

THE PARISH CHURCH OF ST ANDREW WEST TARRING

NOTICES - 05/04/2026 & 12/04/2026

LOOK UP!

Safeguarding. If you feel that anyone including yourself is unsafe in church for any reason then please contact satsafeguarding@gmail.com

Please continue to **pray** for all of the work of our church. Come Holy Spirit!

Evening Prayer. Every weekday 5.15pm

Sompting Morris Dancers. Monday 4 May
10.30 Tarring High Street

APCM (Annual Parochial Church Meeting)
Sunday 10 May following the 10am Eucharist.
This is the annual meeting where church business is discussed, accounts are reviewed and members of the Parish council are elected.

Christian Aid Big Breakfast

Breakfast in the Old Palace in support of Christian Aid. Saturday 16th May - see separate letter to order. £6.00.

Tarring Market - 30 May 10am-2pm

- Start saving good quality bric-a-brac like unwanted presents.
- Sign up to help on a stall.
- Think about whether you have friends or family that could help on the day. The more people involved, the better.
- Grow some plants
- Tell people to come on the day!

Lunch and Lecture!

7th June after church there will be a soup lunch and a short (20min) talk about Julian of Norwich.

Sound System

We are engaging a company to help us repair/ improve and upgrade the sound system. If you feel called to sponsor this important work financially then please speak to Fr Steven or a churchwarden.

Trelfa Travel is a friendly, local, independent travel agent. The church will receive some commission from bookings! 07507 113 881
<https://trelfastravels.notjusttravel.com>

St Richard's Festival. St Richard's is celebrating 60 years since the dedication of the current church building. They will be holding a weekend festival 13/14 June

- **Saturday** - Fair with stalls and entertainments during the day.
- Concert from the Sussex Gruffs male voice choir in the evening.
- **Sunday** - daytime TBC. Songs of Praise service with Bishop Ruth in the evening.

Parish Pilgrimage / Retreat day

Storrington Priory 25 July - £38 per person includes lunch and refreshments.

Confirmations 2026. In September St Andrews will host the confirmation service for Worthing Deanery. If you are interested in this next step in your Christian journey, please speak to Fr Steven.

Parish Magazine available for £2 in Church

Barn Dance!

Together with Tarring High Street residents we are hosting a Barn Dance at the Old Palace on Saturday 18th July in the evening. Save the date and invite your friends!

WELCOME!

A warm welcome to St Andrew's to everyone. If you are new to St Andrew's or visiting, please say hello to the clergy, churchwardens or welcome team.

To receive this newsletter by email, please contact the parish office on 01903 700547 or parishoffice@standrewwesttarring.co.uk

<p>5 April 026 - Easter Day 8am Eucharist - St Andrew's, West Tarring 9am Parish Eucharist - St Richard's, Maybridge 10am Parish Eucharist - St Andrew's, West Tarring Readings: 1st Reading - Acts 10.34-43 2nd Reading - Col 3.1-4 Psalm - 118.14-24 Gospel - Matthew 28.1-10</p>	<p>12 April 2026 - First after Easter 8am Eucharist - St Andrew's, West Tarring 9am Parish Eucharist - St Richard's, Maybridge 10am Parish Eucharist - St Andrew's, West Tarring Readings: 1st Reading - Acts 2.14a,22-32 2nd Reading - 1 Pet 1.3-9 Psalm - 16 Gospel - John 20.19-23</p>
<p>Parish Diary Mon 06/04 - Easter Monday Bank Holiday - No Evening Prayer - 7.30pm Bell Ringing practice Tues 07/04 - 10am-12pm Coffee Morning - 2.30pm St Andrew's Fellowship - 5.15pm Evening Prayer - 7.00 pm Rosary Group Wed 08/04 - No Eucharist at St Richard's - 1pm Baby and Toddler's in the Old Palace - 5.15pm Evening Prayer Thur 09/04 - 5.15pm Evening Prayer Fri 10/04 - 9am Eucharist at St Andrew's - 9.45am Flower Arranging - 5.15pm Evening Prayer</p>	<p>Parish Diary Mon 13/04 - 5.15pm Evening Prayer - 7.30pm Bell Ringing practice Tues 14/04 - 10am-12pm Coffee Morning - 5.15pm Evening Prayer - 7.00 pm Rosary group Wed 15/04 - 10am Eucharist at St Richard's - 1pm Baby and Toddler's in the Old Palace - 5.15pm Evening Prayer Thur 16/04 - 5.15pm Evening Prayer Fri 17/04 - 9am Eucharist at St Andrew's - 9.45am Flower Arranging - 5.15pm Evening Prayer</p>

Sunday Club meets every Sunday during the main 10am service. A team of volunteers prepare lots of fun and interesting activities for school age children. Children sit in the South aisle and leave to the lower vestry for part of the service.

Supporting St Andrew's. You can give a one-off donation to support the work of St Andrew's or set up regular giving through the Parish Giving Scheme by following this link;

<https://www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/west-tarring-worthing/>