

A Prayer for 2020

For all the possibilities ahead in this New Year, make us thankful O Lord. Give us wisdom, courage and discernment in the face of so much chaos, despair and fear. Help us to see how we can contribute towards peace, faith and love. Amen.

Please Pray for Revd Terry Brown, back from his holiday and for Bishop Stephen Cottrell as he prepares for his appointment as the next Archbishop of York.

In the Diocesan cycle of prayer we

remember: the Anglican Church of Australia

In the Christians together in Chelmsford

cycle of prayer we remember: The Church of the Holy Name and Our Lady Immaculate RC churches and Father Hugh Allan

In St Andrew's prayer diary we remember:

Christine Mennie, Brenda Moyse; Kevin & Sarah Topley recently married; staff and clients of Lighthouse Family Trust; Made4More leading assemblies and mentoring in schools, Compass church Holy Trinity South Woodham Ferrers and all who live on Hall Lane.

The sick and those who have asked for

prayer: Shirley Cartwright, James, Daisy, Emily, Barbara Parish, Stuart, Betty Lawrence, Ian & Barbara Underwood, Ann Elwell, Jeanette Burrell, Reg Horscroft, Peter Willsher, Nick Harding, Dennis Terry.

We remember those who have died recently:

especially Audrey Bryan, Kenneth Edwards, Alison Martin, Stella Hollows and others known to us; those whose anniversary of death falls during January. 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

Sunday	10:00 am	Parish Eucharist
2 nd Sunday of the Month	8:00 am	Holy Communion
	10:00 am	Family Service
Tuesday	9:30 am	Holy Communion



The Parish Church of St. Andrew, Sandon

A Member of the 'Compass' Group of
Churches

Sunday 12th January 2020 First Sunday of Epiphany

10 am	All Age Worship
	Revd Terry Brown
Reader	Mike Harris
Intercessor	Alison Read
Sides Persons	Joan & Judy
Refreshments	Alison & Pat Salmon

Next Sunday 19th January

10 am	Sung Eucharist
Celebrant & Preacher	Revd Terry Brown

During The Week

Monday 13th January

1 pm Memorial Service for Audrey Bryan
at St Andrew's followed by a reception at the
Millennium Hall in Great Baddow

7.30 pm	Community Choir
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Tuesday 14th January

9.30 am	Holy Communion
	followed by refreshments

Celebrant	Revd Terry Brown
8.00 pm	Friends Committee (The Crown)

Wednesday 15th January

1 pm	Tiny Tots
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Thursday 16th January

8.30 am	Compass Churches Morning Prayer at Danbury
5.00 pm	Beavers (V Hall)
7.00 pm	Cubs (V Hall)
8.00 pm	Scouts (V Hall)

Friday 17th January

7.30 pm	Choir Practice
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Saturday 18th January

7.15 for 7.30 pm	Quiz (V Hall)
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If you are a visitor to our church today, please make yourself known to one of the Churchwardens or 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

Heavenly Father, at the Jordan you revealed Jesus as your Son: may we recognize him as our Lord and know ourselves to be your beloved children; through Jesus Christ our Saviour. Amen

Psalm 29

Praise the LORD, you heavenly beings; praise his glory and power.

Praise the LORD's glorious name; bow down before the Holy One when he appears.

The voice of the LORD is heard on the seas; the glorious God thunders, and his voice echoes over the ocean.

The voice of the LORD is heard in all its might and majesty.

The voice of the LORD breaks the cedars, even the cedars of Lebanon.

He makes the mountains of Lebanon jump like calves and makes Mount Hermon leap like a young bull.

The voice of the LORD makes the lightning flash.

His voice makes the desert shake; he shakes the desert of Kadesh.

The LORD's voice shakes the oaks and strips the leaves from the trees while everyone in his Temple shouts, "Glory to God!"

The LORD rules over the deep waters; he rules as king forever.

The LORD gives strength to his people and blesses them with peace.

Reading Isaiah 42:1-9

The LORD says, "Here is my servant, whom I strengthen—the one I have chosen, with whom I am pleased. I have filled him with my Spirit,

and he will bring justice to every nation. He will not shout or raise his voice or make loud speeches in the streets. He will not break off a bent reed nor put out a flickering lamp. He will bring lasting justice to all. He will not lose hope or courage; he will establish justice on the earth. Distant lands eagerly wait for his teaching." God created the heavens and stretched them out; he fashioned the earth and all that lives there; he gave life and breath to all its people. And now the LORD God says to his servant, "I, the LORD, have called you and given you power to see that justice is done on earth. Through you I will make a covenant with all peoples; through you I will bring light to the nations. You will open the eyes of the blind and set free those who sit in dark prisons. "I alone am the LORD your God. No other god may share my glory; I will not let idols share my praise. The things I predicted have now come true. Now I will tell you of new things even before they begin to happen."

Post Communion

Lord of all time and eternity, you opened the heavens and revealed yourself as Father in the baptism of Jesus your beloved Son: by the power of your Spirit complete the heavenly work of our rebirth through the waters of the new creation; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen

Dates for the Diary

Saturday 18th January

7.15 for 7.30 pm Quiz in the Village Hall

Put the date in your diary and let David Farrar know ASAP if you can 'field' a team

Sunday 19th January

3 pm Service at Howe Green URC

Thursday 23rd January

12 noon at the Old Windmill, South

Hanningfield, **Men's 'Bible Bite and Lunch'**

Saturday 25th January

10.30 am Burns Night Coffee Morning Howe Green

Saturday 9th February

9 am Ladies Breakfast at Butts Green Garden Centre

Tue 25, Thu 27, Fri 28, Sat 29 February

Talks at Danbury Mission at 8pm

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Ask Christine or Judy for more information