

Welcome

Welcome to St Andrew's,
especially if you are
visiting for the first time.
Refreshments are served
after the service - it would
be lovely to meet you.

**No one belongs here
more than you**

Children and Families

*All children are welcome at
St Andrew's, do not worry
if yours make a bit of noise.*

**Junior Church returns on
7 Sept** and usually meets every
Sunday in term time except
during the All-Age Service.

TMM Youth Group

For School Years 7+.
Twice a month on Sundays
in term time, 4.30-6.00pm.

**Please see our website
for more details.**

Supporting St Andrew's

If you would like to support
the work of our church, there
is a **contactless card reader** by
the church entrance or you can
donate to our Barclays account:

Hertford St Andrew PCC

A/C No: 50715050

Sort Code: 20-20-37



** Please consider
regular giving
and using Gift Aid*
Speak to our Joint
Treasurers, Judy
& Nick Sharman



17 August 2025

Ninth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Celebrant: Rev. Alan Stewart

10.30am Holy Communion

*Prayer Ministry is offered during the service – please
see the small booklet in church for more details*

Celebrant & Preacher: Rev. Alan Stewart

First Reading: Psalm 43 (Sue Mulligan)

Gospel: Luke 12. 13-21

Intercessions: Scott Martin

Chalice: Sue Little, Frances Wilby, Lesley Self

Hymns

537 O worship the Lord

404 Lord, I come to you

36 Angel-voices ever singing

605 Take my life, and let it be

152 Fight the good fight

***Sunday Morning Worship on Zoom takes
a break until 7 September. Until then...***

BBC Radio

Sunday Worship on BBC Radio 4 at 8.10am
(also on BBC Sounds)

BBC TV

Songs of Praise on BBC1, usually at lunchtime
on Sundays (also on iPlayer)

Church of England

Weekly online service, from 9.00am on Sundays:

www.churchofengland.org/prayer-and-worship/join-us-church-online/weekly-online-services

More details on our website:

www.hertfordstandrews.co.uk/zoom

Collect and Readings

Collect: Gracious Father,
revive your Church in our day,
and make her holy, strong and
faithful, for your glory's sake in
Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

First Reading: Psalm 43

Vindicate me, O God,
and defend my cause
against an ungodly people;
from those who are deceitful and
unjust deliver me!
For you are the God
in whom I take refuge;
why have you cast me off?
Why must I walk about mournfully
because of the oppression of the
enemy?
O send out your light and your truth;
let them lead me;
let them bring me to your holy hill
and to your dwelling.
Then I will go to the altar of God,
to God my exceeding joy;
and I will praise you with the harp,
O God, my God.
Why are you cast down, O my soul,
and why are you disquieted
within me?
Hope in God; for I shall again praise
him, my help and my God.
For the Word of the Lord,
Thanks be to God

Gospel:

Luke 12. 13-21

Someone in the crowd said to Jesus,
'Teacher, tell my brother to divide
the family inheritance with me.' But
he said to him, 'Friend, who set me
to be a judge or arbitrator over
you?' And he said to them, 'Take
care! Be on your guard against all
kinds of greed; for one's life does
not consist in the abundance of
possessions.' Then he told them
a parable: 'The land of a rich man
produced abundantly. And he
thought to himself, "What should
I do, for I have no place to store my
crops?" Then he said, "I will do this:
I will pull down my barns and build
larger ones, and there I will store all
my grain and my goods. And I will
say to my soul, Soul, you have
ample goods laid up for many
years; relax, eat, drink, be
merry.'" But God said to him,
"You fool! This very night your life
is being demanded of you. And the
things you have prepared, whose
will they be?" So it is with those
who store up treasures for
themselves but are not rich
towards God.'

This is the Gospel of the Lord,
Praise to you, O Christ

School governor vacancy - St Andrew's Church School

If you are interested and want to know more about how to support
this amazing little school, please contact either Laura Ramsay or
Jenny Mutch (jennymant@me.com)

News and Notices

PETER KNIGHT'S GIGSPANNER BIG BAND

ALBUM LAUNCH TOUR 2025



"WHAT A FABULOUS TEAM THEY MAKE, TOGETHER PRODUCING A STARTLINGLY NEW MUSICAL FORM WITH FEW, IF ANY, ANTECEDENTS. THE FLIGHTS OF MUSICAL FANCY ARE STAGGERING IN THEIR NATURAL INVENTION" *FATEA MAGAZINE*



Licensed bar available

SATURDAY 23 AUGUST
7.30pm at St Andrew's Church
Hertford SG14 1HZ

Tickets from

www.ticketsource.co.uk/st-andrews-church

www.hertfordstandrews.co.uk

www.gigspanner.com/live

coffee morning

SATURDAY
6TH SEPTEMBER
10.30AM - 12.30PM

ST ANDREW'S CHURCH
HERTFORD SG14 1HZ

❖ Second-hand books
❖ Costume jewellery ❖ Live music
Raffle ❖ Fairtrade coffee
& home-made cakes

RAISING FUNDS FOR ST ANDREW'S CHURCH
STAINED GLASS WINDOW REPAIRS

WWW.HERTFORDSTANDREWS.CO.UK

SEPTEMBER COFFEE MORNING: Saturday 6th

Second-hand books - Saturday 6 September is NATIONAL READ A BOOK DAY! We will have a book stall at the Coffee Morning and welcome donations of good quality fiction or non-fiction books.

Jewellery = We are planning a jewellery stall on 6 September and invite donations of costume jewellery!

Please leave items in the office or at the back of the church labelled for the 'SEPTEMBER COFFEE MORNING'. Thank you

Jean McQueen sends a big thank you to the St Andrew's Church family, who helped to make her birthday so special. Jean appreciated all the thoughtful birthday cards and birthday wishes. Jean's family thoroughly enjoyed the warm welcome.

Many of our regular activities and services are taking a break during the summer – this is when they return:

Mindfulness & Meditation 3 Sept **Toddler Group** 4 Sept

Breathe 6 Sept **Soul Food** 7 Sept **Junior Church** 7 Sept **Compline** 14 Sept

Please pray for: Joy, Mick Wallis, Daisy,
Edward Palmer, Hazel Taylor, Mary Horne,
Alexander, Georgina Laval, Phoebe, Judy,
Yvonne Norris, Paul Roe, Lucy, Dino,
Robert Ramsay, Pauline Rhodes

In Years' Mind:

Harry Ward Daniels, Rene Williams

St Andrew's Diary – the week ahead

Monday 18

8.00am **Morning Prayer** in the Chapel

Tuesday 19

10.00am – 2.30pm **Children's Choir**

Summer Camp

Wednesday 20

10.30am **Holy Communion**

Rev. Alan Stewart

12noon – 4.30pm **Children's Choir**

Summer Camp

Thursday 21

8.00am **Morning Prayer** in the Chapel

10.00am – 2.30pm **Children's Choir**

Summer Camp

10.30am **Holy Communion** at Calton Court

Saturday 23

7.30pm **Gigspanner Big Band**

Sunday 24

8.00am **Holy Communion (BCP)**

Rev. Bill Church

10.30am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: Rev. Alan Stewart

Preacher: Rev. Scott Martin

6.30pm **Evening Prayer (BCP) at St Mary's**
Hertingfordbury *Rev. Bill Church*

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