

Please Pray

- Please pray for the work of the Leprosy Mission. Remember, too, the people of those countries where leprosy is still a major problem.
- For the Diocese of Remo (Lagos, Nigeria), The Rt Revd Michael Fape, Bishop.
- On our Electoral Roll Brenda Moyse, Gillian Speakman, Bernard Richmond
- Baptism Family Christopher & Bonnie and Alex Slade
- Marriage between Charles and Joan Seamus
- Brownies and Brown Owl
- Pray for South Sudan
- All those who live in Brook View
- For the people of Northern Kenya who are suffering from devastating drought.
- For peace after the results of the Kenyan elections
- Pray for all those who will be receiving their 'A' level results on the 17th. Let us congratulate those who have received the necessary grades to enable them to continue their studies but also remember those who are desperately disappointed and who will have to rethink their futures.
- The sick and those who care for them especially Pam, Liz, Charlie, Mark, Esther, Simon Bobeldijk, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Barbara Parish, Coral Mann, Christine Farrar, Dilys and Gareth Edwards, Pat Salmon, Gladys Brown and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, especially Kingsley Grimwood, Nigel Hopkins, Graham Smith, Alan Heard and Bishop John.
- Those whose yearly mind falls in August Nigel Mills, Pauline Smith 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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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

Rector: Revd. Terry Brown



Sunday 13th August
 Trinity 9

Families are very welcome

8.0am Holy Communion

Celebrant Revd. Terry Brown

Eucharistic Minister Gill Hodge

10am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant Revd. Terry Brown

Preacher Revd. Terry Brown

Eucharistic Minister Pat Cotton

Reader Mike Harris

Intercessions Dennis Terry

Side Persons Denise Carter/David Farrar

Tea/Coffee Kim Davies/Christine Mennie

Next Week

10am Sung Eucharist

Tuesday 15th August

9.30am Holy Communion

10.15am Tea and Chat

7.45pm Bell Practice (New Comers welcome)

Thursday 17th August

8.30am Morning Prayer at Danbury

Friday 18th August

No Choir Practice till September 1st

If this is your first visit here, we hope you enjoy worshipping with us today. Please make yourself known to Terry our Rector or to the Sidesperson who gave you this Pew Sheet with your hymnbook and service booklet. Please stay after the service for refreshments.

Collect

Gracious Father, revive your Church in our day, and make her holy, strong and faithful, for your glory's sake in Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

1st Reading

Genesis 37.1-4, 12-28

Jacob settled in the land where his father had lived as an alien, the land of Canaan. This is the story of the family of Jacob. Joseph, being seventeen years old, was shepherding the flock with his brothers; he was a helper to the sons of Bilhah and Zilpah, his father's wives; and Joseph brought a bad report of them to their father. Now Israel loved Joseph more than any other of his children, because he was the son of his old age; and he had made him a long robe with sleeves. But when his brothers saw that their father loved him more than all his brothers, they hated him, and could not speak peaceably to him. Now his brothers went to pasture their father's flock near Shechem. And Israel said to Joseph, 'Are not your brothers pasturing the flock at Shechem? Come, I will send you to them.' He answered, 'Here I am.' So he said to him, 'Go now, see if it is well with your brothers and with the flock; and bring word back to me.' So he sent him from the valley of Hebron. He came to Shechem, and a man found him wandering in the fields; the man asked him, 'What are you seeking?' 'I am seeking my brothers,' he said; 'tell me, please, where they are pasturing the flock.' The man said, 'They have gone away, for I heard them say, "Let us go to Dothan."' So Joseph went after his brothers, and found them at Dothan. They saw him from a distance, and before he came near to them, they conspired to kill him. They said to one another, 'Here comes this dreamer. Come now, let us kill him and throw him into one of the pits; then we shall say that a wild animal has devoured him, and we shall see what will become of his dreams.' But when Reuben heard it, he delivered him out of their hands, saying, 'Let us not take his life.' Reuben said to them, 'Shed no blood; throw him into this pit here in the wilderness, but lay no hand on him' — that he might rescue him out of their hand and restore him to his father. So when Joseph came to his brothers, they stripped him of his robe, the long robe with sleeves that he wore; and they took him and threw him into a pit. The pit was empty; there was no water in it. Then they sat down to eat; and looking up they saw a caravan of Ishmaelite's coming from Gilead, with their camels carrying gum, balm, and resin, on their way to carry it down to Egypt. Then Judah said to his brothers, 'What profit is there if we kill our brother and conceal his blood? Come, let us sell him to the Ishmaelite's, and not lay our hands on him, for he is our brother, our own flesh.' And his brothers agreed. When some Midianite traders passed by, they drew Joseph up, lifting him out of the pit, and sold him to the Ishmaelite's for twenty pieces of silver. And they took Joseph to Egypt.

Gospel Reading

Matthew 14. 22-33

Immediately he made the disciples get into the boat and go on ahead to the other side, while he dismissed the crowds. And after he had dismissed the crowds, he went up the mountain by himself to pray. When evening came, he was there alone, but by this time the boat, battered by the waves, was far from the land, for the wind was against them. And early in the morning he came walking towards them on the lake. But when the disciples saw him walking on the lake, they were terrified, saying, 'It is a ghost!' And

they cried out in fear. But immediately Jesus spoke to them and said, 'Take heart, it is I; do not be afraid.'

Peter answered him, 'Lord, if it is you, command me to come to you on the water.' He said, 'Come.' So Peter got out of the boat, started walking on the water, and came towards Jesus. But when he noticed the strong wind, he became frightened, and beginning to sink, he cried out, 'Lord, save me!' Jesus immediately reached out his hand and caught him, saying to him, 'You of little faith, why did you doubt?' When they got into the boat, the wind ceased. And those in the boat worshipped him, saying, 'Truly you are the Son of God.'

CONCERT BY

THE SOUTHEND BOYS AND GIRLS CHOIR

Sunday 17th SEPTEMBER 5PM

ST. ANDREW'S SANDON



TICKETS

£10 EACH WHICH INCLUDES A GLASS OF WINE AND NIBBLES

£5 for those in Full Time education

To purchase tickets please contact

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The Southend Girls' Choir was founded in 1988, and has since built an enviable reputation across the South East and further afield.

Programme to include

A Medley from Phantom of the Opera

Music the choir will be singing at St Mark's Venice

Music sung by the choir in this year's BBC Proms



Saturday 9th September

Across the country, preparations are beginning for Ride+Stride for Churches 2017 on 9th September.

Are you going to cycle, walk, jog, drive, horse-ride, or use a mobility scooter or a tractor?

We will be welcoming visitors to your church. Please sign the rota if you can spare an hour by selecting a time that you can do. List on the Welcome Table.

By taking part, you are helping to preserve Britain's rich heritage of churches, chapels and meeting houses.

Dates for your diary

Saturday 9th September Churchyard Morning Tidy 10am

to 12 noon Sunday 10th September 10am Pet Service

Saturday 16th September 8.30am – 10am Men's Breakfast

Sunday 17th September 4pm Café Church at Howe Green

URC Sunday October 8th at 10am we celebrate Harvest Festival and Church Parade.

Saturday 14th October at 7.30pm the Chelmsford Cathedral Choir are coming to bring us a concert in church.

Saturday 21st October 7.30pm Friends are running a Quiz night in the Village Hall

Confirmation Classes

I will be organising confirmation classes to October. The Confirmation will be in Chelmsford Cathedral on Sunday 26th November. The service will be taken by Bishop Stephen. If you would like to be confirmed or know of someone you know, please get in touch with me so that we can talk it through.