

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

All are Welcome in this Place

**Priest-in-Charge: Revd. Terry Brown**



**Sunday 25<sup>th</sup> September**

**Please Pray for**

- Pray for the work of the Diocesan Director of Communications, Ralph Meloy, and his Communications Team.
- The Church in Wales, The Most Revd Dr Barry Morgan, Archbishop
- Pam Norrington, Greg & Frances Fourgeaud
- All responsible for maintaining and cleaning the church
- For all involved in the planning and working on the church roof
- The work of the Schools Youth Ministry
- Those preparing for Confirmation
- Pray for Afghanistan
- Those who live in Sandon Brook Place
- The ministry and mission of this church and our offering of ourselves
- Those caught up in the refugee crises and those affected by terrorism
- The sick and those who care for them especially Lauren, Terry Ward, Simon Bobeldijk, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Alex and Joy Wilkinson, Barbara Parish, Roy Davis, Pat Stimson, Christine Farrar, Willy Lloyd, Coral Mann, Revd. Carol Ball, and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, and for those who mourn.

**Christenings or Weddings**

**If you would like to arrange one contact  
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See also web Site [www.sandon-church.info](http://www.sandon-church.info)

**Regular Pattern of Worship**

Tuesday 9.30 am Holy Communion

4<sup>th</sup> Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer

Sunday: 10 am Parish Eucharist

2<sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month

8 am Holy Communion (Traditional)

10 am Family Service

**Families are very welcome in Church.**

**Today's Services**

<b>10am</b>	<b>Sung Eucharist</b>
<b>President</b>	<b>Revd. Terry Brown</b>
<b>Preacher</b>	<b>Rt. Revd. Rob Martin</b>
<b>Eucharistic Minister</b>	<b>Gill Hodge</b>
<b>Reader</b>	<b>Joan Bridger</b>
<b>Intercessions</b>	<b>David Farrar</b>
<b>Sidesman</b>	<b>Pam Norrington</b>
<b>Duty Warden</b>	<b>David Farrar</b>
<b>Tea/Coffee</b>	<b>Clare Woods/Gwen Horscroft</b>

**Next Sunday**

<b>10am</b>	<b>Sung Eucharist</b>
<b>11.30am</b>	<b>Friends AGM</b>

**During the Week**

**Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September**

9.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Coffee/Tea

7.0pm Explorer Scouts (Village Hall)

7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)

7.45pm Confirmation Course in SAR

**Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> September**

9.30am Celtic Morning Prayer

10am Holy Dusters

1pm Tiny Tots in Church

6pm Brownies (Village Hall)

7.30pm Rhymn of Life SAR

**Thursday 29<sup>th</sup> September**

8.30am Morning Prayer at East Hanningfield

5pm Beaver Scouts (Village Hall)

6pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)

8pm Scouts (Village Hall)

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September**

12noon – 12.30pm Harvest Festival at Greenarces

7:30pm Choir Practice

**Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October**

12.30pm Harvest Lunch at URC Howe Green

**If this is your first visit here, we hope you enjoy worshipping with us today. Please make yourself known to Terry our Priest in Charge or to the Sidesperson who gave you this Pew Sheet with your hymnbook and service booklet.**

**Please stay after the Service for Refreshments and take this sheet home for reference.**

Trinity 18  
Collect

God, our judge and saviour, teach us to be open to your truth and to trust in your love, that we may live each day with confidence in the salvation which is given through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

Reading  
Joshua 1 1-11

After the death of Moses the servant of the Lord, the Lord said to Joshua son of Nun, Moses' aide: "Moses my servant is dead. Now then, you and all these people, get ready to cross the Jordan River into the land I am about to give to them—to the Israelites. I will give you every place where you set your foot, as I promised Moses. Your territory will extend from the desert to Lebanon, and from the great river, the Euphrates—all the Hittite country—to the Mediterranean Sea in the west. No one will be able to stand against you all the days of your life. As I was with Moses, so I will be with you; I will never leave you nor forsake you. Be strong and courageous, because you will lead these people to inherit the land I swore to their ancestors to give them. "Be strong and very courageous. Be careful to obey all the law my servant Moses gave you; do not turn from it to the right or to the left, that you may be successful wherever you go. Keep this Book of the Law always on your lips; meditate on it day and night, so that you may be careful to do everything written in it. Then you will be prosperous and successful. Have I not commanded you? Be strong and courageous. Do not be afraid; do not be discouraged, for the Lord your God will be with you wherever you go." So Joshua ordered the officers of the people: "Go through the camp and tell the people, 'Get your provisions ready. Three days from now you will cross the Jordan here to go in and take possession of the land the Lord your God is giving you for your own.'"

Gospel Reading  
Luke 16. 19 - end

"There was a rich man who was dressed in purple and fine linen and lived in luxury every day. At his gate was laid a beggar named Lazarus, covered with sores and longing to eat what fell from the rich man's table. Even the dogs came and licked his sores. "The time came when the beggar died and the angels carried him to Abraham's side. The rich man also died and was buried. In Hades, where he was in torment, he looked up and saw Abraham far away, with Lazarus by his side. So he called to him, 'Father Abraham, have pity on me and send Lazarus to dip the tip of his finger in water and cool my tongue, because I am in agony in this fire.' "But Abraham replied, 'Son, remember that in your lifetime you received your good things, while Lazarus received bad things, but now he is comforted here and you are in agony. And besides all this, between us and you a great chasm has been set in place, so

that those who want to go from here to you cannot, nor can anyone cross over from there to us.'

"He answered, 'Then I beg you, father, send Lazarus to my family, for I have five brothers. Let him warn them, so that they will not also come to this place of torment.'

"Abraham replied, 'They have Moses and the Prophets; let them listen to them.'

"'No, father Abraham,' he said, 'but if someone from the dead goes to them, they will repent.'

"He said to him, 'If they do not listen to Moses and the Prophets, they will not be convinced even if someone rises from the dead.'"

Post Communion

We praise and thank you, O Christ, for this sacred feast: for here we receive you, here the memory of your passion is renewed, here our minds are filled with grace, and here a pledge of future glory is given, when we shall feast at that table where you reign with all your saints for ever. **Amen**

**Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> October**

**Visit to Greek Orthodox Monastery**

We will leave after Tea and chat and travel by car to have lunch at local pub and then go onto the Monastery for 1.30pm Please sign list at the back of the church.

**Finding your rhythm of life**

Do you ever feel that your life is not how you want it to be? What is God's unique plan for you?

Do you consider that your life is balanced and you have your priorities right? This 6 week course is a chance to draw up your own 'rule' of life. Next meeting will be Wednesday 28th September.

**Harvest Festival Sunday 9<sup>th</sup> October**

I am pleased to be able to report that at the Harvest Festival this year we will be joined by the Choir of Chelmsford Cathedral. At a meeting with the Director of Music there will be traditional Harvest hymns with descants, two anthems, and our organ will be played by the organ scholar who will play a voluntary before and after the service. All our Harvest gifts will go to the Chelmsford Food Bank. Please pick up a leaflet of what is required this year.

**Harvest Lunch**

Howe Green United Reform Church to their Harvest Lunch on Saturday 1<sup>st</sup> October at 12.30p.m. Soup followed by Ploughman's Lunch followed by pudding...and is £5 a head. Do go!!

**Sunday 23<sup>rd</sup> October Bible Sunday**

At our 10am Sung Eucharist we will welcome Olive Howard from the Bible Society.

**Sunday 30<sup>th</sup> October 3pm**

**Service of Remembrance for loved ones**

Our Annual Service to remember our loved ones who have died. During this service loved ones names are read out and candles are lit in their memory. Please check folder at the back of the church and add names not included or email names to Revd. Terry [tgabrown@hotmail.com](mailto:tgabrown@hotmail.com)