

Please Pray for

- Please pray for the Spiritual Direction Coordinating Group and all who minister within it.
- PRAY for the Diocese of Lake Rukwa (Tanzania)
- Carol and Kenneth Wedon, Mary Matthew
- Baptism Family Josh, Lianne and Lexi Kerr
- Those recently married and those preparing for marriage
- For Home Carers and Health care workers
- For Dementia sufferers and their carers
- For those who live and work in Molrams Lane
- Our personal and corporate spiritual growth in this new year
- The people of the USA, and President Elect Trump.
- All those who are travelling
- For safety for those working on our church roof
- The ministry and mission of this church
- For guidance at our PCC meeting tomorrow
- For this week of Christian Unity and we pray especially for our working together with Howe Green United Reform Church
- We give thanks for the hospitality being shown to us at Sandon School
- The sick and those who care for them especially Lauren, Terry Ward, Liz, Charlie Lequesne James, Simon Bobeldijk, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Alex and Joy Wilkinson, Barbara Parish, Roy Davis, Christine Farrar, Willy Lloyd, Coral Mann and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, and for those who mourn.
- Those whose yearly mind falls in January

Christenings or Weddings

If you would like to arrange one contact
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Parish People

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See also web Site www.sandon-church.info

Regular Pattern of Worship

Tuesday 9.30 am Holy Communion

4th Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer

Sunday: 10 am Parish Eucharist

8 am Holy Communion (Traditional)

10 am Family Service 2nd Sunday of the Month

The Parish Church of

St. Andrew Sandon

All are Welcome in this Place

Priest-in-Charge: Revd. Terry Brown



Sunday 22nd January

3rd Sunday of Epiphany

Families are very welcome in Church.

10 am Sung Eucharist in Sandon School

Celebrant	Revd. Terry Brown
Preacher	Pam Knott
Intercessions	Revd. Terry Brown
Eucharistic Minister	Michael Puffett
Reader	Anna Cosby
Sides Person	Anna Cosby
Duty Warden	Judy Cecil
Tea/Coffee	Claire Wood Gwen Horscroft

Next Sunday

10am Sung Eucharist in Sandon School

This week

Monday 23rd January

7.30pm PCC Meeting in SAR

Tuesday 24th January

9.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Tea and Chat and speaker

7pm Explorer Scouts (Village Hall)

7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)

Wednesday 25th January

1pm Tiny Tots in SAR

Thursday 26th January

8.30am Morning Prayer at Sandon

5pm Beaver Scouts (Village Hall)

6pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)

8pm Scouts (Village Hall)

Friday 27th January

7.30pm Choir Practice (New Comers welcome)

Saturday 28th January

7.15pm for 7.30pm Quiz Night in Village Hall

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

Collect

God of all mercy, your Son proclaimed good news to the poor, release to the captives, and freedom to the oppressed: anoint us with your Holy Spirit and set all your people free to praise you in Christ our Lord.

Amen

Reading

1 Corinthians 1. 10-18

Now I appeal to you, brothers and sisters, by the name of our Lord Jesus Christ, that all of you should be in agreement and that there should be no divisions among you, but that you should be united in the same mind and the same purpose. For it has been reported to me by Chloe's people that there are quarrels among you, my brothers and sisters. What I mean is that each of you says, 'I belong to Paul', or 'I belong to Apollos', or 'I belong to Cephas', or 'I belong to Christ.' Has Christ been divided? Was Paul crucified for you? Or were you baptized in the name of Paul? I thank God that I baptized none of you except Crispus and Gaius, so that no one can say that you were baptized in my name. (I did baptize also the household of Stephanas; beyond that, I do not know whether I baptized anyone else.) For Christ did not send me to baptize but to proclaim the gospel, and not with eloquent wisdom, so that the cross of Christ might not be emptied of its power.

For the message about the cross is foolishness to those who are perishing, but to us who are being saved it is the power of God.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 4. 12-23

Now when Jesus heard that John had been arrested, he withdrew to Galilee. He left Nazareth and made his home in Capernaum by the lake, in the territory of Zebulun and Naphtali, so that what had been spoken through the prophet Isaiah might be fulfilled:

'Land of Zebulun, land of Naphtali,

on the road by the sea, across the Jordan, Galilee of the Gentiles— the people who sat in darkness have seen a great light, and for those who sat in the region and shadow of death light has dawned.'

From that time Jesus began to proclaim, 'Repent, for the kingdom of heaven has come near.'

As he walked by the Sea of Galilee, he saw two brothers, Simon, who is called Peter, and Andrew his brother, casting a net into the lake—for they were fishermen. And he said to them, 'Follow me, and I will make you fish for people.' Immediately they left their nets and followed him. As he went from there, he saw two other brothers, James son of Zebedee and his brother John, in the boat with their father Zebedee, mending their nets, and he called them. Immediately they left the boat and their father, and followed him. Jesus went throughout Galilee, teaching in their synagogues and proclaiming the good news of the

kingdom and curing every disease and every sickness among the people.

Post Collect

Almighty Father, whose Son our Saviour Jesus Christ is the light of the world: may your people, illumined by your word and sacraments, shine with the radiance of his glory, that he may be known, worshipped, and obeyed to the ends of the earth; for he is alive and reigns, now and for ever. **Amen**



Week of Prayer for Christian Unity

Today we welcome Sunday Pam Knott from Howe Green United Church who will talk at our service this morning.

Next Sunday Sunday 29th January 4pm there will be a joint service at Howe Green chapel. This will be Café Church Revd. Terry Brown will speak at this service Do try to support this.

Quiz Night Next Saturday

Saturday 28th January
7.30pm Quiz Night in Village Hall@ 7.15pm for prompt start at 7.30pm

Come as a team of 6 or join a team on the night.

Bring your own Drinks and Nibbles
Only a few tickets left.

Book your tickets now to avoid disappointment
Tickets £7 – school age children £3
Available from Christine 01245 281305 or David 01245 471484



PROCEEDS FOR THE UPKEEP OF ST ANDREWS CHURCH

Tea and Chat Scams and Fraud

You are invited along to St Andrew's Room on 24th January 2017 at 10:15 am to hear a talk from Amanda Phipps from Home Instead Senior Care on Scams and Fraud.

Home Instead Senior Care (HISC), is owned by a company in the USA and its Chelmsford branch is based in Great Baddow.

Saturday 11th February

8.30am – 10am Ladies Breakfast
at Butts Green Garden Centre. Speaker Revd. Tim Ball from Meadgate @ 8.30am Only £7.50 Book your place by ringing Janet on 01245 472997 or signing the booking sheet at the back of the room today.

Wednesday 14th February 3pm Valentine's Day

Tea and Cake at Howe Green URC. Please come and join in the fellowship