

Please Pray for

- Ourselves that we may rejoice in the risen Lord and thank Him for the hope and assurance that His resurrection gives us
- The church throughout the world that we will all follow Jesus's example of forgiveness and sacrifice.
- The Ukraine that the political situation will be resolved without any more bloodshed.
- Refugees especially orphaned and homeless children .
- All those responsible for planning and putting on mission events to celebrate the diocesan centenary
- All those who need our prayers due to sickness or ill health especially Shirley Cartwright, Barbara Parish Peter, Rachael and baby Chloe, Simon Bobeldijk, Lee Howell, Maureen Thurston, Christopher Godfrey, Liz, Simon Mills, Joan Kennedy and others known to us.
- For those who mourn, especially the family and friends of Robert Meers, Frances Ewers, Alma Rowley, Ron Crosier, Arthur Davies and Dorothy Heard as they mourn their loss.
- Those whose anniversary of death falls at this time.

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Regular Pattern of Worship

Tuesday 9.30 am Holy Communion

2nd & 4th Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer

Sunday: All except the 2nd Sunday of the Month

10am Parish Eucharist 2nd Sunday

8am Holy Communion (Traditional)

10am Family Service

**The Parish Church of
St. Andrew Sandon**

Priest-in-Charge: Terry Brown

Welcome to your church

'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.'



Celebrant Graham Hamborg

Sunday 27th April 2014

2nd Sunday of Easter

Today's services

10am

Sung Eucharist

Reader:

Nick Bobeldijk

Eucharistic Minister:

David Farrar

Sides person:

Christine Farrar

Intersessions

Dennis Terry

NEXT WEEK

10am

Sung Eucharist

This week

Monday 28th April

7.30pm Annual Assembly at Village Hall

Tuesday 29th April

9.30am Said Communion Canon Philip Need

10.15am Coffee/Tea and Chat

6.30pm Youth Club (Village Hall)

7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)

Wednesday 30th April

1.00pm Tiny Tots in Church

6:00pm Brownies (Village Hall)

Thursday 1st May

5.00pm Beaver Scouts (Village hall)

6.20pm Cub Scouts (Village hall)

8.00pm Scouts (Village hall)

Friday 2nd May

7.30pm Choir Practice New members most welcome

Welcome – If you are new to church, please make yourself known to Revd. Terry or one of the people who gave out the hymn books.

Families are very welcome in Church.

Toilets and Changing facilities

are in the St. Andrew's Room, opposite the main door.

Communion All are welcome at the Communion rail, if you do not normally receive Communion, please come forward to receive a blessing.

Collect

Risen Christ, for whom no door is locked, no entrance barred: open the doors of our hearts, that we may seek the good of others and walk the joyful road of sacrifice and peace, to the praise of God the Father. Amen

First Reading

Acts 2. 14a, 22-32 (NT 115)

Peter Addresses the Crowd

But Peter, standing with the eleven, raised his voice and addressed them: 'Men of Judea and all who live in Jerusalem let this be known to you, and listen to what I say'.

'You that are Israelites, listen to what I have to say: Jesus of Nazareth, a man attested to you by God with deeds of power, wonders, and signs that God did through him among you, as you yourselves know— this man, handed over to you according to the definite plan and foreknowledge of God, you crucified and killed by the hands of those outside the law. But God raised him up, having freed him from death, because it was impossible for him to be held in its power. For David says concerning him, "I saw the Lord always before me, for he is at my right hand so that I will not be shaken; therefore my heart was glad, and my tongue rejoiced; moreover, my flesh will live in hope.

For you will not abandon my soul to Hades, or let your Holy One experience corruption. You have made known to me the ways of life; you will make me full of gladness with your presence."

'Fellow Israelites, I may say to you confidently of our ancestor David that he both died and was buried, and his tomb is with us to this day. Since he was a prophet, he knew that God had sworn with an oath to him that he would put one of his descendants on his throne. Foreseeing this, David spoke of the resurrection of the Messiah, saying, "He was not abandoned to Hades, nor did his flesh experience corruption." This Jesus God raised up, and of that all of us are witnesses.

Gospel Reading

John 20. 19-end (NT 112)

Jesus Appears to the Disciples

When it was evening on that day, the first day of the week, and the doors of the house where the disciples had met were locked for fear of the Jews, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' After he said this, he showed them his hands and his side. Then the disciples rejoiced when they saw the Lord. Jesus said to them again, 'Peace be with you. As the Father has sent me, so I send you.' When he had said this, he breathed on them and said to them, 'Receive the Holy Spirit. If you forgive the sins

of any, they are forgiven them; if you retain the sins of any, they are retained.'

Jesus and Thomas

But Thomas (who was called the Twin), one of the twelve, was not with them when Jesus came. So the other disciples told him, 'We have seen the Lord.' But he said to them, 'Unless I see the mark of the nails in his hands, and put my finger in the mark of the nails and my hand in his side, I will not believe.'

A week later his disciples were again in the house, and Thomas was with them. Although the doors were shut, Jesus came and stood among them and said, 'Peace be with you.' Then he said to Thomas, 'Put your finger here and see my hands. Reach out your hand and put it in my side. Do not doubt but believe.' Thomas answered him, 'My Lord and my God!' Jesus said to him, 'Have you believed because you have seen me? Blessed are those who have not seen and yet have come to believe.'

The Purpose of This Book

Now Jesus did many other signs in the presence of his disciples, which are not written in this book. But these are written so that you may come to believe that Jesus is the Messiah, the Son of God, and that through believing you may have life in his name.

Post Communion

Lord God our Father, through our Saviour Jesus Christ you have assured your children of eternal life and in baptism have made us one with him: deliver us from the death of sin and raise us to new life in your love, in the fellowship of the Holy Spirit, by the grace of our Lord Jesus Christ. Amen.

Visit to Cambridge Saturday 21st June

A coach is booked to leave Sandon at 10am to take us to Cambridge. There will be free time in Cambridge and then at 4.15 meet at Queens College for Tea, followed by Choral Evensong and a tour of the College. All for £15 per person. Please sign the list by the notice board at the back of the church.

CCG Quiet Day Saturday 7th June 10am until 4pm

Theme – Being a Christian in our World Today

Venue - Othona Community Bradwell

(We have speakers from our own CCG Group to set us thinking)

Cost £20 (This includes all refreshments and a hot lunch) Contact Christine Horton for a place 01245 466534 Horton.20@btinternet.com **Deadline for applications for a place 10th May 2014**

Terry will be going so he has room in his car. fruit juice, porridge, scrambled egg and toast plus tea or coffee. Donations gratefully received to defer cost.

Jumble Sale

Saturday 10th May 12 noon -2pm in the Village Hall

Men's Breakfast

Saturday 24th May with Bishop John

8.30am – 10am

Book you place now with Dennis Terry

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