

Please Pray for

- Prison Week begins today. We remember all those who work in the Prison Service and we pray for all prisoners throughout the world.
- The Diocese of Venezuela province 1X The Episcopal Church USA
- Neil and Alison Read Matt and Emma
- Baptism family Edi & Amanda Bobeldijk and Evie
- Our Tiny Tots
- For staff and inmates at Chelmsford Prison
- For all who live in Hammonds Road
- Two years ago, the Philippines were battered by a mighty typhoon that left more than 6,500 people dead. Give thanks for the help that has been provided which is enabling survivors to get back on their feet and to regain hope.
- The sick and those who care for them especially Reg Horscroft, Christine Farrar, Chloe King, Simon Bobeldijk, Liz, Simon Mills, Susannah Bedwell, Pauline Butterworth, Bishop John, , Joan, Daisy, Emily, Alex and Joy Wilkinson, Kingsley, Barbara Parish, Barbara Underwood, Roy Davis, Dave Crawford, Graham Prosser and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently especially Don Reed and Bill White, Denis Oates and for those who mourn.

Christenings or Weddings
If you would like to arrange one contact
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Parish People

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Regular Pattern of Worship

Tuesday 9.30 am Holy Communion
 4th Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer
 Sunday: 10 am Parish Eucharist
 2nd Sunday of the Month
 8 am Holy Communion (Traditional)
 10 am Family Service

St. Andrew Sandon

All are Welcome in this Place

Priest-in-Charge: Revd. Terry Brown



Sunday 15th November 2015
2nd Before Advent

Today's Service

10 am	All Age Communion and Shoebox Service
President & Preacher	Revd Terry Brown
Eucharistic Minister	Michael Puffett
Intercessions	Nick Bobeldijk
Reading	Gill Haddington
Sidesperson	John Gruby
Duty Warden	Janet Terry
Tea/Coffee	R. Tyler/L. Bobeldijk

3pm Messy Church

Next Sunday

10 am Sung Eucharist
 12 noon Baptism

Next Week

Monday 16th November
 7.30pm PCC Meeting
Tuesday 17th November
 9.30am Holy Communion
 10.15am Coffee/Tea and Chat
 7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)
Wednesday 18th November
 1pm Tiny Tots in Church
 6pm Brownies (Village Hall)
Thursday 19th November
 8.30am Morning Prayer at Woodham Ferrers
 2pm Interment of Mary Clements in Churchyard
 5pm Beaver Scouts (Village Hall)
 6pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)
 8pm Scouts (Village Hall)
Friday 20th November
 7:30pm Choir Practice
Saturday 21st November
 12noon – 2.30pm Christmas Fayre in Village Hall
Everyone Welcome Everyone has a voice, try yours with the Choir

Families are very welcome in Church.
Toilets and Changing facilities opposite 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

Thank you, dear Lord, for taking our lives in your hands. Help us to express your love to others as we partner together, linking our hands with your hands so our lives can be a blessing to others. Help us to all share in your victory and freedom together. **Amen**

Reading

Exodus 2 1 -12

A man from the family of Levi married a Levite woman. The woman became pregnant and had a son. She saw there was something special about him and hid him. She hid him for three months. When she couldn't hide him any longer she got a little basket-boat made of papyrus, waterproofed it with tar and pitch, and placed the child in it. Then she set it afloat in the reeds at the edge of the Nile.

The baby's older sister found herself a vantage point a little way off and watched to see what would happen to him. Pharaoh's daughter came down to the Nile to bathe; her maidens strolled on the bank. She saw the basket-boat floating in the reeds and sent her maid to get it. She opened it and saw the child—a baby crying! Her heart went out to him. She said, "This must be one of the Hebrew babies."

Then his sister was before her: "Do you want me to go and get a nursing mother from the Hebrews so she can nurse the baby for you?"

Pharaoh's daughter said, "Yes. Go." The girl went and called the child's mother.

Pharaoh's daughter told her, "Take this baby and nurse him for me. I'll pay you." The woman took the child and nursed him.

After the child was weaned, she presented him to Pharaoh's daughter who adopted him as her son. She named him Moses (Pulled-Out), saying, "I pulled him out of the water."

Gospel Reading

Matthew 28: 18-20

Jesus came up and spoke to them, saying, "All authority has been given to Me in heaven and on earth. Go therefore and make disciples of all the nations, baptizing them in the name of the Father and the Son and the Holy Spirit, teaching them to observe all that I commanded you; and lo, I am with you always, even to the end of the age."

Post Collect

We thank you, Lord, that you have fed us in this sacrament, united us with Christ, and given us a foretaste of the heavenly banquet prepared for all people. Amen.

Date for your Diary

Saturday 5th December 5pm – 7pm

Dickensian Evening

Lighting of the Christmas tree, Father Christmas, Mayor of Chelmsford to light the tree, Mulled wine, mince pies and more on the Village Green.

4-session COURSE for ADVENT 2015

MAKING ROOM

For many of us life is full of things to do, people to see, responsibilities and chores. We can sometimes feel there's not enough time or space in our lives for the people and things that really matter - including God. David Gamble uses New Testament stories to help us consider why and how we might make room for what really does matter.

Session (1) ... for the newcomer

Session (2) ... for the stranger

Session (3) ... for what really matters

Session (4) ... for God

There will be two courses one on Wednesday evening's beginning on Wednesday 25th November at 7.30pm in St. Andrew's Room the other course will be run on Thursday morning beginning on Thursday 26th November at 29 Alexander Mews. Please sign up on the sheet at the back of church to help us with numbers.

Parish Prayer Calendar

I hope you have received your copy of the Parish Prayer Calendar. If not have a word with the Churchwardens or Terry to obtain your copy. Since last Sunday these conversations have been heard.

"I do like the Prayer Calendar it helps you to pray for all the people connected with our Church"

"I keep it by the bed and I am trying to work out whether I will use it in the morning or the evening"

I didn't know the names of all the young families who come to the family service"

It would be good to hear more of your comments. I look forward to hearing from you. Terry

Church Surveys

Please could you bring back your completed Survey sheets as soon as possible and place them in the box marked Church Surveys. If you need a new form please have a word with Terry.