

St Andrew's Church Ferring

Sunday 6th September 2026– Trinity 14



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8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am All Age Service

11.30am. Baptism of Freddie Casteldine.

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Bible Readings- 6th September (Trinity 14) Ezekiel 33:7-11
Romans 13:8-14 Matthew 18:15-20
8.00am Reader Carolyn Dance

For your prayers.

Please pray for all those who are unwell at this time; and the long term needs of:-

Beth, Sam Bezants, Claire, Daphne, Eileen Head, Gill Tyson, Helen, Wendy and Ray Hughes, Jacqueline, Helen Johnson, Valerie Kossick, Mike Pettit, Valerie Pumphrey, Rachel, Sharlene, Dorian, and Terry Batchelor.

Please pray for the family and friends of Johanna Mitchell who has died.

The service of thanksgiving for Johanna 2 pm Thursday 17th September.

Please contact Revd. Shirley or the clergy if you wish to add anyone to the prayers.

The All Age Harvest service on 4th Oct will start at **10.30am** and will be followed by a bring and share lunch. All are welcome. There will be a collection of non-perishable food items for Worthing Foodbank and collection to Open Doors.

Ever wanted to ask questions about the Christian faith and not had the chance? **Alpha** is a space to unpack the Christian faith together. No pressure. No strings. Just space for good food, interesting talks, and open conversations. That's it. A new course will be running at St Andrews on **Monday evenings starting in January**. Why not set this as your new year resolution and book it in your diary now. More details to follow.

Living in the generosity of God: listening, responding, journeying. A day of guided reflection and looking forward. Led by Bishop Christopher, Revd Yvonne and Revd Shirley. **Sat 10th October. 9.45am-3.15pm.** Lunch provided

For those who have been asked to complete Safeguarding training, help will be available from Lisa Arnold (PSO) on Sat 19th Sept, 11am-1pm, in the church centre. Please bring your own laptop.

Link to Hope Shoebox Appeal

There is still time to do a box ,knitwear and information available in Church this Sunday at coffee following all age service and next week following 8.am service and 9.30 service in Church Centre. Completed boxes can also be brought in. Jean and Mike Lambert .

For many years now St Andrew's day to day running costs have exceeded the income received by £25-30k each year. As a church family we will be exploring this in the weeks to come. For now, John Soper has set himself a challenging 50-mile sponsored cycle ride raising funds for St Andrews. Sponsor sheets are available in church or speak to John. Please gift aid if you can.

Poppies - please can our knitters and crocheters get busy with more poppies for an even bigger display this year.

Following on from last year's fun evening, there will be another **Quiz with Fish and Chip Supper** on Sat 19th Sept at 6pm. Booking is essential. £12.50 per adult and £6 per child. Bring your own drinks. Sign-up sheet available this Sunday.

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Diary 6th to 13th September

Mon 7th Sep 1.45-3.15pm Craft and Chatter

Mon 7th Sept at 7pm Messy Church Meeting

Thursday 10th 10.30am Mid week Holy Communion

Fri 11th Sept Burial of ashes for the late Sam Cadden

Tues 15th Sept 1.10-1.55pm Lunchtime Concert - Terry Carvey

Sunday September 13th Trinity 15

8.00am Holy Communion

9.30am Worship with Holy Communion

Harvest church flowers and grasses. Vegetables and fruit.

Please could you help the flower arranging team decorate the church for Harvest Festival 4th October? Autumnal foliage and grasses and sunflowers and big yellow/red chrysanthemums, veg & fruit would be welcome. We will leave buckets of water and basket by the High Altar on Thursday 1st October. Thank you Julia Ball (co-ordinator).

High School Admission. When applying to the local church high schools, confirmation of regular church attendance is required. The criteria is at least once a month for two years. Please add your name to the form by the church door to confirm your attendance at the service. Revd Shirley.

Items for inclusion for the pew sheet and notices can be emailed to the **Pew sheet Editor by Tuesday each week.**

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