

WELCOME TO HOLY TRINITY AND ST ANDREW'S

We are a Word and Spirit church.
Through clear Bible teaching, worship and
ministry led by the Holy Spirit, we want to grow in
faith and become more like Jesus.
We believe Jesus is the Hope of the World
and our desire is to bring others
to know Him too.

The Church's prayer for the second Sunday before Lent

Almighty God,
give us reverence for all creation
and respect for every person,
that we may mirror your likeness
in Jesus Christ our Lord.
Amen



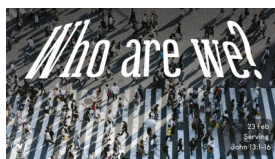
23 February 2025

Holy Trinity

9.00am Morning Worship

10.45am Contemporary
Worship

Preacher: Shawn Swinney



6.00pm

The 6

Preacher:
Ben Notley



St Andrews

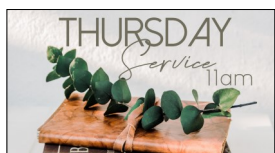
10.30am Contemporary
Worship

Preacher: Malc Morgan

27 February

11.00am Midweek service
@ HT

Preacher:
James Bradby



Church Family

Lent sermon series starts 9 March. It's based on the book *The Whole Easter Story—Why the Cross is good news for all creation*, by Jo Swinney, copies of which are available in church at £5 a copy. All proceeds to A Rocha.

Do you love Combe Down? Please do come along to the Church Rooms on March 4th at 7.30pm to see how you can get involved in COMBE DOWN FEST taking place on the Firs Field on 12th/13th July. For more information contact Matt Wheeldon 07785 708409

Come and study John's Gospel: The Ladies' Monday group will be studying all through John's Gospel in the months ahead. Do join this lively group from Monday 3rd March in the Wordsworth Chapel. Let Rosalind know (07981 451572) if you are joining so she can order a book for you. Feel free 'to dip your toe in' and come just once.

Blankets needed! Bath City Pastors are always in need of hats, scarves, gloves, socks to hand out to rough sleepers. They don't have to be new, just clean and in good condition. They are especially short of blankets at the moment. If you have any to spare they would be very grateful. (They can't take sleeping bags or duvets). Please either leave them in St Michaels, Monkton Combe (it is always open) or contact D Clark.

Holy Trinity gives a warm welcome: Every Sunday every one of us regular attenders are urged to look out for people you don't recognise to ensure, if they are visitors or first timers, they feel sincerely welcome among us. Please take the time to speak to someone new even if you aren't on the welcome team.

Can you Help? Tim and Rachel Monger are looking for a few strong people (and to borrow some straps/ropes) to help load a piano and some furniture into a van on Wednesday, March 5th in the early evening. Please get in touch with them if you are able to help! Tim 07469760812 or Rachel 07554801783

Accommodation needed

Accommodation needed for a mother and daughter within walking distance from Holy Trinity Church. One or two bedrooms. Please contact Helen (07340 419624) or Vanessa Rew (vanessa@htcd.church)

Thank you to the Children's teams this Sunday:

Jonah's Crew (18-36 months).

Lydia C, Sarah B, Penny S



Ruth's Crew (3-6: Church Rooms)

Diana G, Mary W, Julia D



Peter's Crew (7-11 : Church Rooms)

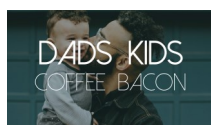
Elaine H, Peter C



Church Events

Saturday 22 February

Dads, Kids, Coffee, Bacon: 9–10:30 in Holy Trinity..dads, kids (pre-school age), coffee (decent), bacon (outstanding)... church full of toys. All (Dads&Kids) welcome.



Wednesday 26 February

Mothers' Union: Come & join in our next meeting as part of our Hope in Action theme for 2025. Rachel Monger will be speaking & sharing her mission work in Tanzania tackling Albinism. 2.30 pm, St Andrews.. Everyone welcome at our meetings.



Saturday 1 March

Building Bridges: Engaging with those from a Muslim background. TWO events helping us think about loving our Muslim friends and neighbours.



- 10:30–12 at StACC, a SEMINAR thinking about how we might talk to Muslim friends about faith. This will be really helpful, informative and engaging.
- 6:30–8:30 at Holy Trinity, Testimony and Prayer evening. Dan from Open Doors will interview John from Yemen about his incredible journey to faith in Jesus, with worship and prayer led by SAT-7, praying for the Middle East.

Book in for either or both at htcd.church/events

Monday 3 March

The Prayer Gathering— new monthly prayer, led by Shawn, on the first Monday of each month, at Holy Trinity, 7.45 pm



Other events

Saturday 1 March

Friends of Bath Young Carers Charity Quiz Night, St Andrews, 7–10pm. Teams

of up to 8 for competitive games of general knowledge. Tickets (£10 per person) from Suzanne Lloyd-Helyar



Sunday 2 March

Warren Furman: The Gladiator!

shares his stunning story of fame, fortune & faith with Simon



Guillebaud at Bath Forum BA1 1UG, 7.30–9pm. A fantastic evening for men *and* women, 12–years–old upwards.

Willing participants will be invited up for gladiatorial action. He's a great communicator— he had it all (muscles, Page 3 girlfriend, money, fame etc) but was empty inside. Then he met Jesus, & the rest is history. Please invite your friend/neighbour/colleague & come ready for a brilliant evening! Tickets £9, from Tim/Ben or Malc— you can use card reader if in church, otherwise cash please. **The 6 will be cancelled that evening to enable everyone to attend.**

Prayer for the week

Pray diligently. Stay alert, with your eyes wide open in gratitude.
(Colossians 4.2)

Please pray for:

Mission Prayers:

Please pray for Malcolm and Mimi Dando at Kinuman Church in the Philippines. Pray for wisdom and funding as they plan to extend the church building, and especially for the growing work amongst young people; may many come to Christ as the church goes into schools and organises other groups for them.

Sanctuary Prayer for this week



Morning Prayer on Mondays and Fridays on Zoom at 9am
<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/81360641930?pwd=QW5HNXVld2pzaS8zODVvZ2s4WEFkZz09>

Thursdays at 7am in Holy Trinity

StACC: third Tuesday of each month at 7.30pm.

Mission prayers: last Monday of month, 7pm on Zoom
Contact Sue Budd for link

Emergency prayer chain: If you have an urgent prayer need, you can activate more than 50 people to pray.
Please contact Lynne Tisdale (07402931102).

Giving at HT

By Standing Order: (preferred) Forms are available at www.htcd.church/giving or from the Welcome table



QR Code: On display in the Foyer or here:

Card reader for contactless payments (in HT foyer)

By cheque: payable to Combe Down PCC please

Online go to www.htcd.church/giving or click on the GIVING tab at the top of the front page of the website

By text: Text HTCD01 and the amount to 70070

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