

From the Vestry – August 28th, 2021

Best wishes 'from the Vestry'

It was good to enjoy coffee and chat after service last week, we hope you felt comfortable and will continue to share coffee and fellowship after Sunday morning service. To make this happen we need volunteers, both to make and serve the coffee and also to put up the tables and arrange the chairs before service. If you are able to help, please give your name to Ian Orrell or a Warden

A reminder that on the first Wednesday of each month there will be a service of Holy Communion at 10.15am commencing this next Wednesday, September 1st.

It is with sadness that we learn of the death of Brenda Ridgway a member of our congregation, a member of our Mothers' Union and a flower arranger, also Kim Clevely-Perkins who worshipped here at Stand until moving away. Both died on Monday 23rd August. Please keep Brenda's family, and the family of Kim in your prayers.

An SOS from 'The Pantry' for Toilet Rolls, Hot Dogs, Cheap Fabric Conditioner, small Washing up liquid plus the usual cooking Oil, cordial and Corned Beef. The next collection on the Church Hall Carpark is on Tuesday 7th September between 10am and 10.30am or leave your donations near 'The Basket' at the back of church.

Another reminder of the meeting regarding 'Anna Chaplaincy': -

- Together with St. Andrew's and St. George's we are looking at our three churches becoming part of the Anna Chaplaincy for older people. Our PCCs have decided to proceed with this. If you are interested in becoming an Anna Chaplain or Anna Friend or supporting the Chaplaincy in any way, however small, you are invited to a meeting on Saturday 11th September at 3 pm at St Andrew's Church. There will be coffee/tea and cake. If you require transport or have any other questions, please contact Sue Orrell on 07879063935.

The virus has not gone away and continues to mutate, take care of yourselves.

In friendship

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What's on? ... Church Diary from August 29th, 2021

- Sunday August 29th – 10am Holy Communion – Revd Adele McKie
- Wednesday September 1st - 10.15am Holy Communion – Revd Elizabeth Binns
- Sunday September 5th – 10am Holy Communion – Revd Elizabeth Binns
- Monday September 6th – 7.30pm Breathing Space via Zoom
- Tuesday September 7th – 10am to 10.30am Collection for 'The Pantry' in the Church Hall Car Park
- Thursday September 9th - 7.30pm Choir practice.
- Saturday September 11th - 3pm at St Andrew's Hillock - Meeting for those interested in supporting the Anna Chaplaincy project.
- Sunday September 12th – 10am Morning Worship – Steve Mulwhinney

- Tuesday September 14th - Deanery Synod via zoom
 - Wednesday September 15th – PCC via zoom
 - Saturday September 18th – 3pm Manchester Mothers’ Union, Diocesan Festival – in the Cathedral
 - Sunday September 19th – 10am Holy Communion – St Andrews St Georges team
 - Sunday September 19th – 12 noon – Baptism of Bethany Postlethwaite
 - Sunday September 26th – 10am Holy Communion Revd Elizabeth Binns
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