



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



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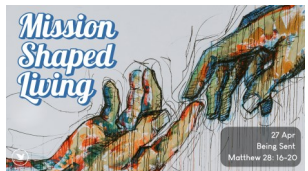
27 April 2025

Holy Trinity

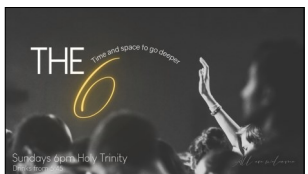
9.00am Morning Worship

10.45am Contemporary
Worship

Preacher : Tim Lewis



6.00pm **The 6**
Preacher :
Shawn Swinney



St Andrews

10.30am Contemporary Worship
Preacher: Malc Morgan

1 May

11.00am Midweek communion
service @HT
followed by lunch
Preacher: Tim Lewis



Church Family

Out to lunch Sundays! In a large church it can be difficult to meet people, so we are trialling monthly lunches in individual homes: sharing a meal is such a great way to get to know people better.



We would love church members to sign up to host lunches on the first Sunday of each month, **starting on 1 June**, and they will then be matched with guests.

The lunch can be as simple as soup and bread, and can be for as many or as few people as you wish. You can sign up once in the year or lots of times.

Please click on the appropriate link below or use the QR code, and sign up as either a host or a guest.



[Guest Sign Up](#)



[Host Sign Up](#)

Dates for your diaries

Saturday 10 May

Wild About Bath' invite you to our annual Seed and Plant Swap on 10 May at St Andrews Community Centre 10 - noon. If you can spare any **plants** (indoor or outdoor), **seeds**, or **garden equipment**, please bring it along 9-10 am on 10 May. If you prefer, please phone Sue Monk 07960070718 and she can collect items the 2 days before.



Wednesday 14 May

ALL WELCOME! The next meeting of Christian Action for the Environment (CafeBANES) is on Wednesday 14 May at 7.30pm at All Saints, Farmborough, BA2 0AN. Methodist John Ranford, who has worked with Christian Aid and Bible Society, will be speaking on The Bible and the Anthropocene and our response to current climate issues.

Friday 13 and Saturday 14 June.

Genesis Leap of Faith!

Abseil from the top of the Bath Abbey tower and raise much needed funds for Genesis at the same time.

Be brave and register as an early bird today for only £40 and book your place and your time slot. From 1 May the price will be £45. *Please then fundraise £150 for Genesis Trust and Bath Abbey.*

Sign up here [Leap of Faith! 2025 | Genesis Trust Bath](#)



Church Events

Thursday 1 May

Midweek service and lunch: Holy Communion service at Holy Trinity at 11am, followed by a cold buffet lunch. For more information, please contact Vanessa on: vanessa@htcd.church

Monday 5 May

The Prayer Gathering: Join us for a powerful time of prayer and community as we gather together to lift up each other's needs and seek God's guidance. Whether you're going through a personal challenge, want to stand in prayer for others, or just need a time of spiritual refreshment, this is the perfect place to connect, share, and grow in faith.



"For where two or three are gathered together in My name, I am there in the midst of them."

7:45pm for 8pm, with refreshments before the start

Wednesday 7 May for 7 weeks

Marriage Course:

St Andrews, 7pm

Led by Peter and Tanya Watt and using material produced by Holy Trinity Brompton, the Marriage Course is designed for any married couple



wishing to build a strong and lasting relationship. Each couple's privacy is respected as there is no group discussion and no requirement to disclose anything about their relationship to anyone else. While based on Christian principles, the course is relevant and helpful for any couple with or without a Christian faith or church background.

For more information and to book: <https://www.htcd.church/events-1/the-marriage-course>

Wednesday 14 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.

Thank you to the Children's teams this Sunday:

Jonah's Crew (18-36 months).

Angie S, Sarah B, Sue B



Ruth's Crew (3-6: Church Rooms)

Adam W, Grant P, Louise S, Rachel K



Peter's Crew (7-11 : Church Rooms)

Gavin A, Gill S, Peter C, Chris B



Prayer for the week

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

Mission Prayers:

At **Kinuman Church** in the Philippines there has recently been a great response to the gospel amongst young people, and new openings into local schools. Pray for Malcolm and Mimi Dando, that they will have the resources to support these young people on their journey of faith, with new leaders who can help them grow as disciples.

Genesis Trust and Bath Foodbank

Please pray for the foodbank staff and volunteers during a time of change and development. From 3 June, we will be merging with Keynsham and Somer Valley Foodbanks to create a combined foodbank run by Genesis Trust Bath to serve local people in crisis. We will be operating under the new name of Bath, Keynsham & Somer Valley Foodbank. Merging the three foodbanks will help us all to maintain an effective service which best serves our clients across the region. We give thanks for generous provision from supporters of the foodbanks but also pray that this continues over the traditionally quieter donation months of spring and summer.

Morning Prayer on Mondays and Fridays on Zoom at 9am
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81360641930?pwd=QW5HNXVld2pzaS8zODVvZ2s4WEFkZz09>

Thursdays at 7am in Holy Trinity

StACC: third Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm.

Mission prayers: last Monday of month, 6pm on Zoom
Contact William Challis 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).

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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