

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 fourteenth Sunday after Trinity

Merciful God,
your Son came to save us and bore our sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy and know your love,
rejoicing in the righteousness that is ours
through Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen



18 September 2022

Holy Trinity Spiritual Heart

Surgery

1 Samuel 3:1-4:1

9.00am Morning Worship

10.45am Contemporary Worship

Preacher: Shawn Swinney



St Andrews 10.30am

Contemporary Worship

Preacher: Malcolm Morgan

Thursday 22 September

11.00am Midweek
traditional service
@ HT

Preacher:
James Bradby



Church family news

The Church Office will be closed on
Monday 19 September for
the Queen's funeral

Table tennis, every Monday night, 7:30–9pm at StACC . All keen players welcome, both ladies and men. Bats and balls are provided. Come along for some fun! Contact Peter Watt (ptwatt1234@yahoo.co.uk) if interested.

Wild about Bath Photo competition

Enter your lovely photos of wildlife in Combe Down, Monkton Combe, South Stoke, and the surrounding area, taken between April and October 2022. For the rules and deadline for submission go to:



<https://wildaboutbath.org/events/photo-comp-2022/>

Help needed on Sundays with Children's groups especially Jonah's Crew

We are blessed with an increasing number of children coming to the 10.45am service on Sundays. Our team of helpers is ever diminishing, especially for those looking after the 0–4 year olds in Jonah's Crew. Please consider if you could get a DBS and offer to spend an hour a month with our youngest ones. Email children@htcd.church to offer to serve in this way or talk to Sue Dewes for more information. They are lovely children – they don't bite!

Does anyone actually read Ezekiel? The ladies on Monday mornings will meet again to study this exciting book in the Old Testament. On 26th September we shall start with the mums at Claire's Cafe at 10 am in Holy Trinity, before introducing 'Visions of God's Glory' at 10.30. From October we start at 10 am after sharing a delicious hot or cold drink together. The study guides are available from Patricia Corcoran for £4.

Can you cook? Could you come and cook a simple meal for the lively and rewarding Toddler group once a month? Our meals at Toddlers really help to show Christ's love and provision to those who really need it and this will be a huge blessing to many during this financial crisis. You will have two helpers and many grateful mums and dads! Please contact Sharon on sharon.blair@htcd.church or Claire on children@htcd.church.

If you can't cook please pray for those who can!

Ukrainian families: Please consider inviting any of the families for Sunday lunch or offer to take them out somewhere or have them round for an easy supper. This has the added benefit of giving the hosts respite and time for their own families.

Hosts at the moment are the Courtiers, the Hannans and the Scrivens. Please either contact them directly or contact Vanessa Rew who is drawing up a rota.

Daytime Dogcare needed for Monty the Spaniel 10th–14th October while I am in Romania. Call Sue Budd.

Dates for your diary

Saturday 17 Sept Ripple Effect

(the new name for Send a Cow)

Newton St Loe. 1-4pm. A chance to

hear about our plans to reach 5 million more people with our life-changing development project by

2030 and to meet some colleagues in Africa who are

turning your support into action to help families fight hunger and the climate crisis in the countries where we work.

Please confirm your attendance at your earliest convenience by registering online for the event at

www.rippleeffect.org/festival



Sunday 25 September

Are you 'newish' to our church? We would love to invite

you & yours to Sunday lunch on 25th September at Appledore, Summer Lane, after the 10.45am service. It's an easy walk 5 minute walk from Holy Trinity.

Following that there is a **Newcomers Course** running on Wednesdays for 5 weeks starting in November. The

evening is a social get together with other newcomers plus

you will meet different members of staff each week and

hear about their ministries. You will even get a chance to

grill the vicar! So if you are new-ish please consider

yourselves warmly invited to both and RSVP to Sharon via

sharon.blair@htcd.church

Meet-up Monday Cafes

The café will not be open on Monday 19 September, because of the Queen's

funeral, but the final session will be on

Monday 26 September (9-10.30am). If

you could help serve drinks at this

gentle outreach, mingle to make all feel welcome please let

Claire know. children@htcd.church



Sunday 9 October

Harvest Services followed by a Harvest Picnic (BYO) and

the 'Wild about Bath' photographic competition to

celebrate the biodiversity in our local area. See opposite for

categories and details of how to enter. We will be making a

collection of food for Bath Foodbank—details to follow.

Thursday 13 Oct Genesis Trust

welcome you to a Thanksgiving

Service at Bath Abbey at 7.30pm to

celebrate 32 years of Genesis Trust.

Worship led by Dave Bilborough.

Doors open 7pm for a 7.30pm start, Tickets are free but

places are limited so please book here so we can ensure

you have a seat - [Genesis Trust Thanksgiving Service](https://www.eventbrite.com/e/genesis-trust-thanksgiving-service-tickets-Thu-13-Oct-2022-at-19:30)

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Thank you to the Children's teams this Sunday:

Jonah's Crew (Creche). Pauline Moore, Rebecca Wilson –Brown

Ruth's Crew: Diana Groom, Sarah Knedel, Vanda James, Jane Langsford

Peter's Crew: Louise Perry, Sharon Jackson, Chris Budd,

Please pray for:

- The Queen's funeral on Monday 19th September
- The pilgrimage to the Oberammergau Passion Play, 14-21 September.

Mission Prayer

Pray for Gerard and Sarah Charles based in Manchester and working with Christian students to equip them to witness to their Muslim neighbours. This is a busy time of year as new students arrive and new friendships made.

The Anchor Project

- the elderly many of whom are isolated in our community
- asylum seekers and refugees and those struggling to integrate due to limited English language skills
- people of different faiths and none
- local people of all ages and backgrounds, and encouraging them to improve our often neglected urban surroundings

Bringing diverse people groups together is important for our community which has a large majority of people of South Asian heritage, small numbers of white British and growing minorities of asylum seekers, refugees and economic migrants.

Prayer at Holy Trinity

Morning Prayer on Mondays and Fridays on Zoom at 9am

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89360622592?pwd=aS8veU9Tck5jSnlhTFIRdUJXM2wzdz09>

Thursdays at 7am in Holy Trinity

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

Giving at HT

By Standing Order: (preferred) Forms are available at 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 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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