

24th June 2018



Welcome to St Andrew's Backwell & St Bridget's Chelvey with St Nicholas, Brockley  
Living faith in daily life

**Bells Dedication.** We are delighted that Bishop Ruth will be at St Andrew's to dedicate and re-dedicate the bells on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> July in a service at 4.00 pm. Tea and coffee will be served from 3.00 pm, with refreshments after the service. We anticipate many of those who supported this project will be there from far and wide. Please let Justine know if you are able to provide fairy cakes or traybakes for tea.

**St Andrew's Art Group Open Evening**  
28th June at 7 for 7.30pm In Church House  
Toby Pinn of Clevedon Salerooms will run another of his popular Antiques Roadshows.  
Tickets £8 to include welcome drink from Jill 464458

**Buffet Lunch** following Zambia Service  
15th July. There is a now a list in church to sign up for lunch following the service or email the office. There is no set cost for this meal but donations please.

**Mothers' Union: Cream Tea**  
Tues 26th June at 2.30 pm in Church House In aid of the work of Mothers' Union Worldwide. Cost £3.50. All Welcome.



**Calling budding Masterchefs!!!**  
 Having lost my partner in culinary crime to the land of the Haggis, I am looking for willing women and men to help with suppers and lunches, about 3-4 times a year. Please phone me on 07973 499778 if you would like to get involved. Anita.

**Annual Electrical Inspection:**  
This will take place on Weds 27th & Thurs 28th June, approx 8-5. Access to all areas will be restricted in turn; power and lights may be switched off. The Office will be open and the Wednesday Communion service will be held as usual. Access via the outside path and Link.  
Richard Standing 852660

**Zambia 40<sup>th</sup> anniversary Celebrations, 14<sup>th</sup> July 2018 in Wells Cathedral.**  
Do come and join these celebrations. Details are on the poster in the porch. It is proposed to join together with Cleeve and Yatton to hire a coach for the day at a cost of £10 each return. If you are interested in travelling on the coach, please sign the sheet in church. Please bring your own picnic.

**100 years of Bristol Airport  
Past, Present and Future**  
*A Talk by Jacqui Mills* St Nicholas Church, Brockley, Friday 13th July at 7.15pm, Tickets £15 to include supper and glass of wine.  
Available from 462820  
All Proceeds to Friends of Brockley Church

**USPG Coffee Morning and Box-opening**  
Thurs, July 5th at the home of Barbara Paige (18 Karen Close) from 10.30 – 12. Please come and find out a bit more about the work of USPG, whether or not you have a box. Bring & Buy stall (edibles) and raffle. Everyone very welcome.

**Benefice Office: Tel 01275 463469 Open Monday-Friday ~ 9am - 1pm**  
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Rector: Vacancy—please contact clergy or Churchwardens  
Assistant Curate (P/t): The Rev'd Justine Billett 01275 463033  
Assisting Priest (rtd) The Rev'd Canon Peter Bailey 01275 790611  
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**Worship Today**

**Stewardship Sunday**

- 8am **Holy Communion** (Common Worship)
- 10.15am **Eucharist & Junior Church/Crèche**  
Please do join us for refreshments in Church House after the 10.15am service
- 12.30 pm **Baptism of Monty Golds and Teddy Pearce**
- 6.15 pm **Evensong for Armed Forces Day**

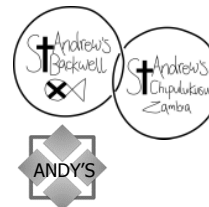
**Collect for Giving**

O God, you created us in love and for eternity,  
And you gave your Son that we should not perish  
but have everlasting life;  
as you give us life and love, as you give us yourself,  
help us to give our lives, our love, ourselves to you;

**Readings:**

- Morning: 2 Corinthians 8: 1-9 Luke 18: 18-30
- Evening: Ps 46 Ecclesiastes 3: 1b-11 Luke 18: 18-30

**Large Print Copies of Service and Weekly Sheet are available**



**Clergy and Readers in the Benefice**  
Rector ~ Vacancy  
Assistant Curate ~ The Rev'd Justine Billett (p/t)  
Assisting Priest (Rtd) ~ The Rev'd Canon Peter Bailey  
Licensed Reader ~ Martin Canning  
Assisting Priest for Andy's ~ The Rev'd Steve Tilley



# Church Family Life

*We pray for* those of our community in Care-Homes or at home, and those who are unwell at this time.....those named here and on the St Andrew's Prayer Board...  
*Iris, Doreen, Jo, Ida, Christopher, Sheila, Mike, Brian.*

We give thanks for the lives of those recently departed  
and those whose anniversaries occur at this time.....*Walter Jenner, Winifred Moore*

*Please also pray for. . .*

St Andrew's June Charities Caring for the Family and The Harvey Hext Trust  
St Bridget's 2018 Charities Caring in Bristol, Crisis Centre Ministries and Motivation  
June Prayer Cycle Dark Lane, Little Garth, Summerlands, Lawnside,  
St Andrews Road, St Johns Road  
Zambia Link Please pray for our Link Parish in Zambia and Fr Zulu

## Receiving Communion

If you would like to receive communion but are not able to go up to the altar - do tell one of the Stewards and communion will be brought to you in your seat.  
*At St Andrew's ..GLUTEN-FREE wafers are offered in the Rodney Chapel. Do tell the Stewards or the person distributing the wafers if you would like these. Children who do not receive communion are offered a breadstick with the prayer for God's blessing in their lives .*

*Sadly*, David George has decided to step down from his role as reader. It is our great regret that he has made this decision. Please hold him and Rosanne in your prayers.  
*Carol Hellen & Anita Heapey, Churchwardens*

**PCC minutes:** There are PCC minutes available on the table by the door, for you to take away with you and read at home if you would like to.

## Collections and Giving

At both churches, if you are a tax payer, please use the Gift Aid envelopes in order that the church can recover an extra 25% on your giving.

If you would like to give towards the upkeep of the churches on a regular basis, please do talk to the Stewardship Officer or Churchwardens and we can give details of the Planned Giving Scheme.

*Can you help?* The Sisters of the Church are short of both food and funds. The food bags that are given out comprise either a tin of tuna or meat (hot dogs or meat balls) and 5 other tins soup, peach slices, rice pudding baked beans and a tin of vegetables. Also they get tea bags milk and pasta. Could you help by donating something towards their needs? Thank you.



# Benefice Diary

24th June 2018

*St Andrew's is open daily from 9am until late afternoon and all are warmly welcome to use the church for quiet moments and prayer*

- Monday** 9.45 am Meeting of Visiting Team in Church House  
2.00 pm Fabric Committee Meeting in Church House  
4.00 pm Young Ringers  
7.30 pm Joint PCC meeting at St Bridgets Church with Archdeacon Youngs  
8.00 pm Ladies Group in Church House
- Tuesday** 9.10—9.30am Morning Prayer at Chelvey  
9.30am-4.30pm The Meeting Point in the Parish Hall  
2.15 pm Mothers' Union Cream Tea in Church House
- Wednesday** 8am-5pm Electrical Inspection - Restricted access all areas in turn  
12noon Holy Communion in Church House  
2.45 pm Backwell Christian Fellowship at Lawnside, Church Lane  
7.30 pm Friends of Brockley AGM in St Nicholas Church, Brockley  
7.30pm Bell Ringing Practice
- Thursday** 9.00am Morning Prayer in the Rodney Chapel  
Electrical Inspection continues (see above)  
7.30 pm St Andrew's Art Group Open Evening - Antiques Roadshow Event
- Friday** 9.30am St Andrew's Art Group in Church House  
7pm Choir Practice

## Next Sunday 5th Sunday After Trinity 1st July 2018

- 8am Holy Communion (BCP) Led by Rev'd Victor Barley  
9.15am Holy Communion at St Bridget's, Chelvey - Led by Rev'd Joan Rowe  
10.15am Eucharist with Junior Church and Crèche - Led by Rev'd Richard Taylor  
6.15pm Evensong - Led by Carol Hellen

**Readings** Morning: 2 Corinthians 8:7-end Mark 5: 21-end  
Evening: Psalm 53 Jeremiah 11: 1-14 Romans 13: 1-10

**Traidcraft Backwell** does  
**The Meeting Point @**  
**BACKWELL FESTIVAL**

Thank you to everyone who volunteered to help in the Café at the Backwell Festival. The rota for the weekend is now full, so if you have not heard back from me or seen the rota, it means thank you very much, but your services will not be needed on site. However,

we would still very much welcome tray baked cakes for the weekend.

**Also**, we are looking to borrow bean bags to sit on and a very long outdoor cable to guarantee our power supply and a large water carrier, the kind you use when camping. If you can help with either of these please email [jfcanning@btinternet.com](mailto:jfcanning@btinternet.com)

Thank you; Jane Canning