

# 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 sixth Sunday of Easter*

Risen Christ,  
by the lakeside you renewed your call to your disciples:  
help your Church to obey your command  
and draw the nations to the fire of your love,  
to the glory of God the Father.  
Amen



## 5 May 2024

### Holy Trinity

9.00am **Morning Worship  
with communion**

10.45am **Contemporary  
Worship with Baptism**  
Preacher: Katy Partridge

6.00pm **The 6**  
Preacher:  
Ben Notley



### St Andrews

10.30am **Contemporary Worship**  
Preacher: Alan Bain

### 9 May (Ascension Day)

11.00am **Morning Worship  
@ HT**  
Preacher:  
William Challis



## Church family news

**Farewell to Katy:** this is Katy Partridge's last Sunday with us before she moves to Southampton. She will be preaching at HT at the two morning services, and she will be at The 6 as well, so do take the opportunity to say goodbye to her.

**STACCTION DAY** – A HUGE thank you to the team that came out on Saturday helping to clean up the streets around Foxhill. We had over 40 volunteers involved which was just amazing. You folks are the best!!! Thank you so so much! Malcolm

**Cakes:** Would you be able to bake a cake for the Bereavement Journey course? It runs on Wednesday evenings until mid-June. Please contact Vanessa Rew on [vanessa@htcd.church](mailto:vanessa@htcd.church). Thank you!

**Bath Foodbank:** We've had an urgent appeal from Bath Foodbank for more donations. Referrals to the foodbank have increased by 13% since last year, with about 50 new households each month accessing food support for the first time. We will be making a collection at HT in the next couple of weeks, but in the meantime the following urgently-needed items can be donated at drop-off points in supermarkets,



- Tinned tomatoes, Instant mash, Jars pasta sauce
- Instant coffee, Tinned fruit, Tinned custard
- Biscuits Chocolate
- Shampoo, Deodorant

**One year in DC** Does anyone know of a capable and Godly young lady who might like to 'au pair' for girls aged 4&2 for a Christian family with both parents working in the British Embassy in Washington DC till summer 2025? Beautiful home and lovely parents who will be very righteous employers. If so, please contact Richard M 077 99 747 035.

**Please contact Victoria Strang** if you are interested in any 80s & 90s Music Edition Chorus Books. See directory.

**HTCD gives a warm welcome:** Please help maintain our church's DNA that we are known as a welcoming church. Every Sunday every one of us regular attenders are urged to look out for people you don't recognise to ensure, if they are visitors or first timers, they feel sincerely welcome among us. Let's make sure that no-one leaves the services without being spoken to. Thank you!

**New Wine 2024:** A few offsite tickets are still available so book in before they all go! Let Sharon know if you're coming.

**Thank you to the Children's teams this Sunday:**

**Jonah's Crew** (Creche). Sue D

**Ruth's Crew** Diana G, Zoe W

**Peter's Crew** Elaine H, Peter C, Chris B

**Andrew's Crew** (STACC) Tanya W, Rob A

## Church events

**Saturday 11 May**

**Dads, Kids, + Coffee, Bacon.**

Dads - looking for something to do with your pre-school children on Saturday mornings? Come to Holy Trinity from 9-10.30am for good coffee, a bacon roll and toys for the kids.



**Wednesday 15 May**

**Annual Church Meeting (APCM) 7.30pm HT** Celebrating what God has done amongst us in the past year and looking towards the coming year. **Everyone is encouraged to attend so please put the date in your diaries.**

**Monday 13 - Saturday 18 May**

**24/7 Pentecost Prayer:** Prayer for revival for Pentecost! We are running a prayer room at Holy Trinity from 6am-9pm every day in the week before Pentecost, from Mon 13 May until Thurs 16

May, and then a 36 hour burn from 6am Friday 17th to 6pm Saturday 18th. We'd love to fill all the time slots, so book yours on the website <https://www.htcd.church/events-1/pentecost-24-7-prayer-room-time-slots-2>



## Other events

**Saturday 11 May**

**Plant Sale:** 10am-12 noon. Plants, books, raffle, cakes and refreshments. Peggy Dodd Centre, Summer Lane

**Monday 13 May**

**Bath Abbey:** Chris Cook, Emeritus Professor Durham University, leading seminar and lecture based on his book 'Struggling with God: Mental Health and Christian Spirituality'. For anyone involved with pastoral care in churches, support groups or counselling organisations. Focusing on practical application in different contexts

**Seminar 3pm:** Abbey Reading Room: To register contact [office@bathabbey.org](mailto:office@bathabbey.org)

**Lecture 7pm:** in the Abbey, To book for the lecture: <https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/struggling-with-god-mental-health-christian-spirituality-tickets-875966167387?aff=ebdsoporgprofile>

**Friday 31 May**

**Abbey Comedy Night:** Bath Abbey welcomes Christian comedian Paul Kerensa, (*British Comedy Award-winning writer for BBC's Miranda, Not Going Out, Top Gear, ITV's Royal Variety Show*). He is the ultimate 'stand-up' on the Christian Comedy circuit. An evening full of laughter and joie de vivre! Tickets £10 from: <https://bathboxoffice.org.uk/whats-on/an-evening-with-paul-kerensa/about> Doors open 7pm, start 7.30pm. Bar available.

**Transylvania Adventure: Walking and Cycling**

Please support this business start up to allow Otto and the team to continue their work with the disabled in Brasov area. All details: <https://www.graft4growth.co.uk/>

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## Prayer for the week

Pray diligently. Stay alert, with your eyes wide open in gratitude.

*(Colossians 4.2)*

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Please pray for:

- Lucy Youtten and Todd Clay being baptised at Holy Trinity today
- Carol Mill now in St Martins

## Mission Prayers

Please pray for Paul Alkazjari who has had a bad reaction following a routine knee operation. Please pray for a full return to health and energy for Paul and Albana in their ministry in Vlochist in Albania.

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## Benefice Prayer

**Morning Prayer** on Mondays and Fridays on Zoom at 9am

[https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81360641930?](https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81360641930?pwd=QW5HNXVLd2pzaS8zODVvZ2s4WEFkZz09)

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**Thursdays** at 7am in Holy Trinity

**StACC:** third Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm.

**Mission prayers:** last Monday of month, 7pm on Zoom  
Contact Sue Budd for link

**Emergency prayer chain:** If you have an urgent prayer need, you can activate more than 50 people to pray. Please contact Lynne Tisdale (07402931102).

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## Giving at HT

**By Standing Order:** (preferred) Forms are available at [www.htcd.church/giving](http://www.htcd.church/giving) or from the Welcome table



**QR Code:** On display in the Foyer or here:

**Card reader** for contactless payments (in HT foyer)

**By cheque:** payable to **Combe Down PCC** please

**Online** go to [www.htcd.church/giving](http://www.htcd.church/giving) or click on the GIVING tab at the top of the front page of the website

**By text:** Text HTCD01 and the amount to 70070

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