

Please Pray for

- Please pray for Denis Huntley and his team as they minister to the less abled within our diocese.
- The Church of Nigeria
- On our Electoral Roll Ron Woods, Chris Davies,
- Baptism family :Peter, Tracey& Kerry Brown
- The recently baptised and those preparing for Baptism especially Ben and Alex
- The work of the YMCA
- For Richard and those who deliver the Church Magazine
- All those who have lost dear ones recently
- Prisoners recently released
- Those who live in Rectory Chase
- In the Churches together in Chelmsford prayer diary we pray for The Ascension with All Saints Parish Church, City Centre and for Revd Fr. Tom Page and congregation.
- For those who have asked for prayer. Martin Childs, Pam, Charlie, Mark, Matthew, James, Simon Mills, Daisy, Emily, Barbara Parish, Christine Farrar, Ken & Betty Lawrence, Henrietta Forssen, John Gruby Junior, Ian Underwood, Pat Eden, Janet Terry, Janet Green, Gwen Horscroft and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, especially, Joyce Sperring, Douglas Marshall, Julie Wood, Albert Freeman & Bettina Williams
- Those whose yearly mind falls in June Richard Haddington, Irene Harris, Geraldine Lamb, Edward Heard, Dot Nichols & Kingsley Grimwood. May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace: And rise in glory.

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Regular Pattern of Worship

Tuesday 9.30 am Holy Communion

4th Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer

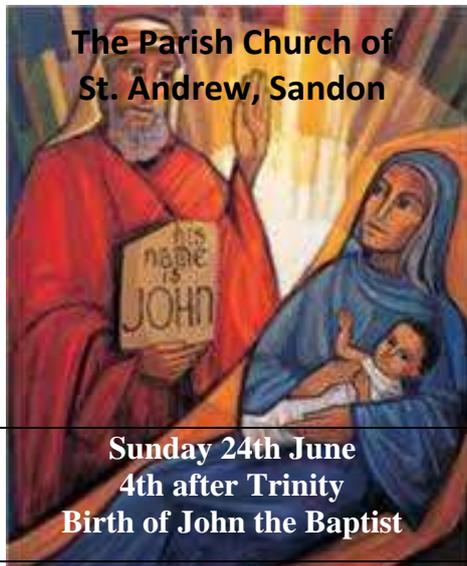
Sunday: 10 am Parish Eucharist

2nd Sunday of the Month

8 am Holy Communion

10 am Family Service

The Parish Church of
St. Andrew, Sandon



Sunday 24th June
4th after Trinity
Birth of John the Baptist

Families are very welcome

10am Sung Eucharist

Celebrant	Revd. Terry Brown
Preacher	Revd. Pat Cotton
Eucharistic Minister	Christine Mennie
Intercessions	Michael Puffett
Reader	Joan Bridger
Side's persons	Joan Bridger/David Farrar
Refreshments	Kim Davis/Brenda Moyse
3pm	Teddy Bears Picnic

Next Sunday

10am Sung Eucharist

During the Week

Monday 25th June

10am Holy Dusters in church

7.30pm Community Choir in SAR

Tuesday 26th June

9.30am Holy Communion followed by refreshments (Tea and Chat)

7.30pm Explorer Scouts (Village Hall)

7.45pm Bell Ringing Practice

Wednesday 27th June

1.00pm Tiny Tots

7.30pm New Daylight Group in SAR

Thursday 28th June

8.30am Compass Churches Morning Service
Downham

10am New Daylight Group in SAR

5pm Beaver Scouts (Village Hall)

6.30 pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)

8pm Scouts (Village Hall)

Friday 29th June

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. Please stay after the service for refreshments. There is a toilet and baby changing facilities in St. Andrews Room.

Collect

Almighty God, by whose providence thy servant John Baptist was wonderfully born, and sent to prepare the way of thy Son our Saviour by preaching of repentance. Make us so to follow his doctrine and holy life, that we may truly repent according to his preaching; and after his example constantly speak the truth, boldly rebuke vice, and patiently suffer for the truth's sake; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen.**

1st Reading Acts 13 22-26

In those days, Paul said: "God raised up David as king; of him God testified, I have found David, son of Jesse, a man after my own heart; he will carry out my every wish. From this man's descendants God, according to his promise, has brought to Israel a saviour, Jesus. John heralded his coming by proclaiming a baptism of repentance to all the people of Israel; and as John was completing his course, he would say, 'What do you suppose that I am' I am not he. Behold, one is coming after me; I am not worthy to unfasten the sandals of his feet.'" "My brothers, sons of the family of Abraham, and those others among you who are God-fearing, to us this word of salvation has been sent."

Gospel Reading Luke 1 57-66, 80

When the time arrived for Elizabeth to have her child she gave birth to a son. Her neighbors and relatives heard that the Lord had shown his great mercy toward her, and they rejoiced with her. When they came on the eighth day to circumcise the child, they were going to call him Zechariah after his father, but his mother said in reply, "No. He will be called John." But they answered her, "There is no one among your relatives who has this name." So they made signs, asking his father what he wished him to be called. He asked for a tablet and wrote, "John is his name," and all were amazed. Immediately his mouth was opened, his tongue freed, and he spoke blessing God. Then fear came upon all their neighbours, and all these matters were discussed throughout the hill country of Judea. All who heard these things took them to heart, saying, "What, then, will this child be?" For surely the hand of the Lord was with him. The child grew and became strong in spirit, and he was in the desert until the day of his manifestation to Israel.

Post Communion

Merciful Lord, whose prophet John the Baptist proclaimed your Son as the Lamb of God who takes away the sin of the world: grant that we who in this sacrament have known your forgiveness and your life-giving love may ever tell of your mercy and your peace; through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Christenings or Weddings

If you would like to arrange one contact
Rev. Terry Brown on 01245 698988

St. Peter's Bradwell on Sea

During July and August, evening services are held in St Peter's Chapel, at the place where the land meets the sea and the sky comes close. A place where the distance between heaven and earth is tissue thin. All services start at 6.30 pm.

We would like to take a group for a picnic and service on Sunday 12th August. Please bring a picnic. Meet at Church carpark at 2.30pm and travel to Bradwell. Then we will share our picnic and then go to the service in the chapel at 6.30pm. We should be back at the carpark around 8.30pm. if you would like to attend please sign the list on the welcome table at the back of the church.

Monday 25th June Holy Dusters

10am to 12noon. All welcome to help.

Summer Fete Saturday 14th July 12noon – 3.30pm

Our summer fete is next month. We need

1. Garden tables, chairs and parasols
2. Helpers on stalls
3. Tombola bottles or cans
4. Raffle Prizes
5. Cakes for the cake stall
6. Plants for plant stall
7. Items for nearly new stall

If you can help with any of the above please have a word with Judy or Terry

Saturday 7th July Next Churchyard morning

10am to 12noon Refreshments supplied
Please reserve this morning in order to help.

Sunday 5th August

Tea on the Green

3pm–5pm

Guest Speaker Nigel Bolitho

As last year we will be on The Green from 3pm when tea, coffee and cake will be served. At 4pm we will be joined by the Chelmsford Salvation Army Band for a Songs of Praise at 4pm. Do join us and make sure you bring something to sit on. Please book this date in your diary so that you do not miss it.

Installation and Welcome of the Ven John

Perumbalath as the Bishop of Bradwell 3.30pm on

Sunday 22nd July at Chelmsford Cathedral

If you would like to attend please sign up by the 15th July on the Cathedral website for catering purposes. www.chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk (click Cathedral from top menu and Book Events where the sign up form can be found and contact details of Clare Broome for more info.

Chelmsford Foodbank Newsflash

Food items urgently needed.

Jam, Biscuits, Tinned Meat, Pasta sauce, Tinned potatoes, Breakfast cereals, Sponge Puddings, Potato Mash (pkts), Tinned rice pudding, Snacks (choc/other) Milk (Long life/UHT), Fruit Juice (Long life), Custard Powder (pkts), Coffee (small/medium), Tea bags (40 bag packs), Toiletries, Washing up liquid, Washing powder & liquid (small & medium), Ladies/gents toiletries, Nappies all sizes esp. 1/3, Dog & Cat Food.