

**Services at St. Andrew's,  
Sandon [S]  
and St Mary the Virgin,  
Little Baddow[LB]**

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup>**

*Sunday next before Advent*

**CHRIST THE KING**

10.00 Parish Eucharist and  
"SHOEBOX" service [S]

10.00 "SHOEBOX" Village  
Service [LB]

18.30 Evening Eucharist [LB]

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup>**

11.00 Funeral and Burial [S]  
*Esme Bush*

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup>**

09.15 Holy Communion [S]

**Thursday 25<sup>th</sup>**

10.00 House Communion [LB]

**Sunday 28<sup>th</sup>**

**ADVENT SUNDAY**

08.00 Holy Communion [S]

10.00 Family Morning Worship  
[S]

10.00 Parish Eucharist [LB]

18.30 Evensong [LB]

**Monday 29<sup>th</sup>**

08.30 Celtic Morning Prayer in St  
Andrew's Chapel, Little  
Baddow

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup>**

**SAINT ANDREW'S DAY**

19.00 **Patronal Eucharist [S]**  
at St. Andrew's, Sandon

**Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> December**

09.15 Healing Service and Holy  
Communion [S]

**Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup>**

10.00 Healing Service and Holy  
Communion [St Andrew's  
Chapel, LB]

**Sunday 5<sup>th</sup>**

**2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of Advent**

08.00 Holy Communion [LB]

10.00 Jubilate Eucharist [LB]

10.00 Parish Eucharist [S]

12.00 Baptism [LB]

16.00 Christingle Service [S]

18.30 Evensong [LB]

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup>**

08.30 Celtic Morning Prayer in St  
Andrew's Chapel, Little  
Baddow

**Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup>**

09.15 Holy Communion [S]

14.00 Mildmay WI Group Carol  
Service [LB]

**Thursday 9<sup>th</sup>**

10.00 House Communion [LB]

**St Mary's Little Baddow  
CHRISTMAS BAZAAR**

**4<sup>TH</sup> DECEMBER**

**12 NOON - 2.30PM**

**The Memorial Hall, North Hill,  
Little Baddow**

volunteers to help run stalls (there will be a volunteer list in church for people to sign if they would like to help in any capacity) donated goodies to help stock the stalls. In particular we need lots of home-made cakes, pies, puddings, jams, pickles etc as well as books and DVDs, new or nearly new items for the gift stall, toys, raffle prizes and bottles for the tombola.

We'll also have a reminder note to give out, listing items needed. Donations can be brought to the Memorial Hall on the morning of the bazaar from 10:00 to 11:15 and will be very gratefully received!



**The Parish Churches of  
St. Andrew, Sandon  
and  
St Mary the Virgin,  
Little Baddow**

**CHRIST THE KING**

*Sunday next before Advent  
also known as "stir up Sunday"*

**Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> November**

**Welcome**

Our aim at St Mary's and St Andrew's is to so sense Christ's rule in our hearts and minds that we make decisions and craft policies that may help us all to walk together in the Way that leads to the Kingdom of God

**If you normally receive Holy Communion** you are welcome to receive Communion (the Sacraments of bread and wine) here too.

**If you do not normally receive Holy Communion** you are very welcome to come forward to receive a blessing (please carry a service book with you) you will never be alone.

**If you have difficulty in walking** and would appreciate a

supportive arm, please let a Sidesperson know before the service begins.

**If you have difficulty in kneeling** please do not be embarrassed to stand at the Altar rail to receive.

**If you do not feel strong enough to walk to the Altar rail** the Priest will always bring the Sacrament to you., but please ask via the Sidesperson or Churchwarden.

**We have Gluten Free Wafers** for those who need gluten free bread, again please inform a Church Warden as soon as possible.

**Introduction and Call to  
Worship**

God has rescued us from the power of darkness and transferred us to the kingdom of his beloved Son. Let us offer God our praise, thanksgiving and worship.

**Collect for this Sunday**

Eternal Father,  
whose Son Jesus Christ ascended to the throne of heaven that he might rule over all things as Lord and King:  
keep the Church in the unity of the Spirit and in the bond of peace,  
and bring the whole created order to worship at his feet;

who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever.

### First Reading

*Jeremiah 23:1-6*

**God will destroy the leaders who did not care for the people, and will raise up true and faithful shepherds.**

Woe to the shepherds who destroy and scatter the sheep of my pasture! says the LORD.

<sup>2</sup>Therefore, thus says the LORD, the God of Israel, concerning the shepherds who shepherd my people: It is you who have scattered my flock, and have driven them away, and you have not attended to them. So I will attend to you for your evil doings, says the LORD. <sup>3</sup>Then I myself will gather the remnant of my flock out of all the lands where I have driven them, and I will bring them back to their fold, and they shall be fruitful and multiply. <sup>4</sup>I will raise up shepherds over them who will shepherd them, and they shall not fear any longer, or be dismayed, nor shall any be missing, says the LORD.

<sup>5</sup> The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will raise up for David a righteous Branch, and he shall reign as king and deal wisely, and shall execute

justice and righteousness in the land. <sup>6</sup>In his days Judah will be saved and Israel will live in safety. And this is the name by which he will be called: 'The LORD is our righteousness.'

### Gospel

*Luke 23:33-43*

**In the ultimate weakness of death, Jesus displays the ultimate power of divinity: the power to offer eternal life**

<sup>33</sup>When they came to the place that is called The Skull, they crucified Jesus there with the criminals, one on his right and one on his left. [[ <sup>34</sup>Then Jesus said, 'Father, forgive them; for they do not know what they are doing.']] And they cast lots to divide his clothing. <sup>35</sup>And the people stood by, watching; but the leaders scoffed at him, saying, 'He saved others; let him save himself if he is the Messiah of God, his chosen one!' <sup>36</sup>The soldiers also mocked him, coming up and offering him sour wine, <sup>37</sup>and saying, 'If you are the King of the Jews, save yourself!'

<sup>38</sup>There was also an inscription over him, 'This is the King of the Jews.'  
<sup>39</sup> One of the criminals who were hanged there kept deriding him and saying, 'Are you not the Messiah? Save yourself and us!'

<sup>40</sup>But the other rebuked him, saying, 'Do you not fear God, since you are under the same sentence of condemnation?' <sup>41</sup>And we indeed have been condemned justly, for we are getting what we deserve for our deeds, but this man has done nothing wrong.'

<sup>42</sup>Then he said, 'Jesus, remember me when you come into your kingdom.' <sup>43</sup>He replied, 'Truly I tell you, today you will be with me in Paradise.'

### Introduction to the Peace

Even on the cross, Jesus prayed that his enemies might be forgiven. May we be agents of reconciliation, starting here. The peace of the Lord...

### Post Communion prayer

Stir up, O Lord, the wills of your faithful people; that they, plenteously bringing forth the fruit of good works, may by you be plenteously rewarded; through Jesus Christ our Lord



**Celtic**

## Morning Prayer

at St. Andrew's Chapel, Little Baddow *every Monday DURING ADVENT* at 8.30am from 29th November.

## NOWELL, NOWELL

A Concert of  
**CAROLS AND READINGS  
FOR CHOIR AND AUDIENCE**  
Times & Seasons Choir  
Conductor David Bayley

**SATURDAY 11th DECEMBER, 2010  
at 7.30pm**

**St. Mary's Church Little Baddow**  
Admission: **£10 (including wine and refreshments)**

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Umpium refugee camp school*

### The Ordained and Lay Ministers serving in these Parishes are:

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**Mr Charles Cope, Reader**

**Mr Brian Gilders, Reader**

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