

'Proposed changes to St John's'

Thank you to all who have so far given feedback on the proposed changes to St John's. Letters about the proposed changes are still available at the back of church. We have also placed a notebook at the back for people to write their comments in. We will be prayerfully reflecting on the feedback at the PCC meeting on 6th September so there is still time for you to have your say! The banner behind the communion table is not the proposed final banner, but is here to help us to think about what might be right for us.

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PLEASE TAKE THIS SHEET HOME WITH YOU

Sun 28th Aug – *Trinity 14*

**Merciful God,
your Son came to save us
and bore our sins on the cross:
may we trust in your mercy
and know your love,
rejoicing in the righteousness
that is ours through Jesus Christ our Lord.**

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10am Morning Worship @ St John's led by Linda / Janet
10am Holy Communion @ St Andrew's led by Teresa

Today's Bible Readings

Jer 2:4-13 & Lk 14:1,7-14

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**If you'd like someone to pray with you after the service,
please find a member of our prayer team.**

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Prayer chains - if you'd like a group of church members to pray confidentially or immediately about something, please phone & speak to one of our 'prayer chain' coordinators:

**for St John's – Brenda Allen ☎ 642352
for St Andrew's – Margaret Golledge ☎ 526760**

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Prayer crosses – if you'd like a prayer request included in the public prayers at church, please use the 'prayer cross' at the back of church.

Contact details

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St John's Parks Swindon & St Andrew's, Walcot, Swindon

This Week

Every Mon, Tue, Thu & Fri during school terms:
'Tea & Toast', 9-9.30am @ St John's – all are welcome.

Wed 31st

10am Holy Communion @ St John's

Thurs 1st

10am Cuppa & Chat @ St Andrew's

Sun 4th

10am Holy Communion @ St John's

10am Morning Worship @ St Andrew's

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'Sponsored 'Ride & Stride' 10th September

St John's & St Andrew's will be open for visitors.

We need people to be on duty for an hour or two to welcome them. Please put your name on the list at the back of church if you are able to help. Thank you.

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'Next PCC Meeting'

Tuesday 6th September, 6:30pm @ The Rectory

Please could all PCC members put the date of the next PCC meeting in their diaries. Any items for the agenda should be given to Linda by Tuesday 30th August. Thank you.

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'Martina's Learning Group'

Monday 12th September, 1pm, St John's

Martina would like to hold one more meeting to say thank you to all those that have supported her during my Formation year. So if you are part of Martina's LLG please could you make a note in the diaries of the date. Thank you.

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'Cuppa n chat'

You are invited to a Bring and Buy table top sale on Thursday 15th September 10-12 at St Andrews church. This will be in aid of the important work of The Children's Society. Bring along any good but unwanted items you'd like to donate and sell or just come for a drink and a chat.

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Licensing of Angela and Martina

Saturday 24 September

We are looking forward to Angela and Martina's Admission and Licensing as Lay Ministers on Saturday 24th Sept at 2.30pm in Bristol Cathedral.

A coach will be leaving at 11.50am from St Andrew's and Noon from St John's. We arrive back around 6pm. Tickets for the coach are on sale today at a cost of £7 per person.

Please put your name/s on the signup sheets at the back of church and give the money for your seats to either Angela at St Andrews or Dee at St Johns.

Both Angela and Martina will need a black cassock, surplice and blue Readers' scarf. The PCC felt it might be nice to offer people the opportunity to contribute towards the purchase of these items (please note any shortfall will be made up from Church funds) and so a collection plate will be available for the next few Sundays, and at the midweek at St John's, or alternatively donations can be given to Julie in the office. Thank you.

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