

How you can help

There are many ways that you could help or be involved in the life of St Andrew's Church. Please indicate this below and someone will contact you.

I would like to know more about a particular church or community activity
Please say which activity _____

I would like someone from the church to contact me

I would like to know about activities for children

I would like to know about activities for the elderly

I would be interested in hiring the facilities

I would like to know more or comment about the planned changes to the building

I would like to contribute financially to the 'Building Project' and be kept in touch with how the project progresses

I would like to be invited to an Alpha course to find out more about the church and its beliefs

If you have ticked a box, please complete the details below and send this page to the church office at the address on the front of the leaflet. For the purposes of planning permission, it would be really helpful if you could include your postcode. This indicates to the planning authorities that we have consulted widely in the community. This will not be used to identify your residence. Thank you.

Name:

Telephone:

Postcode:

St Andrew's Starbeck *"building for the future"*

St Andrew's Church is placed in the centre of Starbeck, so we are sure you will have passed it many times. We believe that we are a 'church in the community' and one of our aims is *to be a resource to the community*.



Maybe you have heard about some of the activities that take place in our buildings and have perhaps thought about joining one of them or just taking a look. Inside this leaflet you will find a list of activities - you are welcome to come along if you wish.

You may also have heard that we are planning some changes to our building. We have a vision to be a resource centre for the community of Starbeck through welcoming people into the life of the church. We are well placed to achieve this, but could manage so much more if our buildings were improved.

Inside this leaflet you will find some details of the plans we have; please take a look at them - we would be interested to have your comments and to receive any help you would like to give us.

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Our Building Project

“building for the future”

In 2006 we began looking at ways our building could be improved for the benefit of both the regular worshipping community and the wider community in Starbeck. Major considerations were for the building to be easily accessible to all people, to provide for the comfort and needs of all visitors, and to create a warm, hospitable and welcoming meeting space, including a large and flexible worship area.

We have employed an architect to draw up detailed plans, which are now being submitted for planning approval. When we start building work you will begin to notice some changes to the church. In particular, we are planning a new, wider entrance from the High Street directly into the church leading into a new ‘café’ style area. We hope to be able to welcome you into this new facility for a cup of tea or coffee and a chat. In addition, we will be improving our kitchen and toilet facilities and developing much needed meeting rooms.

If you would like to see the plans for our building project, they are on display in the church; you are welcome to ‘pop’ in to see them - the church is open most weekday mornings and, of course, on Sunday. Alternatively, you can view the plans at www.peter.andysonline.org/buildingproject



Artist's impression

Church and Community Activities

St Andrews is a busy church. Below is a list of some of our church and community activities. These activities are open to everyone.

Sunday Services Children's Sunday Clubs
Family Spot for parents and toddlers Crèche
British Sign Language services Summer Children's Week
Local uniformed organisations Christingles
Midweek youth groups Andy's Plaice group.com
Release Lunch club for the elderly Plus! group
Mothers' Union 'Holiday at Home' for over 60s
Banner Group Midweek Home Groups Prayer Groups
Slimming World FLOWERS AND DECORATING GROUP ALPHA course
Community REACHOUT Wednesday Club
'Love Starbeck' community support
Baptisms, weddings and funerals
Neighbourhood watch Starbeck in Bloom

