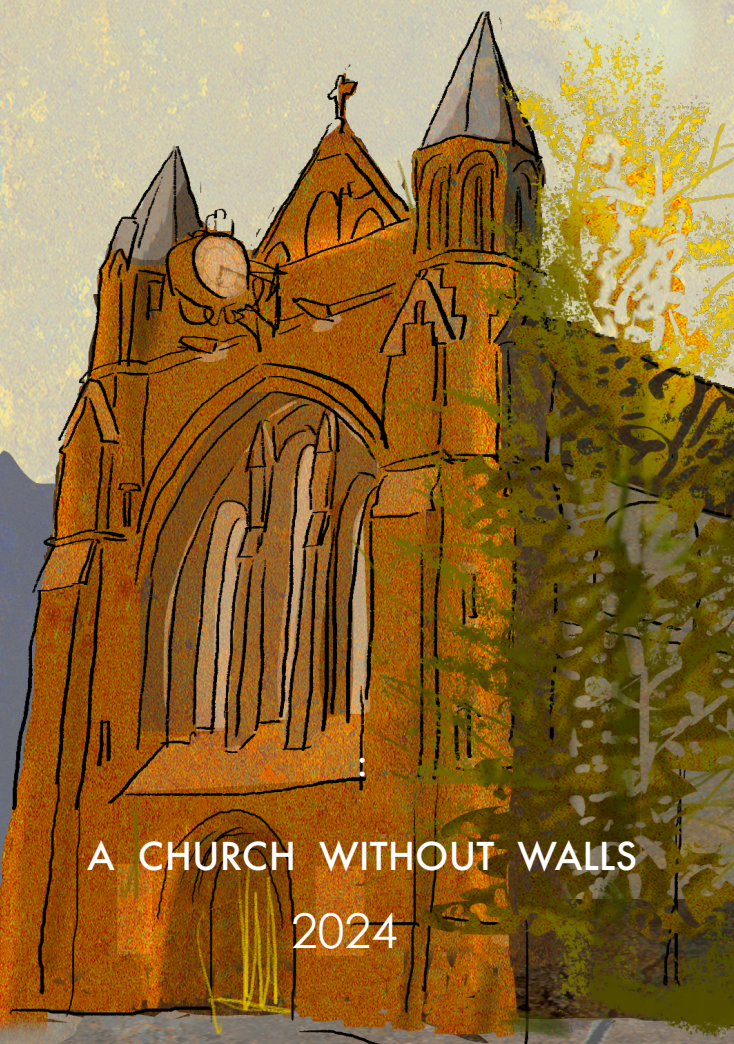


St Andrew's:
a place for everyone
A Season of Giving



A CHURCH WITHOUT WALLS

2024

A church without walls...

...with room for all

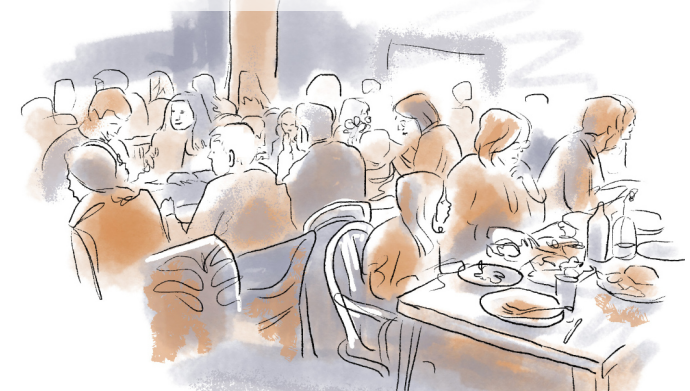
St Andrew's was founded as a parish church for the worship of God, and this remains at the heart of our mission.

Holy Communion is celebrated every **Sunday and Wednesday**, with refreshments afterwards.

We are always delighted to christen children, and for people to get married at the church. At times of bereavement, we are here to support you and hold a funeral.

We are members of the Inclusive Church network.

The Community Meal We believe in the power of hospitality so bring people together over an inclusive and welcoming home cooked meal once a month. Nourishment for body and soul, please join us at **Home Cafe** on the **3rd Wednesday of every month from 6-8pm.**



'When we eat together, when we set out to do so deliberately, life is better, no matter what your circumstances.'

Thomas Keller



St Andrew's is the home of **Home Community Cafe**, independent social enterprise, and we are proud to be able to host and collaborate with them!

Alongside the day to day cafe offering, it partners with various voluntary sector organisations to run a program of events. The Cafe has recently received **Sanctuary** Status supporting refugees. Bounce Theatre hosts flourishing youth theatre & community art clubs, where people also get to sit around a table, talk and enjoy fresh, fabulous food together.

Registered charity **Earlsfield Foodbank** aims to prevent and relieve poverty locally. Open every Thursday morning, we currently serve around 110 local households a week with 3-4 days' worth of food with support services on site - Citizens Advice, Family Action and St. Mungos - helping guests with the underlying issues.



Kitchen Tables is a friendly space for adults to gather each month in someone's home. Open to all interested in exploring their faith.



Our community garden provides a beautiful and quiet space, maintained by a group of enthusiastic volunteers led by a professional gardener. We meet on Saturday mornings to share gardening, and enjoy our coffee break and a good natter.



Allsortz is a monthly family gathering where to explore God's love in fun and playful ways. Children and adults are welcome to join likeminded people.



Forest Church is an inclusive gathering following the seasons finding beauty and meaning through nature. A quarterly walk includes creative reflections and a seasonal treat.



The Southwest Songbirds all-female choir who rehearse a varied repertoire on term-time **Mondays, 7.30 - 9pm.** We have two concerts a year, raising money for charities.

St Andrew's: a place for everyone

St Andrew's has a vision for spiritual, social and environmental wellbeing encouraging a flourishing community.

In recent years the parish has broken down the walls from being primarily a traditional Sunday congregation, becoming an ecosystem where this vision can grow. We foster a collaborative approach with a diverse range of activities, events and expressions of faith. Our mission is to be an inclusive and mutually supportive place that cares for the mind, body and spirit.

There are many reasons for the current economic challenges that can impede this vision. None the less we want the parish to be somewhere where we continue to lay a place for everybody.

To do this we need YOUR support.

To achieve all this, we need to raise an additional £75,000 every year.

Please join us in not only being a benefactor but also a contributor to this parish as a place.

You may have a very deep Christian faith, simply be a spiritual person, or neither.

However, this message comes to you from us because at the heart of this parish is a community inclusive of all.

HOW TO GIVE

Please give generously to make sure we are here for everyone we support.

Regular gifts are especially helpful and enable us to plan for the future; all gifts of any size are valued and blessed.

Here's some illustrations to help think creatively about the cost: *A takeaway, a round of drinks in the pub, a night out at the cinema, a new pair of shoes, gym membership*

Joining our Parish Giving Scheme allows you to give to St Andrew's securely and safely online.

Follow the link below or use the QR code.

Click 'Regular Giving' to set up a monthly, quarterly, or annual Direct Debit or 'One-Off Gift' to make a single gift using your Debit, Credit Card or Apple/Google Pay wallet.

www.parishgiving.org.uk/donors/find-your-parish/earlsfield-st-andrew-wandsworth



You may also use the card machine in the church, or give cash in the collections during services and events.

FIND OUT MORE AND GET INVOLVED

www.standrewsearlsfield.org

or pop in to see us!

THANK YOU!