



Please Pray for

- Father, help us to be like Christ your Son, who loved the world and died for our salvation. Inspire us by his love, and guide us by his example. Amen.
- Hong Kong Sheng Kung Hui, The Most Revd Paul Kwong, Archbishop.
- Guy, Dessi and Anthony Speakman
- Marriage between Andrew & Sarah Harding
- Bishop Stephen, Bishop John designate, Archdeacon Elizabeth Snowden, Our Area Dean Tim Ball and Lay Chair Christine Horton.
- For the staff and patients at Farleigh Hospice
- For the growth of this church
- Pray that as Christians in this parish we will not be ashamed to share our faith with others in our neighbourhood.
- All those who live in Ladywell Lane
- In the Christians together prayer diary we pray for St. John's Church, Moulsham, & St. Luke's Church, Moulsham, for Revd Gemma Fraser And the congregations of these churches.
- For those who have asked for prayer. Martin Childs, Pam, Charlie, Mark, Matthew, James, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Barbara Parish, Christine Farrar, Dilys and Gareth Edwards, Ken Lawrence, Henrietta Forssen, John Gruby Junior and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, especially, Beryl Parker, Lorna White, Matthew Horsburgh, Derek Watkins, Billy Graham, Fr. Tony Matty and Arthur Price.
- Those whose yearly mind falls in March Ellen Craske, Betty Spalding, Gwendoline Altimas and Audrey Walter
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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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
10 am Family Service

Sunday 18th March
Passion Sunday

Families are very welcome

10am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant & Preacher Revd. Terry Brown
Eucharistic Minister David Farrar
Reader Eileen Bartrup
Intercessions Richard Cecil
Sides persons Eileen Bartrup/Richard Cecil
Refreshments Judy Cecil/Richard Cecil

Next Sunday

Palm Sunday Sung Eucharist

Meet on the Green at 9:50

During the Week

Monday 19th March

7.30pm PCC Meeting in SAR

Tuesday 20th March

9.30am Holy Communion with refreshments
7:30pm Bell Ringing Practice
7:30 Explorer Scouts (Village Hall)

Wednesday 21st March

1pm Tiny Tots
3.30pm Funeral in Church of Arthur Price
7.30pm Lent Course in SAR

Thursday 22nd March

8:30am Compass Morning Prayer at Downham
10am Lent Course SAR
5pm Beaver Scouts (Village Hall)
6.30pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)
8pm Scouts (Village Hall)

Friday 23rd March

7.30pm Choir Practice

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.

There is a toilet and baby changing facilities in St. Andrews Room.

Collect

Gracious Father, you gave up your Son out of love for the world: lead us to ponder the mysteries of his passion, that we may know eternal peace through the shedding of our Saviour's blood, Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

1st Reading Jeremiah 31. 31-34

The days are surely coming, says the LORD, when I will make a new covenant with the house of Israel and the house of Judah. It will not be like the covenant that I made with their ancestors when I took them by the hand to bring them out of the land of Egypt—a covenant that they broke, though I was their husband, says the LORD. But this is the covenant that I will make with the house of Israel after those days, says the LORD: I will put my law within them, and I will write it on their hearts; and I will be their God, and they shall be my people. No longer shall they teach one another, or say to each other, 'Know the LORD', for they shall all know me, from the least of them to the greatest, says the LORD; for I will forgive their iniquity, and remember their sin no more.

Gospel Reading John 12. 20-33

Now among those who went up to worship at the festival were some Greeks. They came to Philip, who was from Bethsaida in Galilee, and said to him, 'Sir, we wish to see Jesus.' Philip went and told Andrew; then Andrew and Philip went and told Jesus. Jesus answered them, 'The hour has come for the Son of Man to be glorified. Very truly, I tell you, unless a grain of wheat falls into the earth and dies, it remains just a single grain; but if it dies, it bears much fruit. Those who love their life lose it, and those who hate their life in this world will keep it for eternal life. Whoever serves me must follow me, and where I am, there will my servant be also. Whoever serves me, the Father will honour. 'Now my soul is troubled. And what should I say— "Father, save me from this hour"? No, it is for this reason that I have come to this hour. Father, glorify your name.' Then a voice came from heaven, 'I have glorified it, and I will glorify it again.' The crowd standing there heard it and said that it was thunder. Others said, 'An angel has spoken to him.' Jesus answered, 'This voice has come for your sake, not for mine. Now is the judgement of this world; now the ruler of this world will be driven out. And I, when I am lifted up from the earth, will draw all people to myself. 'He said this to indicate the kind of death he was to die.

Post Communion Collect

Lord Jesus Christ, you have taught us that what we do for the least of our brothers and sisters we do also for you: give us the will to be the servant of others as you were the servant of all, and gave up your life and died for us, but are alive and reign, now and for ever. **Amen**

Lent Courses

There are 2 Lent groups. Wednesdays at 7.30pm and Thursdays at 10am followed by a soup and roll lunch. Its not too late to join. Just turn up.



Quiet Day for Compass Churches Saturday 2nd June 2018.

Led by Vanessa Herrick the new Archdeacon of Harlow and will be from 10 until 4pm on the day, with hot lunch and all refreshments provided. Approximate cost £20 but the more we have the less the cost. Venue Othona Community, Bradwell on Sea. Contact Christine Horton to reserve a place (01245 466534) horton.20@btinternet.com

Saturday 24th March 10am – 12noon

Quiet Morning in Church

There will be prayer stations as well as a short talk at 10am and 11am This is an excellent way to prepare for Holy Week and Easter.

Followed by Lent Lunch 12noon to 2pm in St. Andrew's Room You are asked to give donations towards the Bishop's Lent appeal. Please sign list on the welcome table for numbers for the Lent Lunch.

Chelmsford Foodbank

Food items now required
Fruit juice
Fruit squash
Sponge puddings
Packets of powdered potato
Packets of powdered custard
(Both preferably sachet rather than tins)
Specific Easter gifts (mainly eggs)
Thank you for all your support.

Holy Dusters

This month's church cleaning will not be during Holy Week but will be on Wed 21st March. Also there is a spring cleaning list at the back of the church. Do sign up for something that you would like to do(!) There is a wide variety of tasks. Please volunteer.

Arthur Price

Arthur Price of The Three Firs in Woodhill Road died on 5th March. His funeral will take place in St. Andrews Church on Wednesday 21st March at 3.30pm. This will be followed by burial in the churchyard. The family have asked me to let you know as some of the congregation will know the family.

Come Dine with Me

This Passover service will be on Tuesday 27th March at 7pm in St. Andrews Room. This will include a vegetable soup for starter, Lamb casserole and vegetables for the main course and fruit for desert. Please sign the list on the welcome table if you wish to come. This is always an enjoyable event. Cost £4.