

Diary for the next two weeks

16	M	10am-12.30pm Café open in the foyer 6pm Police Surgery in the foyer 7pm Prayer meeting in crèche room <i>House groups start back this week</i>
17	Tu	2.15pm Ladies Fellowship meet in the coffee lounge
18	W	6pm StAY Band in church
19	Th	9am Little Rews in the hall 5-6pm StAY Voices in church (young people) 8-9.30pm StAC Voices in church (adults)
20	F	5.30pm K@StA 7pm NxtStop 8.30-9.30pm StAY Band in hall
21	Sa	2-4pm Shalom open house in the foyer Safari Supper

POLICE SURGERY
on Monday 16th April
6pm – 6.45pm
in St Andrew's Church foyer

HOUSE GROUPS will be looking at Acts 8:26-40

GIVING If you come regularly to St Andrew's it's helpful if you have a standing order with the bank, or weekly envelopes for your giving. There is a form at the back of church. Tax payers can increase their giving at no cost to themselves through Gift Aid. If you are a visitor and a tax payer and would like to make a gift, there are Gift Aid envelopes at the back of church. The church treasurer is David Bennett if you have a question about giving (485 1365). We don't take up a collection, but there is a box at the back where you can leave a gift before or after the service.

60th Anniversary

For the 60th anniversary of the creation of the parish of St Andrew, we plan an updated version of *Peace be to this house*, the book written in 2009 about St Andrews and Emmanuel churches. Gillian Henn would very much appreciate any souvenirs, anecdotes or photographs of church events during the last ten years. She would especially welcome pictures taken during 'The Witness' in 2011, particularly if these could be e-mailed to her, thank you.

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15th April 2018

Third Sunday of Easter

NEWSLINE

St Andrew's Church, Cheadle Road, Cheadle Hulme SK8 5ET

Please stay for refreshments after the services

This Sunday

10.45am Morning Service
APCM then Bring & Share Lunch
6.30pm Holy Communion

Next Sunday (22nd April)

10.45am Morning Service
6.30pm Evening Service

15th April 10.45am joint Morning service with Emmanuel at St Andrew's followed by Annual Parochial Church Meeting and finger-food 'Bring & Share' Lunch (soup will be provided).

StA Voices

St Andrew's Voices (See Margaret for details)
Two Community Choirs starting **Thursdays from 19th April**

St Andrews Youth Voices

5-6pm on Thursdays:
A Youth Choir for 7-17 year olds,
from beginners to soloists,
fun while developing voice and
musical training.



St Andrews Community Voices

8-9.30pm on Thursdays:
A Community Choir for adults, from
beginners onwards, no auditions,
encouragement to extend skills and
experience with a varied repertoire.

Our Mission Partner Michael Browne writes from Argentina:

Due to exceptionally heavy rains in the south of Bolivia this year, the Pilcomayo river, which runs down the border between Argentina and Paraguay, has flooded badly. This is affecting many communities along or close to the banks, mainly Wichí and Toba Indians, but also the Criollos (Spanish-speaking). For the Tobas, this has been a major catastrophe for some communities.

The flood situation is not good, but in the short term the people are safe and sheltered in the evacuation centre. I will be visiting again soon with Ernesto and Lorena from the Bible Society. Thank you very much for your prayers!
With love, Michael.





Our Mission Partner JP writes:

Hello hope you are well! Happy Easter He is Risen!!!

I'm so excited to go on holiday in Brazil, I'm leaving on the 1 April and will back in Japan on 2 May.

We just had our every two years OMF Japan conference, it was so good to reconnect both with OMF Japan family and

it will be very good to reconnect with my Brazil family and home church. A challenging time last year recovering not only physically from my neck injury but also spiritually, so rest with family will be good and the start of 2018 has been already amazing, so blessed! Please pray for my time of rest in Brazil and I will be meeting OMF New Horizons co-ordinators living in São Paulo. They will be visiting my home town in Uberlandia and my home church Sal da Terra on the weekend of 21 April. Thanks for your prayers, love and support and let me know how I can pray for you too! Mega blessings! JP

BLOKES TODDLER GROUP

3rd Saturday of the month (beginning on 21st of April). For dads, step-dads, granddads, uncles and their toddlers (aged 0-4 years) 9.30-11.30am in Emmanuel Church Centre (£2 per family)

If you love the Bible, then you'll love usefulbible.com - a massive collection of 1500 Bible teaching articles, all written by Keith Simons, a member of St. Andrews. We get several thousand visitors each week to the website - so please include it in your regular items for prayer.

STOCKPORT PRAYER BREAKFAST Wednesday 16th MAY

St Mary's in the Marketplace, Churchgate, Stockport, SK1 1YG
Praying for insight as we seek to share the Good News in Stockport
Light Breakfast at 7.40am;
Programme - 8am to 9.00am
Details from: **Kevin McKenna**
(0161 282 5523 or 07504 130749)

Amaretti

Chamber Orchestra

Concert Saturday 28 April
7.30pm in church
£10 on the door

Care for the Family event

At !Audacious Church, Manchester M3 7BD on 3rd June 7:30pm - 10:00pm
Email shop@cff.org.uk
In a society that is predominantly digital, our children are growing up with a world of online possibility at their fingertips. It's an exciting world for them to explore, but also a potentially dangerous one. As parents and carers it's natural to want to protect our children from these dangers. So how can we ensure that our kids are safe without preventing them from accessing the many advantages? Power up your parenting for the online generation with Katharine and Philip at: **CONNECTED – Confident Parenting in a Digital Age.**

Parish Weekend Away

at Prince of Wales Hotel, Southport
7th-9th September 2018

Book your place using the brochures at the back of church

NORTHERN MEN'S CONVENTION

10am-3.30pm 12th May
at Holy Trinity Platt
(Bookings £10)
Sign up sheet at the back

Sunday morning Children's groups

There is a crèche for 0-3yrs in the lounge behind the sound desk for little ones and their carers. The other children and young people start off in church and then go to the halls for their groups: 4-7yrs group and 8-11yrs group meet in the Committee Room and a 11-14yrs meet in the coffee lounge.

The Way In Church Café
open on **Mondays**
10am until 12.30pm



Café Church

**29th April,
6.30pm**

We welcome **George Perrin**
A "Christian – by God's grace. Family man – wife three children and three grandchildren. Rower and coach, Captain of Runcorn Rowing Club. Surveyor - working as Director of Town Programmes Stockport Council. Actually it's all by God's grace, an atheist until about 25 years ago"

OPEN ARMS KENYA 2018

Thank you to everyone for your support so far. Many of you have asked us how you can practically support Steve, Sarah and myself as we prepare for the mission this summer. The most important thing we can ask you all to do is to pray for us as there is a LOT to do behind the scenes before we go in August. Please pray for all members of the group travelling and especially for those heading up the mission in particular Steve who is heading up the medical camp and Matt Phillips (Liz and Roger's son) who is in the unenviable position of co-ordinating the whole trip. A more practical way of supporting us would be in helping us collect some of the following: New black socks for children; new girls underwear; new coloured underpants for boys; new coloured boxer shorts for teenage boys; non gummy chewy vitamins for children. Also if you have any old reading glasses no longer in use please could we have them! Any questions about the above please ask us. Finally put your name on the list at the back of church for the **Quiz and Challenge Evening** at 7pm on 12th May.
Thanks *Ruth Drury*

