



St Andrew's Westlands

A warm welcome to anyone worshipping with us today for the first time.

Sunday, 14th July

8.30 am Holy Communion
Psalm 23 (p549) John 10:1-18 (p1080)

10.25 am Prayers for Naomi, Mr Noisy's Room

10.45 am All Age Worship

Opportunity for individual prayer after service in lady chapel

Our Church Lunch is today at 12.15 pm in the church grounds for those who have booked. Because of this there will not be the usual after-service refreshments, but you are welcome to stay in church to chat. There may be a few spare spaces for lunch (cost £6, or £1.50 for under 16's) - please speak to Margaret Hollins about this straight after the service. The treasure hunt will begin at around 1pm. It will involve walking around the local roads – although there is also a shorter activity inside the church building available for those who are less mobile.

6.30 pm Café Church, Parish Room

Collect for: The Seventh Sunday after Trinity

*Lord of all power and might,
the author and giver of all good things:
graft in our hearts the love of your name,
increase in us true religion,
nourish us with all goodness,
and of your great mercy keep us in the same;
through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,
who is alive and reigns with you,
in the unity of the Holy Spirit,
one God, now and for ever.*



Welcoming the
whole community



Discovering
God's love



Following
Jesus' teaching

This week...

The church building is also open on Monday and Thursday 9.30-3.00.

Mon 15 th July	4.00 pm	Xcite, Parish Room
	7.30 pm	PCC, Parish Room
Wed 17 th July	8.30 am	Morning Prayer via Zoom
	1.30 pm	Renew Westlands Café, Parish Room
Fri 19 th July	10.30 am	Forget Me Not Café, Parish Room
	7.30 pm	Compline via Zoom
Sun 21 st July	8.30 am	Morning Worship
	10.25 am	Prayers for Naomi, Mr Noisy's Room
	10.45 am	Holy Communion
	6.30 pm	Evening Worship, Parish Room

A Big Thank You from Naomi ... I would like to thank everyone for all their kind support and love through the last 6 years of my work here at St. Andrew's, and especially during the last 6 months of cancer treatment. I had a lovely time at my 'Thank You' service last Sunday, and was overwhelmed, and so encouraged by the generous, beautiful and tasty gifts, cards and kind words that so many people gave me, not just on Sunday but since January too. I'm praying that your new Children and Families Worker will also know the strength of God, and the privilege of ministry in St. Andrew's and the Westlands, just as I have. Thanks again, Naomi.

Notices From Previous Weeks

Can You Please Help on Saturday 20th July? ... it is looking hopeful that our building project will be able to begin with the demolition of the old hall in September. Prior to that, we are anticipating that the utilities providers will be cutting off the electricity and gas sometime in August. In preparation for all this, we will be moving many items from the church hall on the morning of Saturday 20th July, starting at 9.30 am. This will involve making space for some items to be stored in the side chapel, taking across to the church some tables and stacking chairs, the bowling mats, the fridge/freezer, etc. Also, providing we can find the necessary transport, taking some stacking chairs to be stored in a garage for long term storage. If you are able-bodied and can help, this would be much appreciated. Please let Andrew or me know asap. Many thanks, Margaret.

CMS/ Katia Rocks Display Board ... please take a look at the new display on the board at the back of church which highlights work being done by Katia Rocks in Brazil. Despite currently undergoing chemotherapy, she is working with women's groups both at her church and in the local prison. More information can be found at <https://churchmissionsociety.org/people-in-mission/katia-rocks-brazil/> where there is also a button to 'sign up' to receive her newsletters directly (about 3 per year). St Andrew's makes a significant financial contribution to her work through CMS (Church Mission Society).

Handle on Lectern ... we are grateful to David Leech who has made a grab-rail to match the existing woodwork. It may be useful for some people returning from the communion rail when going back down to the slightly lower level of the nave.

Advance notice - Book Club ... a monthly book club is planned to start in October. More details to come in September.

Scrap Metal/Coins/Gold and Silver items ... with all your support we have raised approximately £9,000 in collecting and selling the above. For your information Scrap Metal Collection will cease at the end of July 2024. Donations of Coins/Silver and Gold items will continue until the end of October. So continue to rummage in your drawers or dispose of odd foreign currency after your holidays! Thank you for your support to date.

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Transport to 10.30 service: 07951 674453 on the morning.8.30-9.30 am
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