the throne, singing, ¹'You are worthy, our Lord and God, to receive glory and honour and power, for you created all things, and by your will they existed and were created.'

GOSPEL: St Luke 8. 22-25

One day Jesus got into a boat with his disciples, and he said to them, 'Let us go across to the other side of the lake.' So they put out, and while they were sailing he fell asleep. A gale swept down on the lake, and



the boat was filling with water, and they were in danger. They went to him and woke him up, shouting, 'Master, Master, we are perishing!' And he woke up and rebuked the wind and the raging waves; they ceased, and there was a calm. He said

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to them, 'Where is your faith?' They were afraid and amazed, and said to one another, 'Who

then is this, that he commands even the winds and the water, and they obey him?'

Remembering those who have asked for our prayers:

Anne Baker, Mary Beint, Stanley Blake, Tony Bollen, Lisa Cliff, Heather Deverell, Mary Fallon, Liz Fox, Mary Neate, Joan Williams, Sue Stearn, Debby Whitby, Sharon., Eileen Yates; 7 yo James Little; Laura: Andrew; For little Edward Collins, and his parents ; Joan Bambury, Matt Warren (Debbie & Chris's son), Joseph

From the Candle Stand: David & Rosie; ;Penny

Communion of Saints & the Departed: Chris; William; Ray, Brian, Anita
John Le Grange

**PANCAKE PARTY & BEETLE DRIVE
SHROVE TUESDAY 5TH MARCH @ 6 PM:**

**Sign up & tickets from Dorryta after the 10 am service today:
£5 adults £2.50 children.**



CELEBRATING OUR NEW HALL

Bishop Viv has accepted our invitation and will join us at our Eucharist on Mothering Sunday 31st March. She will lead worship, and dedicate The King Alfred Hall afterwards. Simnel Cake & glass of bubbly in the hall after worship, to be finished by 12 noon.



On Mothering Sunday weekend 30-31 March we plan to have an exhibition of talents in the newly restored Church hall. We want to fill the hall with the Art & craft work created by parishioners. Please be thinking about how you can contribute.

Perhaps models you have made, furniture, rugs, pottery, papier-mâché, paintings, drawings.....Please contact Rod or Liz Blum with your ideas.' We will also hope to have a produce stall, so please think about what you could offer: seedlings, vegetables, jam, cake, flowersLooking forward to your ideas and contributions. Elizabeth Blum

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CONFIRMATION SERVICE

Next Confirmation Service for Chippenham area will be at St.Cyriac's. Lacock on **Sunday 3rd May**. Later this year, we will be hosting a further Confirmation here at St Andrew's. Please see Rod if you are thinking about being confirmed.

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