

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

Prayer Ministry

Prayer Ministry is offered during communion and after the 10.30am service – please see the small booklet in church for details.

Children and Families

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

Junior Church usually meets every Sunday in term time except during the All-Age Service.

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



8 February 2026

Second Sunday before Lent

8.00am Holy Communion (BCP)

Rev. Scott Martin

10.30am ALL-AGE Holy Communion (*all words will be on the screen*)

Celebrant & Preacher: Rev. Alan Stewart

Reading: Luke 15. 20 (Julie Markey)

Chalice: Charles Ledsam

Debbie Ledsam, Carol Crowhurst

Hymns (on screen)

30 Amazing grace!

637 The Lord's my shepherd

129 Dear Lord and Father

404 Lord, I come to you

510 One more step along the world I go

Online via Zoom today

10.30am Sunday Morning Worship

Leader: Nick Hoyle, Lay Leader of Worship

Sermon: Courtesy of HeartEdge

7.00pm Compline Rev. Alan Stewart

Zoom links are emailed and on our website

We'd love to keep in touch with you

If you'd like to receive emails about what's happening at St Andrew's, please fill in our consent form (available at the back of the church), scan the QR code (right) or go to:

www.hertfordstandrews.co.uk/communication



Reading and Notices

Reading: Luke 15. 20

So he got up and went to his father.

But while he was still a long way off, his father saw him and was filled with compassion for him; he ran to his son, threw his arms around him and kissed him.

*For the Word of the Lord, **Thanks be to God***

HOW YOU CAN HELP UKRANIAN SOLDIERS ON THE FRONTLINE

There's a local collection for the charity UK-Aid leaving soon, taking supplies to soldiers on the frontline in Ukraine.

THANK YOU FOR THE DONATIONS

SO FAR RECEIVED. These items have been requested...

- Warm knitted gloves, black
- Knitted hat (no bobble), black
- Warm socks, black
- Small tealights (in a foil cup)
- Small square bars of soap/shampoo
- Loo rolls
- Deodorant
- Toothpaste and toothbrushes
- Small boxes of paracetamol
- Head torches with batteries (*Jane can source these as a bulk buy if anyone would like to contribute*)

We need your donations by Tuesday 10 February, please, so they can be sorted in time before departing for Ukraine. Please leave items at the back of the church, labelled 'for Ukraine'. Thank you.

If you have any questions or would like more details, please speak to Jane Chaplin (07758 072656) or Julie Markey (07801 236003)

Lunch Club for the Over-60s

Friday 13 February, 12.30pm
in the St Andrew's Centre

*Please book your place with Viv Thornton
(01992 584004)*

The Friends of Hertingfordbury St.Mary

CHARITY RACE NIGHT



A virtual race evening with a fish & chip supper & a pay bar which opens @7.00pm

Book a table with friends to enjoy a fun evening, tickets £20 adult, £10 child. Contact David Gorton on 07544 702241 to book.

This is a FOHSM event which raises money for the restoration & preservation of the church and churchyard

News and Notices

AWAY DAY 2026

Please register your interest now!

Sunday 10 May, 9.30am-4.00pm
at All Nations College, Ware
'Belonging'

See the poster and flyers in church for details of how to register – or scan the QR code:



**Welwyn Garden City
Male Voice Choir**

will be performing on



Saturday 21 March, 7.30pm
St Mary's Church Hertingfordbury

Tickets £10 from Kay Juniper:
07776 340932

Music from a variety of genres, songs from shows, spirituals & traditional English, Scottish & Irish pieces

Hertford Children's Choir

8-13 yrs



"An amazing experience."

Fridays 5:30-6:45pm @ St Andrew's Church

JOIN US!

www.tinyurl.com/hertfordchildrenschoir

BEAM - Hertford Castle - St Andrew's - EcoFest - St Paul's Cathedral

Breathe on Saturday 14 February,
8.30am in the Chapel and on Zoom

At our next prayer gathering,
we'll be thinking in particular about
the very young and the elderly,
the first and third age.

Ash Wednesday
- 18 February

On Ash Wednesday, our traditional services mark the beginning of Lent:
10.30am and 8.00pm Holy Communion
at St Andrew's Church,
with the imposition of ashes.

World Day of Prayer Service

Friday 6 March, 2.00pm at St Andrew's

The 2026 World Day of Prayer service has been prepared by an ecumenical group of Christian women from Nigeria, with the theme '*I will give you rest, come*', drawing inspiration from Matthew 11.28.



Please pray for:

Joy, Denise, Phoebe, Dino, Sienna, Lucy, Alexander, Maureen Kelly, Robert Ramsay, Carol Moules, Paul Markey, Georgina Laval, Paul Roe, Pauline Rhodes, Matthew Deards, Hazel Taylor

Rest in Peace: Bridget Garratt, Glenn Sexton, Connie Moules, Marjorie Stein

In Year's Mind: Graham Roche, Ethel Dickens, Dorothy Bagguley, Henry John, Ethel Hagger

St Andrew's Diary - the week ahead

Monday 9

8.00am **Morning Prayer** in the Chapel

Wednesday 11

10.30am **Holy Communion** *Rev. Bill Church*

Thursday 12

8.00am **Morning Prayer** in the Chapel

9.30am **Toddler Group** in the Centre

10.30am **Holy Communion at Calton Court**

Friday 13

12.30pm **Lunch Club for the Over-60s** in the St Andrew's Centre **Please book your place with Viv Thornton (01992 584004)**

5.30pm **Children's Choir**

Saturday 14

8.30am **Breathe Prayer Gathering** in the Chapel and livestreamed on ZOOM

Sunday 15

8.00am **Holy Communion (BCP)** *Rev. Bill Church*

10.30am **Holy Communion**

Celebrant: Rev. Alan Stewart

Reflection: Forbes Mutch, Lay Leader of Worship

10.30am **Sunday Morning Worship on ZOOM**

Leader: Kath Oates, Lay Leader of Worship

Reflection: Forbes Mutch (recorded)

7.00pm **Compline on ZOOM** *Rev. Alan Stewart*

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