

**Our new vision**

***"We believe we are called to help put people back together, in the name of Jesus; in body, mind and spirit."  
"To repair, renew and restore."***

**PRAYER MATTERS**

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Please pray for our churches as we look towards setting our vision for 2024

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We continue to pray for the situation in the middle east in Israel and Gaza, Russia and Ukraine and all places where wars are causing pain and devastation.

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Please pray for everyone going forwards for baptism and confirmation on the 17<sup>th</sup> of March.

Please fill out a post card and pop this in the new prayer box and someone will get in touch if you request it.

**Next week's bible readings:**

Seceond Sunday before Lent (Green)

First reading Acts 9:1-9

Gospel Reading: Mark 4:35-41

Our theme this Epiphany is Great Journeys of Faith.

St. Andrew's Service will be led by Rev. Patch

St. John's Service will be led by Kirsten

**Contact details & to place notices**

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**Monday – Thursday**

Website: [www.pawchurch.org](http://www.pawchurch.org)

**The Parish of  
St. John's and St. Andrew's  
Parks and Walcot estates  
Weekly Notice sheet**



*working in partnership with the community to bring hope to our streets.*  
**PLEASE TAKE THIS SHEET HOME WITH YOU**

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup> January– Fourth Sunday in Epiphany**

*God of heaven,  
you send the gospel to to the ends of the earth  
and your messengers to every nation:  
send your Holy Spirit to transform us  
by the good news of everlasting life  
in Jesus Christ our Lord.*

**Today's Bible Readings:** Old Testament: Nehemiah 2:4-10

Gospel Reading: Mark 4:35-41

**This Sunday: 4<sup>th</sup> Sunday in Epiphany**

**9.30am Holy Communion @ St. Andrew's**  
*Sermon by Janet*

**11am All Age Communion @ St. John's**  
*Sermon by Angela*

<sup>10</sup> *When Sanballat the Horonite and Tobiah the Ammonite official heard about this, they were very much disturbed that someone had come to promote the welfare of the Israelites.*

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### This Week

Mon 29th 9am	<b>School run social @ St. John's</b>
12-2pm	<b>Cherished @ St. John's</b>
3-6pm	<b>Family Club @ St. John's (Warm space)</b>
Tue 30 <sup>th</sup> 10am	<b>Gardening Club @ St. John's</b>
Weds 31 <sup>st</sup> 10am	<b>Communion</b>
10.30am	<b>Chill &amp; Chat @ St John's</b>
4.30pm	<b>Candlemas Christingle @ St. John's</b>
Thurs 1 <sup>st</sup> Feb 10am	<b>Cuppa and Chat @St. Andrew's with Spring rites</b>
Sun 4 <sup>th</sup> 9.30am	<b>Holy Communion@ St Andrew's</b> <i>Short church meeting after service</i>
11am	<b>All age Worship @ St. John's</b> Service by Kirsten

### Home groups

Please see below our growing home group! Get in touch with on of the leaders today!

Leader	Location	Day and time
Angela	168 Frobisher Drive	Tuesdays @ 2.30
Mo	32 Shaftesbury Avenue	Wednesdays @ 7pm
Tricia	41 Towcester Road, Coleview	Friday's @ 2.30pm

### Upcoming events

#### Candlemas

**Christingle service 31<sup>st</sup> January at 4.30pm**

Come and enjoy the last gifts of Christmas!

#### **February 1<sup>st</sup>**

**St. Brigid's day.** There will be St. Brigid cross making at Cuppa and chat during the day. No charge.

#### **February 13<sup>th</sup>**

**Shrove Tuesday** Pancake party: St. John's Church 1pm-3pm @ St. John's

#### **February 14<sup>th</sup> : Ash Wednesday**

**Ashings 9.30am @ St. Andrew's with our LLM Angela**

**Ashings 10 am @ St. John's Midweek Communion**

There will be a **Lent Lunch at St. John's at 12noon** followed by our **Lent movie "The Way"**. This will lay the foundations for our Lent Bible studies.

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#### **Confirmation/Baptism call**

Baptisms and Confirmations will take place at St. John's on the evening of the 17<sup>th</sup> of March with the new bishop of Swindon Rev Neil Warrick+. If you are considering baptism or confirmation please do speak to the vicar as soon as possible.

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#### **Treasurer needed!**

We are looking for a new treasurer. This person need not attend PCC meetings but to work with our administration team to put together our financial reports.