

Please Pray for

- **THE FOURTH SUNDAY OF LENT (MOTHERING SUNDAY)**
- Pray for mothers everywhere, give thanks for their love and devotion, and pray, too, for the work of the MU and WI.
- The Diocese of Mexico (Mexico)
- Mike Harris, Pat Rutter, Pat Cotton
- For Churches in the Deanery and Mission and Ministry Unit to work together
- Staff, Chaplains and patients of Broomfield Hospital
- Young People to feel they have a place within the Church
- For tolerance in our society
- Those who live in Southend Road
- The ministry and mission of this church
- Our personal and corporate spiritual growth this Lent
- We pray for the victims, their families, and for all affected by the Westminster attack.
- The sick and those who care for them especially Bishop John, Lauren, Terry Ward, Liz, Charlie, James, Simon Bobeldijk, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Alex and Joy Wilkinson, Barbara Parish, Christine Farrar, Coral Mann, Dilys and Gareth Edwards and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, for Helen Mckay, Maureen Duke and for those who mourn.
- Those whose yearly mind falls in March Ellen Craske, Betty Spalding, Gwendoline Altimas May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace: And rise in glory.

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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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



Sunday 26th March
Mothering Sunday
 4th in Lent

Families are very welcome

10am Family Service Mothering Sunday

Leader	Revd. Terry Brown
Preacher	Revd. Terry Brown
Sides Person	Christine Mennie
Readers	Judy and Richard Cecil
Prayers	Alison Read
Duty Warden	David Farrar
Tea/Coffee	Brenda Moyse/Eileen Bartup

Next Sunday

10am Sung Eucharist Service

Tuesday 28th March

9.30am Holy Communion
 10.15am Tea and Chat
 11.30am Lent Course
 7pm Explorer Scouts (Village Hall)
 7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)

Wednesday 29th March

1pm Tiny Tots in SAR
 7.30pm Lent Course.

Thursday 30th March

8.30am Morning Prayer at Woodham Ferrers
 5pm Beaver Scouts (Village Hall)
 6pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)
 8pm Scouts (Village Hall)

Friday 31st March

7.30pm Choir Practice (New Comers welcome)
 Sandon School last day of Spring Term

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.

APCM

The Annual Parochial Church Meeting will take place at 8pm on Monday 10th April 2017 in Church. This is preceded by the Annual Meeting of Parishioners to elect our Churchwardens. The APCM is when the PCC report on its activities during the year and the financial state of the church.

A booklet with the reports will be available the week before the APCM

Elections also take place PCC Members and this year 2 Deanery Synod members

Nominations are now required for the 2 Churchwardens, 4 PCC Members and 2 Deanery Synod members. The nomination forms for all the elections are on the table at the rear of church. Please complete the appropriate form with your nomination and place in the folder provide. DON'T forget that the person you are nominating has to sign the form agreeing to their nomination.

Collection today

Our collection today is for the drought in East Africa. The last two Sunday's donations have been given. Let us be generous today in our giving.

Prayer for East Africa

Lord God, creator of all and defender of the poor, you call us to be your hands and heart in our world. Our sisters and brothers in East Africa are hungry and their land is dry.

May they experience your love as we reach out to them in prayer and in solidarity?

Help us to respond to your call and share the good things of the Earth which you created for all to share.

Show us how to build your kingdom of justice, where no-one need hunger or thirst.

We ask this through Christ our Lord, Amen.

Saturday 8th April

10am – 12noon Church yard morning

Please come and help us continue the work we did last month.

This will be followed at 12 noon with a Lent Lunch in St. Andrew's Room

You are asked to give donations towards the Bishop's Lent appeal.



Easter Services

Sunday 9th April

Palm Sunday Service 10 am

We will meet on The Green at 9.50am and then process into church with or without the donkey! 6.30pm Stainer's Crucifixion with St. Andrews choir and All Saints choir Maldon

Monday 10th April

9.30am Morning Prayer

7.30pm Stations of the Cross Followed by the APCM at 8pm

Tuesday 11th April

9.30am Holy Communion

7.30pm Come Dine with Me
Passover Meal.

(Please sign list in Church)

Wednesday 12th April

9.30am Morning Prayer

7.30pm Stations of the Cross

Thursday 13th April

Maundy Thursday

9.30am Celtic Morning Prayer

11am Chrism Service in Chelmsford Cathedral

7.30pm Sung Eucharist

followed by stripping of Altars and meditation in Church.

Watch until 11pm

Friday 14th April

Good Friday

9.30am Morning Prayer and Stations of the cross.

11am United service in centre of Chelmsford.

2pm Final hour at the cross.

Sunday 16th April

Easter Sunday

8am Holy Communion

8.45am Easter Breakfast for 8am & 10am

Congregations.

10am Sung Eucharist followed by Easter Egg Hunt.

Saturday 29th April

Ladies Breakfast

at Butts Green Garden Centre @ 8.30am

Book your place by ringing Janet on 01245

472997 or signing the booking sheet at the back of the church.