

Beetle & Bingo Evening – Mon. 22nd @ 7.30pm

Charity of the Month – Embrace the Middle East

A Christian development charity, which tackles poverty and injustice in the Middle East.

Originally set up in 1854, they have worked with and supported Christian communities doing life-changing work in countries in the Near and Middle East, including Turkey, Syria, Egypt, the Balkans, Lebanon, Israel, Palestine and Cyprus. After various name changes the Charity was known for many years as the Bible Lands Society until it changed in 2012 to *Embrace the Middle East*.

To raise funds and to make their work more widely known they produced their first *Bethlehem Carol* sheet in 1954. At St Andrew's we use the 56th Edition - alongside the carols it has stories of the people they help in Bible Land communities.

More info at www.embraceme.org

Please be generous....

The
Anglican
Church

in Port de Pollença
Saint Andrew's

Sunday 14 January 2018

***Welcome to our Sung Eucharist today
on the 2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time***

A special welcome if you are visiting.
If you require Gluten-free Altar bread – please
have a word with one of the Welcomers.

Hymn Nos: 16; 120; 609; 658

*Do join us for refreshments after the Service,
which are served at the back of church*

*If you pay tax in the UK and are visiting – please
make use of the Gift Aid envelopes – it helps us a
great deal. Please complete all the details required -
Thank you.*

Prayer Ministry is offered during Holy Communion:
Just make your way to the Quiet Room at the front
of Church after receiving Holy Communion &
someone will be there to pray with you or for you.

Christian Unity Week starts on Thursday 18 Jan.

There is an Ecumenical Service at

Palma Cathedral on Sunday 21st at 5pm
and St Philip & St James hosts a service on
Wednesday 24th at 7.30pm

*Full list of services hosted by the different Churches
is on the notice board*

Joint Chaplaincy Lunch at Menastralia – Sunday
11 February at 1pm. Please sign up if you
would like to join us....

Ash Wednesday is Wednesday 14 February
Eucharists at 10am and 7.30pm

Lent Course starts Tues 20 Feb. at 7.30pm

Christian Stewardship: *Our Giving on
Sundays is always about our response to God's
love for us – not just about paying the bills - 'Count
your blessings,' as they say! Last Sunday's
collection was 250.05€ and 200€ from recent
Social/Fund-Raising events. We also receive on
average €776 through monthly UK/Spanish standing
order Offerings. It costs around €5302 each month
to maintain our chaplaincy ministry...*

(Unlike other Diocese in the C/E, the Diocese of
Europe does not provide Chaplaincies with any
financial support for their ministry)

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During the week:

Wed 17th St Antoni No **TGIW** this week *due
to road closures and restricted parking (not so good
for our volunteers)*

Thurs 18th NO 12.30pm Eucharist this week

Next Sunday: 21 January 2018
3rd Sunday of the Year ~

10.00am Sung Eucharist

Officiant & Preacher: Rev'ds Ron & Viv Larkin

*To help you prepare for worship next Sunday
why not look up the readings we will use at:*
Gen 14:17-20; Revelation 19:6-10; John 1:1-11

During the week please pray for:

Those in need: see list over

Recently Departed: Joy Gibbery,
Barbara Henderson

January Anniversaries: Freda Longhead,
Jane Hannahway, Victor Skon-Rees,
William Tonsaker, Alfonso Loeffler

2nd Sunday in Ordinary Time

OPENING PRAYER

Almighty God, in Christ you make all things new: transform the poverty of our nature by the riches of your grace, and in the renewal of our lives make known your heavenly glory; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. **Amen.**

THE READING (1 Samuel 3:3-10. 19)

A reading from the first book of Samuel.

Samuel was lying in the sanctuary of the Lord where the ark of God was, when the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' He answered, 'Here I am.' Then he ran to Eli and said, 'Here I am, since you called me.' Eli said, 'I did not call. Go back and lie down.' So he went and lay down. Once again the Lord called, 'Samuel! Samuel!' Samuel got up and went to Eli and said, 'Here I am, since you called me.' He replied, 'I did not call you, my son; go back and lie down.' Samuel had as yet no knowledge of the Lord and the word of the Lord had not yet been revealed to him. Once again the Lord called, the third time. He got up and went to Eli and said, 'Here I am, since you called me.' Eli then understood that it was the Lord who was calling the boy, and he said to Samuel, 'Go and lie down, and if someone calls say, "Speak, Lord, your servant is listening."' So Samuel went and lay down in his place.

The Lord then came and stood by, calling as he had done before, 'Samuel! Samuel!' Samuel answered, 'Speak, Lord, your servant is listening.' Samuel grew up and the Lord was with him and let no word of his fall to the ground.

*This is the word of the Lord. **Thanks be to God.***

GOSPEL ACCLAMATION

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

Speak, Lord, your servant is listening:
you have the message of eternal life.

Alleluia, alleluia, alleluia, alleluia!

GOSPEL (John 1: 35-42)

A reading from the Holy Gospel according to John.

Glory to you, O Lord.

The next day Jesus decided to go to Galilee. He found Philip and said to him, "Follow me." Now Philip was from Bethsaida, the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip found Nathanael and said to him, "We have found him about whom Moses in the law and also the prophets wrote, Jesus son of Joseph from Nazareth." Nathanael said to him, "Can anything good come out of Nazareth?" Philip said to him, "Come and see." When Jesus saw Nathanael coming toward him, he said of him, "Here is truly an Israelite in whom there is no deceit!" Nathanael asked him, "Where did you get to know me?" Jesus answered, "I saw you under the fig tree before Philip

called you." Nathanael replied, "Rabbi, you are the Son of God! You are the King of Israel!" Jesus answered, "Do you believe because I told you that I saw you under the fig tree? You will see greater things than these." And he said to him, "Very truly, I tell you, you will see heaven opened and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

*This is the Gospel of the Lord. **Praise to you, O Christ.***

COMMUNION ANTIPHON & THOUGHT FOR THE WEEK – Worthy is the Lamb to receive power and wealth and wisdom and might and honour and glory and blessing! (Rev 5:12)



Praying for one another during the week:

For the worship, work & witness of this Chaplaincy.

For the work of Embrace the Middle East and the people they will help this week.

Mike Beardmore, the Burns & Walker families, Dermot, Theo, Dene, Chris, James, Eli, Ken, Sarah, Clive Payne, Melvyn Rowlands, Gwen Bradshaw, Marcus, Joseph, Sam, Sophie, Josh & baby Dylan, Clive, Jo Fluff & family, Melanie, the Rayden family, John Blott, Ann Wardley, Brian, Mary Pacey, Joyce Baugh, Jonathan Navarro, Farin, Jesus, Mario, Robert, David, Georgeann Tisdale, Alan Cunningham, Luke, Ellie, Alison, David, Micky, Kathleen, Georgie, Lynn, Emma, Andres, parents. Those recently bereaved.

Sarah Benelli would like to thank those who prayed for her great-grandson Dylan, born in November nearly ten weeks too soon. His grateful parents took him home from hospital on New Year's Day. Thanks be to God.



Flowers in Church – Donations are always welcome to help us provide flowers in church. They can always be offered in thanksgiving or in memory – *just have a word with Ann Manning or Monica.*

KEEPING IN TOUCH – If you would like to know more about St Andrew's, receive our Weekly Sheet & monthly Newsletter, please let Fr Nigel have your email address and we will gladly add you to our list: