

Welcome to Worship

Sunday before Lent Ministry of Healing

2nd March 2025

Welcome to St Andrew's

If you are a visitor or a newcomer, please introduce yourself. Before worship, the offering plate, Gift Aid envelopes and the Card Reader are opposite the entrance. If you would like a gluten free wafer, please let the welcomer know. We serve tea and coffee in the Church after the 10.00am service, it's a good time to get to know people.

Today's Services:

9.00am Holy Communion at Halton

10.00am Parish Communion with Wholeness and Healing

Hymn: 522 We cannot measure how you heal

Hymn: 358 Be still for the presence of the Lord

Sermon: Revd Phil Smith

Hymns: 451 Just as I am without one plea

669 I heard the voice of Jesus say

739 Now thank we all our God

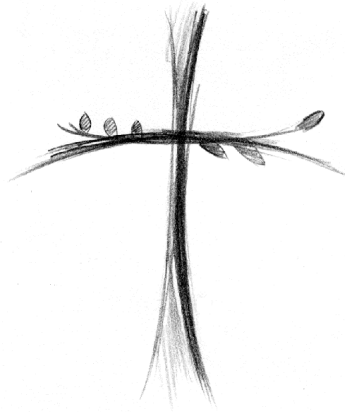
If you are not able to get to the High Altar please let the welcomers know and they will ensure the ministers will come to you for the ministry of healing

11.45am Baptism:

4.00pm Simply Worship: A bold hope - 2 Cor. 3.7-18

SHROVE TUESDAY 4TH MARCH: We are delighted that Pauline Bennett and her daughter Susan are once again organising a Pancake and quiz evening. This will be held on Shrove Tuesday 4th March 2025, 6.30pm onwards, in the cottage. There are still some places left so please don't forget to sign up on the list on the noticeboard at the back of church if you are attending. Thank you.

Ash Wednesday



5th March 2025

8.50am	Morning Prayer
10.00am	Holy Communion with imposition of ashes
4.15pm	Evening Prayer
7.30pm	Sung Communion with hymns, address and the imposition of ashes.

Please make a good start to Lent by being at worship on Ash Wednesday, one of the holiest days of the year, a day of penitence and reflection.

On Ash Wednesday we will begin our series of exploring the Sonnets of the poet Malcolm Guite, and this will continue at our weekly Compline Services, each Tuesday in Lent at 7.30pm.

Sounding the Seasons is a collection of 70 sonnets for the Christian Year written by Malcom Guite. He is a poet, priest and singer song writer.

SUNDAY AFTERNOONS AT SIMPLY WORSHIP AT 4.00PM.

2 Corinthians 3-5 are some of the richest chapters of the New Testament. St Paul paints a magnificent vista of the meaning of Christian hope. We will explore:

- A bold hope - 2 Cor. 3.7-18
- Hope versus despair – 2. Cor. 4.1-15
- Hope beyond death – 2 Cor. 4.16-5.10
- A hope to grasp – 2 Cor. 5.11-21

WORSHIP ON SUNDAY AFTERNOON / EVENING:

9 th March	4.00pm	Messy Church
16 th March	4.00pm	Simply Worship
23 rd March	6.30pm	St John's Passion, Bach
30 th March	4.00am	River

LENT, HOLY WEEK AND EASTER: The Lent, Holy Week and Easter booklet is published. Please collect a copy from church or see our church website.

HERITAGE WEEKEND in September: if you would like to be part of a small group planning this, please let Linda know. Thanks

Pray every day



*'By prayer and petition with thanksgiving, make your requests known to God'
Each day we pray for our ministry, our Community and Wider Issues and Individual streets and areas of the Parish.*

- Sunday** Linda our Curate.
The Diocese of Newcastle, Helen-Ann, Bishop of Newcastle and Mark, Bishop of Berwick.
Newton and Thornbrough.
- Monday** Phil our Associate Priest
Parishes in Corbridge Deanery and the Area Dean.
Farnley, Ladycutter Lane, Fellside.
Take Five - The Church Mission Society and our mission partners Andrew and Lisa Peart.
- Tuesday** Claire our Associate Priest
Ecumenical outreach to other denominations.
Dilston and Temperley Grange, Prospect Hill.
Take Five - Wycliffe Bible Translators Ethiopia Getatchew & Gezashingn Yohannes.
- Wednesday** The retired clergy - Jack Hay, Jenny Kinnaird, Barbara McNamara, Michael Thompson, Bryan Topping and their ministry in Corbridge.
Corbridge Methodist Church. Their congregation and their minister – Revd Marie Beard.
The Stanners, Station Road, Lion Court.
Take Five - Byker: The Lighthouse Project and MINE Youth Project.

- Thursday** Churchwardens –David McEwan and Peter Cook.
The schools in our parish – Corbridge First School,
Corbridge Middle School, Mowden Hall School.
Bridge End, Main Street.
Take Five - StopGap Supported Housing for the homeless
in Hexham and Tynedale.
- Friday** Those who serve on Deanery Synod and the PCC.
Corbridge Parish Council and Northumberland County
Council, their officers and staff.
Newcastle Road, Spoutwell Lane, Appletree Rise.
Take Five - A Rocha UK Eco Church Programme and our
care for creation.
- Saturday** PCC Minute Secretary Jo Eldridge and the Electoral Roll
Officer, Maureen Davison.
For adult education, colleges and universities and
particularly for Cambian College at Dilston.
Carrsfield, The Crofts, Hallbankgate.

We pray for the sick, especially Carolyn Holmes, Luna Medina Craig,
Mark Stephenson, Joyce Walker, David Andrews, John Clark, Mavis
Hamer, Bridget Lay.

We pray for the family and friends of Alan Fawkes, Jean Oxford and
Rosemary Haynes

The St Andrew's 1350th Prayer.

God of the ages, we praise you for your faithfulness to us over 1350
years here in Corbridge. As we rejoice in our foundation by St Wilfrid,
and are inspired by your holy apostle St Andrew, make us as a city set
on a hill, whose light cannot be hidden, the light of your glory in the
face of Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen.

Announcements

ELECTORAL ROLL: All Church of England Parishes across the country are required to prepare a new electoral roll this year. Everyone on the existing roll will need to re-apply in order to be included. Applications are made by filling out the form, one per person, available today in your hymn books or at the back of church. All forms need to be received by the Electoral Roll Officer Mrs Maureen Davison, either brought to church when attending for a service or put in the office letterbox by **6th April**. A completed roll will then be available on a Sunday or Wednesday morning so that details may be checked. **Please do not leave completed forms in church** if there is no one there to receive them. Please note this is not to be confused with the mailing list. Thanks.

SAFEGUARDING: If you need to contact someone about a safeguarding issue please contact the Parish Safeguarding Officer: Mrs Mandy Norton: telephone: 07831136505 email mandy.norton@btinternet.co.uk All our policies and procedures were updated at the November PCC meeting. Information about Safeguarding can be found on the noticeboard or the website, too.

CASCADE OF FLOWERS: Running alongside the Flower Festival will be a cascade of knitted / crocheted flowers. If you would like to create some, please take a pattern from the back of church. We are quite happy for flowers to be created from material or knitted / crocheted using a different pattern as long as the size does not exceed a diameter of 10 cms.

SPONSORSHIP FOR THE FLOWER FESTIVAL: To help cover the cost of flowers, we would be delighted if individuals, groups of individuals, families or businesses, were able to sponsor an arrangement. Information is available at the back of church or on the website.

St. Andrew's Church, Corbridge



St John Passion

J.S Bach

Sung by The Bishop's Consort

Directed by David Stancliffe

6.30pm on Sunday 23rd March

Cost £15.00, Concessions £10.00, Students £5.00

Tickets available from Forum, online or at the
door.

Online Tickets : wegottickets.com/event/651867/



[Click here for Online Tickets](https://wegottickets.com/event/651867/)

Diary

Monday		3rd March
9.30am	Staff Meeting	
11.00am	Charlotte Straker Service	
2.00pm	Standing Committee	
3.00pm	Maintenance Meeting	
Shrove Tuesday		4th March
9.00am	First School Assembly	
9.40am	River Planning Meeting	
10.30am	Book Club	
6.30pm	Pancake & Quiz Evening in the cottage	
Ash Wednesday		5th March
10.00am	Holy Communion with Imposition of Ashes	
11.00am	Abbeyfield Service	
7.30pm	Sung Communion with Imposition of Ashes	
Thursday		6th March
2.30pm	Prayer Group	
4.00pm	Home Group	
Friday		7th March
12.30pm	Diocesan Core Module Lay Training – in the Cottage	
2.30pm	Pastoral Lead Team Meeting	
7.00pm	Choir Practice	
Saturday		8th March
9.00am	Diocesan Synod	
Sunday – Lent 1		9th March
8.00am	Holy Communion	
10.00am	Parish Communion	
11.45am	Baptism	
4.00pm	Messy Church	

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