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WELCOME

If you are a visitor, please do introduce yourself to the chaplain or to one of our welcomers. There is an area for small children in the chapter room (the room that connects to the church). Everybody is welcome to stay for refreshments after the service. Toilets are downstairs.

Sunday 4 February, 2nd Sunday before Lent

8.30am Holy Communion

11am All Age Service of Holy Communion.

There will be a bible study in the parsonage after the service today. This is open to anyone who wishes to come. We aim to finish by 2.30pm

Celebrant: The Chaplain

Production: The young people and children, with Mike Gibson

Chalice: Louise Nanchen

Collect:

Almighty God, you have created the heavens and the earth
and made us in your own image:

teach us to discern your hand in all your works

and your likeness in all your children;

through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord,

who with you and the Holy Spirit reigns supreme over all things,

now and for ever. **Amen**

Reading: John 1.1-14

In the beginning was the Word, and the Word was with God, and the Word was God. 2 He was in the beginning with God. 3 All things came into being through him, and without him not one thing came into being. What has

come into being 4 in him was life, and the life was the light of all people. 5 The light shines in the darkness, and the darkness did not overcome it. 6 There was a man sent from God, whose name was John. 7 He came as a witness to testify to the light, so that all might believe through him. 8 He himself was not the light, but he came to testify to the light. 9 The true light, which enlightens everyone, was coming into the world. 10 He was in the world, and the world came into being through him; yet the world did not know him. 11 He came to what was his own, and his own people did not accept him. 12 But to all who received him, who believed in his name, he gave power to become children of God, 13 who were born, not of blood or of the will of the flesh or of the will of man, but of God. 14 And the Word became flesh and lived among us, and we have seen his glory, the glory as of a father's only son, full of grace and truth.

Services this Week

Morning prayer will be said in church from Monday - Thursday

Wednesday 7 February: 7pm Holy Communion

Saturday 10 February

10-12 noon Prayer meeting for St Andrew's in the parsonage

Sunday 11 February

8.30am Holy Communion (Traditional language)

11am A service of Holy Communion with groups for children

A bible study will follow the service and coffee

Coming together to pray

You are invited to join us at 10 for 10.30am, this Saturday (10 February), in the parsonage, to pray for the work of St Andrews. There will be space for both those who prefer to pray quietly and for those who find it helpful to pray in a group. We will make use of some of the ideas from 'Thy Kingdom Come' prayer initiative mentioned by the Archbishop when he came in November. We will finish by 12. It would be great to see you.

Samedi gras:

On Saturday 17 February, from 12-5pm, for all the family. There may also be an evening event. Look out for the posters this weekend or for information on facebook or the website

Future events

A very big **thank you** to Giles and Louise for a great pub quiz on Monday. Over R20k was raised for Mary's Meals. The next pub quiz will be on Monday 19 March

A weekly ladies' bible study will begin at the parsonage on Monday 12 February at 9.30am. There will be child care. For more information please speak to Rachel Culbertson, Haley Hiscocks or Alison Rogers.

Lent at St Andrew's

Ash Wednesday: 14 February There will be a joint communion service with MCP at 7pm. The service will include the opportunity to receive the imposition of ashes. If you have any old palm crosses, please bring them to church for next Sunday, so that we can burn them and use the ashes.

Lent course: Teach us to pray.

This Lent we are going back to basics and will run a Lent course on prayer. This will meet after the service and frugal lunch and be in the parsonage. We will be looking at different ways of praying, and I am hoping that people will be able to share a little bit about how they pray and what they find difficult and helpful.

Sessions will be on Sundays

18 February Praying the Lord's Prayer

25 February Praying the Jesus Prayer

4 March Praying with icons

11 March Praying with the desert fathers and mothers

18 March Praying and fasting

Maundy Thursday (29 March): There will be a Passover supper meal

Good Friday (30 March): The church will be open for prayer from 12 – 3pm, and there will be a devotional service at 7pm

Easter Sunday (1 April): More details to follow!

Daily Bible reading and Prayer

Morning prayer and readings can be found using the 'Daily Prayer' app.

A shorter version of daily prayer can be found using the 'Time to Pray' app

Readings from the lectionary	<i>Sunday 4 February</i> Psalms 29, 67 Deuteronomy 8.1-10 Matthew 6.25-34	<i>Monday 5 February</i> Psalms 1, 2, 3 Genesis 29.31-30.24 2 Timothy 4.1-8
<i>Tuesday 6 February</i> Psalms 5, 6, (8) Genesis 31.1-24 2 Timothy 4.9-end	<i>Wednesday 7 February</i> Psalm 119.1-32 Genesis 31.25-32.2 Titus 1	<i>Thursday 8 February</i> Psalms 14, 15, 16 Genesis 32.3-30 Titus 2
<i>Friday 9 February</i> Psalms 17, 19 Genesis 33.1-17 Titus 3	<i>Saturday 10 February</i> Psalms 20, 21, 23 Genesis 35 Philemon	<i>Sunday 11 February</i> Psalms 27, 150 Exodus 24.12-18 2 Corinthians 3.12-18

Alternative bible readings, with notes, can be found at www.wordlive.org

This week we

- give thanks for the Community of the Cross of Nails and its work promoting reconciliation, following the visit of the Dean of Coventry
- pray for the work of the Salvation Army as they seek to provide meals and a day centre for those who are homeless. Pray for those who run night shelters.
- pray for Sheridan who comes to our Wednesday service, whose 4-year-old son Sebastian has a growth on his brain, and who is going to have to crowd fundraise to get funds for investigation and treatment.
- pray for those seeking work.
- pray for those in need, and those we have been asked to pray for, including Glen Ruffle's mother.

If there is someone who you would like us to pray for on the notice sheet, or **for enquiries about the church**, contact chaplain@standrewsmoscow.org
Tel. 8 (495) 629 0990 or +7 (925) 514 0513 (day off, Fridays).

For enquiries about concerts, please contact 8 (495) 664 2169, or visit www.grigorianconcert.ru

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