

Please Pray for

- For the victims, their family and friends and all those injured in the explosions in Brussels
- For the family and friends of those killed in the Spanish bus crash and that the injured will recover quickly
- For migrants arriving in Greece as new EU-Turkey deal to tackle migrant crisis comes into effect
- For peace this Easter
- For thanks that Jesus died and is Risen. Jesus said 'I am the way, the truth, and the life. No one comes to the Father except through me.'
- For us to share the Good News of Easter
- For those on our Electoral Roll Marjorie Ferguson, Peter Elwell, Anna Davies
- Baptism family Matthew & Jacqueline Hill and Ruby
- Wedding Couple Aaron and Olivia Harris
- Our organist and choir, Sidesmen, readers & Intercessors
- For Churches in the Deanery to work together
- For all the Friends Of Sandon Church
- Those who live in Southlands Chase
- The sick and those who care for them especially Terry Ward, Reg Horscroft, Christine Farrar, Simon Bobeldijk, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Alex and Joy Wilkinson, Kingsley, Barbara Parish, Ian & Barbara Underwood, Roy Davis, Dave Crawford, Pat Stimson, Doris Hake, Eddie Davies and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, Laura Brewer, Lesley Carter, Frank Bennett and Edna Porter 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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Churchwardens

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PCC Secretary

Christine Mennie 01245 281305

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



Sunday 27th March 2016

Easter Sunday

Today's Service's

8am Holy Communion

President Revd. Terry Brown

Preacher Revd. Terry Brown

Eucharistic Minister Colin Bryan

Reading Colin Bryan

10 am All Age Sung Communion

President Revd. Terry Brown

Preacher Revd. Terry Brown

Eucharistic Minister David Farrar

Reading Gill Haddington

Intercessions Pat Cotton

Sidesperson Joan Bridger

Duty Warden Janet Terry

Tea/Coffee K&M Davies/A. Cosby

11.15am

Easter Egg Hunt for young and not so young

Next Sunday

Sung Eucharist

This Week

Monday 28th March

Bank Holiday

Tuesday 29th March

9.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Tea and Chat

7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)

Thursday 31st March

8.30am Morning Prayer at St. Mary's Little Baddow

Families are very welcome in Church.

Toilets and Changing facilities opposite Main Door

Please stay after the Service for

Refreshments.

Please take this Pew sheet home for reference.



Collect

God of glory, by the raising of your Son you have broken the chains of death and hell: fill your Church with faith and hope; for a new day has dawned and the way to life stands open in our Saviour Jesus Christ. Amen

Reading

1 Corinthians 15. 19-26

If for this life only we have hoped in Christ, we are of all people most to be pitied.

But in fact Christ has been raised from the dead, the first fruits of those who have died. For since death came through a human being, the resurrection of the dead has also come through a human being; for as all die in Adam, so all will be made alive in Christ. But each in his own order: Christ the first fruits, then at his coming those who belong to Christ. Then comes the end, when he hands over the kingdom to God the Father, after he has destroyed every ruler and every authority and power. For he must reign until he has put all his enemies under his feet. The last enemy to be destroyed is death.

Gospel Reading

John 20. 1-18

Early on the first day of the week, while it was still dark, Mary Magdalene came to the tomb and saw that the stone had been removed from the tomb. So she ran and went to Simon Peter and the other disciple, the one whom Jesus loved, and said to them, 'They have taken the Lord out of the tomb, and we do not know where they have laid him.' Then Peter and the other disciple set out and went towards the tomb. The two were running together, but the other disciple outran Peter and reached the tomb first. He bent down to look in and saw the linen wrappings lying there, but he did not go in. Then Simon Peter came, following him, and went into the tomb. He saw the linen wrappings lying there, and the cloth that had been on Jesus' head, not lying with the linen wrappings but rolled up in a place by itself. Then the other disciple, who reached the tomb first, also went in, and he saw and believed; for as yet they did not understand the scripture, that he must rise from the dead. Then the disciples returned to their homes.

But Mary stood weeping outside the tomb. As she wept, she bent over to look into the tomb; and she saw two angels in white, sitting where the body of Jesus had been lying, one at the head and the other at the feet. They said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping?' She said to

them, 'They have taken away my Lord, and I do not know where they have laid him.' When she had said this, she turned round and saw Jesus standing there, but she did not know that it was Jesus. Jesus said to her, 'Woman, why are you weeping? For whom are you looking?' Supposing him to be the gardener, she said to him, 'Sir, if you have carried him away, tell me where you have laid him, and I will take him away.' Jesus said to her, 'Mary!' She turned and said to him in Hebrew, 'Rabbouni!' (Which means teacher). Jesus said to her, 'Do not hold on to me, because I have not yet ascended to the Father. But go to my brothers and say to them, "I am ascending to my Father and your Father, to my God and your God."' 'Mary Magdalene went and announced to the disciples, 'I have seen the Lord'; and she told them that he had said these things to her.

Post Collect

God of Life, who for our redemption gave your only-begotten Son to the death of the cross, and by his glorious resurrection have delivered us from the power of our enemy: grant us so to die daily to sin, that we may evermore live with him in the joy of his risen life; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Next Ladies Breakfast

Saturday 23rd April at 8.30am at Butts Green Garden Centre. The speaker is Canon Carla Hampton.

Please sign the list at the back of the church to book your place.

Concert

**Choral Scholars from St. Martin in the Field
Sunday 3rd April 5pm at Holy Trinity Church
Southchurch. Tickets £10 which includes refreshments.**

Contact Terry if you would like a ticket and a lift.

Friends of Sandon Church Quiz Night

**Saturday 23rd April 7.30pm in Sandon Village Hall
Tickets from Anna 07590 514823 David 01245 471484 or Christine 01245 281305**

Vestry and Annual Parochial Church Meeting

**Sunday 17th April following the 10am service.
Would you like to be part of the decision making body of our church on the PCC? We need a Church Warden as well as new members on the PCC. Please pray and ask what God is calling you to. There will be proposal and seconder forms available at the back of the church.**