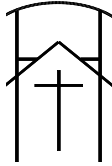


The Church in the Westlands



**St Andrew's
Anglican Church**

**St Peter's
Methodist Church**

*As the Church in the Westlands
we are committed in the power of the Holy Spirit that our worship, service and witness will
demonstrate to everyone the love of Jesus Christ*

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

St Andrew's Church

Sunday, 22nd October
Trinity 19

St Peter's Church

Holy Communion
Mrs Irene Hardacre

8.00 am

Morning Prayer
Mrs Irene Hardacre
Matthew 13:1-23 (p986)
Acts 17:22-34 (p1116)

10.30 am

Morning Worship
Local Arrangement
Proverbs 4:1-18 (p631)
1 John 3:16-4:6 (p304)

United Evening Prayer
Mr Brian Tattersall

6.30 pm

Collect

*O God, forasmuch as without you
we are not able to please you;
mercifully grant that your Holy Spirit
may in all things direct and rule our hearts;
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.*

Weekday prayers will resume on 30th October.

St Andrew's Church**Sunday, 29th October****St Peter's Church**

Holy Communion

Trinity 20

8.00 am

Revd Andrew Dawswell

Holy Communion

10.30 am

Morning Worship

*Revd Andrew Dawswell**Deacon Jill Taylor*

United Evening Prayer

6.30 pm

Revd Andrew Dawswell

Ladies Craft Evening ... Friday, 10th November at 7.15 pm in St Andrew's Parish Room: Do come along and make a Contemporary Christmas Wreath at our Ladies Craft event. As part of our efforts to continue to be an outward looking church we are running this outreach event with an encouragement to bring along a guest to enjoy this accessible craft evening, where everyone gets to take home a lovely Christmas Wreath. All equipment and materials will be supplied, along with instruction by our guest demonstrator; who will be sharing part of her life story as a Christian. Tickets cost £8, which covers the cost of the craft materials and there will be light refreshments included. Ladies only, not suitable for children. Do please pick up a leaflet from the back of church and contact Brian or Sue for tickets and more details (don't delay; ticket numbers are limited).

Vintage Time ... unfortunately Vintage Time on Tuesday, 24th October has been cancelled. The next meeting will take place as normal on Tuesday, 28th November at 10.00 am.

Youth & Children's Worker Vacancy ... the Management Committee is open to applications at any time, and will be proactively re-advertising the post later in November. Please continue to pray.

Thursday Evening Home Group... at 48 Kingway West will meet next on 2nd November.

St Andrew's Daytime Opening ... as the schools are on holiday this week, the church will not be open.

Tidying of St Andrew's Grounds ... on Friday, 10th November there will be a tidying up of the church grounds. It will be from 9.30 am until 12.30 pm and refreshments will be provided. If you can give up some of your time to help it would be appreciated. Could you please let David Morgan know if you intend to come?

Christians Against Poverty Debt Centre ... after an excellent meeting the other week we were all set to go ahead with launching a service in Stoke and Newcastle early next spring. However there has been an unexpected hitch - please pray that this will be able to be resolved. The project is asking initially for those who will be prayer supporters - please let me know if you might be interested in this. To find out more you can visit their website capuk.org. They have also produced a book called Journeys of Hope: 12 lives changed by God – a copy has been placed in St Andrew's library – Andrew.

PCC News Update ...we are grateful for those who have volunteered to enable us to resume opening up the church in weekdays during term-time from a little later in the Autumn. We are still looking for a new treasurer. Please see Andrew if you might consider helping being involved in any of this, or any other, role.

Newcastle Foodbank ... are looking for some extra volunteers. This can be on a weekly, fortnightly or monthly basis. There is a particular need to help staff the session operating out of The Congregational Church on Thursday afternoons from 2.00 pm – 4.00 pm, with various roles to do: meeting and greeting, making drinks, listening and signposting if appropriate, unpacking deliveries, packing parcels and inputting data. So there is a role for everyone. If you would like some more information please call Debra Hills. You are also welcome to visit one week to see how they operate and see if it's for you.

Offer Your Hand for International Friendship! ... welcome an adult international student into your home this Christmas and make the world a little friendlier. Adult international students in the UK face a lonely holiday on a university campus, and would love to spend a few days with you, learning about British culture, experiencing Christmas festivities, and telling you about their own country. Hosting is a voluntary position suitable for all ages and is also available throughout the year with HOST, a charity set up in 1987. To find out more, please visit <http://www.hostuk.org> or call 020 7739 6292.

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