

Prayer for the week
Pray diligently. Stay alert, with your eyes wide open in gratitude.
(Colossians 4.2)

Please pray for:

- Rachael (Wilsher) and Steve Coulson, married in Holy Trinity yesterday
- The choice of church wardens and PCC members
- Help urgently needed with youth work
- Lyn Hodges, Jean Booth, David Date, Yvonne Hay, Mick Quick
- The launch of mission and ministry to Mulberry Park

International Mission Partner: David and Heather Sharland

Severe drought across the Horn of Africa (Kenya, Ethiopia, Somalia, Uganda and Djibouti) has left over 12.4 million people in urgent need of humanitarian assistance. In some areas, the current drought is reported to be the worst in over 60 years. Pray for aid organisations as they try to reach the most vulnerable groups, particularly women, children, the elderly, people with disabilities and people living with HIV/AIDS. Pray for David and Heather in Uganda as they face this crisis in their community and also as refugees arrive into their area fleeing violence in South Sudan.

International linked ministry: Malcolm and Meme

Pray for their work of church planting in the Philippines. Last week they had a three-day youth camp. Pray for those youth that made commitments, that the seed that was planted will not be stolen away by the enemy but will produce a harvest. Pray that there will be good follow-up from the camp and that the leaders will also be encouraged and strengthened. Pray that the youth work will continue to prosper and that God will change lives by the power of His Spirit.

Prayer at HT and St Andrew's

Prayer on Mondays: HT 7.30 - 8.30pm
StACC 6 - 6.45pm.

Prayer on Thursdays: HT 7 - 8am

Lucy prayer group: Meets weekly to intercede for the sick. Contact Janet Andrews (837416) to ask for prayer

Emergency prayer chain:

If you have an urgent prayer need, you can activate more than 50 people to pray. Please contact Lynne Tisdale (07402931102) or Rosalind Meryon (840230). If you are unable to contact the prayer chain, please pray with friends "For when two or three come together in my name, I am there with them" (Matt.18.20)

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Welcome to Holy Trinity and St Andrew's

We are a Word and Spirit church.

Through clear Bible teaching, worship and ministry led by the Holy Spirit, we want to grow in faith and become more like Jesus.

We believe Jesus is the Hope of the World and our desire is to bring others to know Him too.

The Church's prayer for the second Sunday of Easter
Risen Christ,
for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred:
open the doors of our hearts,
that we may seek the good of others
and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace,
to the praise of God the Father. Amen

Sunday 23 April 2017

Holy Trinity

9.00am Classic Service
10-10.25am Coffee
10.30am Contemporary Service

Thursday 27 April

11.30am Midweek service

St. Andrew's

10am Tea and toast
10.30am Contemporary Service

Speakers today:

Holy Trinity	9am and 10.30am	Gerard Charles
St Andrews	10.30am	Peter Houston
South Stoke	9.30am	Tim West
Monkton Combe	11.00am	James Bradby

God says
HTCD

 You will **find** me when you **search** for me with all your **heart**

APCM : 26th April 2017 at 7.30pm in HT

Get informed before the meeting - we have

- A leaflet with details of our candidates for Warden - *paper copies in church or email office@htcd.church*
- Copies of this year's accounts - *as above*
- Minutes of last year's meeting
- *on the church website www.htcd.church*

Budget Advisors: We now have three CAP qualified Budget Advisers: Hazel Roberts and Rachel and Fergus Stewart. They are available to help people manage income/expenses, gather savings, and work out how to repay smaller debts. Available to help individuals or to help small groups of 4-6 people. PLEASE NOTE: they are not debt counsellors - for that, see Amanda at the Debt Centre at StACC.

Relief Drivers urgently needed to drive Bath Community Transport minibuses for The Peggy Dodd Centre. Contact Rachel on daycentre.peggydodd@gmail.com or 835520:

Love Combe Down:

- Hope you all have friends and family invited and excited for this event. If possible please could you bring picnic rugs and collapsible chairs to The Firs Field on the day. We also need bunting and gazebos which should be brought to the church office from Tuesday 2nd May onwards, clearly named. Thank you very much.
- **Cakes** needed in large quantities. Please contact Angie Seale (angieseale.as@gmail.com) if you (or your homegroup?) could contribute a cake or two.

Parenting Course at Ascension Church, Oldfield Park on Monday evenings from 8th May at 7.30pm. 6 week course with a break for the bank holiday on 29 May. More details from sarah@ascensionbath.org.uk.

Genesis Trust Life Skills project is seeking a part time volunteer to help with administrative support 10-15 hours a week. The project offers support and training to vulnerable adults experiencing mental health issues, homelessness or long-term unemployment. Please contact Denise Weikert on 07921830379 or email denise@genesistrust.org.uk.

Genesis Trust has 3 new paid job opportunities available : Head of Fundraising(full time), an Individual Giving Manager (part time) and a part time Project Assistant with Home for Good (which promotes fostering and adoption in the Christian community). Details of all 3 posts are available on the Genesis website www.genesistrust.org.uk

Accommodation needed Christmas 2017 – June 2018 for the Waytes' daughter and son-in-law on 6 months sabbatical from New Zealand, with little girl Maisy (nearly 2yrs old). They will have some means to pay some rent but not all of their sabbatical is funded so financial kindness would be a great blessing to them! Does anyone have a flat or house which could be used for some or all of that time? Please email chrissallywayte@btinternet.com if you can help.

New Chaplain for RUH moving with family June, needs temp family space (large flat?) - is anyone going on long break or has similar available home within easy reach RUH? 1st contact AF 835486.

Today

- **Welcome Lunch** for everyone new to the church, at Graham House, The Avenue, home of Richard and Rosalind Meryon.

Wednesday 26 April

- **Annual Parochial Church Meeting**, 7.30pm HT. A time to hear what has been happening in the churches over the last year and to elect new church wardens and members to the church council. All church members are encouraged to come.

Thursday 27 April onwards

- **'Foundations' course**, led by Paul & Clare, weekly until the end of June. We will be working through a book covering some basics of Christian teaching on beliefs & lifestyle. Lonsdale, 7.30pm. Please contact clare.kenchington@htcd.church if interested.

Friday 28 April

- **Charity Quiz Night with Music** 7.30pm at STACC Family friendly evening, raising funds for the DEC East African Appeal. Tickets £5 for adults, £3 for children from church office or St Andrews. More details from Sarah smbogg@hotmail.com

Sunday 30 April

- **OPEN SPACE** 7pm St Andrews.

Wednesday 3 May onwards

- **Newcomers' Group** for anyone new to the church to meet people for fellowship and support, and learn more about the church. Weekly for 6-8 weeks, led by Peter & Sharon Blair and Hils & Dave Rogers at Appledore, Summer Lane, Combe Down. Please let the office or the Blairs or Rogers know if you can come.

Saturday 6 May

- **Saturdays at Eden.** Eden House Hallatrow BS39 6EA. "Holding it all together - Anxiety" Susannah Padiachy. Feeling overwhelmed? Let's find a simpler way to move from stress towards peace. 10am coffee & talk, followed by buffet lunch. No charge, but donations welcome. For more information contact the Hannans 01761 452778 or 07533037020 or see flyer in church.

Sunday 7 May



10am	Refreshments
10.30am	Sport with Get Sported (for all ages) on the Firs or Craft in the Church Rooms
11.30am	The Main Event with comedian/magician Steve Legg
12.30pm	Bring a picnic to have on the Firs Field