

**Please Pray for**

- Give thanks for the work and ministries of our hospices who bring comfort and relief to patients and families in times of physical and spiritual need and stress. Pray for our hospice chaplains.
- For the Church in Wales and for the Most Revd. John Davies their Archbishop.
- In the Christians together prayer diary we pray for Great Baddow URC, Danbury URC & Howe Green URC
- Geoff & Ann Griggs, Peter Elwell
- Baptism Family Stewart, Claire, Connor, Lucas and Finlay
- Bishop Daniel and his wife Sefia. Revd Joshua and his wife Maria and their children
- Compass Churches for St. Andrew Bicknacre
- All who live in Cards Road
- Those who have asked for prayer Martin Childs, Charlie, Mark, James, Daisy, Emily, Barbara Parish, David Farrar, Ken Lawrence, Henrietta Forssen, Barbara Underwood, Dennis Terry, Janet Green, Reg Horscroft, Graham Prosser and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently, especially, Douglas Marshall, Nathaniel Patten, Gwen Horscroft, Christine Farrar, Trina Cotton, Ian Terry and Tony Cornish priest and others known to us.
- Those whose yearly mind falls in October Mary Clements, Marion Brown, Donald Parker, Joan Wright, Gwendoline Collett, Luke Bridger, Ann Clark, Dorothy Bright and Derek Rushen May the souls of the faithful departed through the mercy of God rest in peace: And rise in glory.

**Parish People**

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**Regular Pattern of Worship**

Tuesday	9:30 am	Holy Communion
4 <sup>th</sup> Wednesday	9:30 am	Celtic Morning Prayer
Sunday	10:00 am	Parish Eucharist
2 <sup>nd</sup> Sunday of the Month	8:00 am	Holy Communion
	10:00 am	Family Service



**Sunday 14<sup>th</sup> October**

**Trinity 20**

**8am Said Communion**

Celebrant & Preacher Revd. Canon Tim Ball  
 Eucharistic Minister Valerie Grimwood  
 Reader Valerie Grimwood  
 Sidesman Colin Bryan

**10am Family Service**

Leaders Family Team  
 Side's Persons David Farrar/ Kim Davis  
 Refreshments Alison Read/ Pat Salmon

**Next Sunday**

**10am Thanksgiving Sunday**

**Please do all you can to attend this special service**

**During the Week**

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October**

9:30 am Holy Communion followed by refreshments  
 7:45 pm Bell Ringing Practice  
 7:30 pm Explorer Scouts (Village Hall)

**Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> October**

1pm Tiny Tots

**Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> October**

8:30 am Compass Churches Morning Service Danbury  
 5:00 pm Beaver Scouts (Village hall)  
 6:30 pm Cub Scouts (Village Hall)  
 8:00 pm Scouts (Village hall)

**Friday 19<sup>th</sup> October**

7.30pm Choir Practice in SAR

If you are a visitor to our church today, please make yourself known to Terry our Rector, Churchwardens 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

God, our light and our salvation: illuminate our lives, that we may see your goodness in the land of the living, and looking on your beauty may be changed into the likeness of Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

## 1<sup>st</sup> Reading Hebrews 4.12-end

Indeed, the word of God is living and active, sharper than any two-edged sword, piercing until it divides soul from spirit, joints from marrow; it is able to judge the thoughts and intentions of the heart. And before him no creature is hidden, but all are naked and laid bare to the eyes of the one to whom we must render an account.

Since, then, we have a great high priest who has passed through the heavens, Jesus, the Son of God, let us hold fast to our confession. For we do not have a high priest who is unable to sympathize with our weaknesses, but we have one who in every respect has been tested as we are, yet without sin. Let us therefore approach the throne of grace with boldness, so that we may receive mercy and find grace to help in time of need.

## Gospel Reading Mark 10. 17-31

As he was setting out on a journey, a man ran up and knelt before him, and asked him, 'Good Teacher, what must I do to inherit eternal life?' 'Jesus said to him, 'Why do you call me good? No one is good but God alone. You know the commandments: "You shall not murder; You shall not commit adultery; You shall not steal; You shall not bear false witness; You shall not defraud; Honour your father and mother." ' He said to him, 'Teacher, I have kept all these since my youth.' Jesus, looking at him, loved him and said, 'You lack one thing; go, sell what you own, and give the money to the poor, and you will have treasure in heaven; then come, follow me.' When he heard this, he was shocked and went away grieving, for he had many possessions.

Then Jesus looked around and said to his disciples, 'How hard it will be for those who have wealth to enter the kingdom of God!' And the disciples were perplexed at these words. But Jesus said to them again, 'Children, how hard it is to enter the kingdom of God! It is easier for a camel to go through the eye of a needle than for someone who is rich to enter the kingdom of God.' They were greatly astounded and said to one another, 'Then who can be saved?' Jesus looked at them and said, 'For mortals it is impossible, but not for God; for God all things are possible.'

Peter began to say to him, 'Look, we have left everything and followed you.' Jesus said, 'Truly I tell you, there is no one who has left house or brothers or sisters or mother or father or children or fields, for my sake and for the sake of the good news, who will not receive a hundredfold now in this age—houses,

brothers and sisters, mothers and children, and fields, with persecutions—and in the age to come eternal life. But many who are first will be last, and the last will be first.'

## Card Making

Card Making in support of the Church at Gillian Speakman's starting 10am on Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> November. Please put this date in your diary.

## Advent

Our Advent course will be following the Bible Course set out by the Bible Society. There will be eight sessions covering the whole bible. It is a mixture of video and discussion using a manual. The course begins on Wednesday 31st October at 7.30pm or Thursday 1st November at 10am.

Please sign up if you are wishing to attend so that your book can be purchased in time.

## Sunday 21st October Thanksgiving Service 10am

### Next Sunday

We at St. Andrews have so much to be thankful for.



Thank You, LORD!

This special service will be attended by the Mayor and Consort of Chelmsford. Our preacher that day will be Dr. Jonathan Holmes from Queen's College, Cambridge, our Patron.

John Pierce the brilliant Tenor Soloist will also be singing at this service. Please do all you can to attend this special service.

The Friends of Sandon Church will have its AGM after this service to which you are all invited.



## Sunday 11th November Centenary Remembrance Concert

### Cliffs Pavilion 4pm

Participating choirs, Eastwood Chorale, Southend Bach Choir, Southend Choral Society, Southend Festival Choir, Southend Symphony Orchestra and Southend Boys and Girls Choir.

Music includes The Music Makers –Elgar and works by Parry, Rutter. Williams & Sibelius

Tickets are £15. If we can get 10 people sign up for tickets then you do not have to pay the booking fee of £1. The list to sign is on the welcome table.

## Empty bottle bottoms

The scouts are making plastic poppies for Remembrance Day and they require the bottom of soft drink bottles. Please could you bring your empty bottle bottoms and place in the box at the back of the church. Thank you

## Christenings or Weddings

If you would like to arrange one contact Revd.

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