THE CHURCH OF ENGLAND

Please Pray for

- Those from our Diocese who represent us on both the Diocesan Synod and on the General Synod and give their time and dedication on our behalf.
- Peace in Jerusalem. We remember the Diocese of Jerusalem and its Bishop Rt. Revd Suheil Dawani
- Today we enter Jerusalem with the Messiah riding on a donkey and going to his death. Through the days that follow we shall sit with him at table, stand beneath his cross and see him die. We will also journey in the Assurance that in the upper room on Easter day we see the risen Messiah who will come back to meet us and send us out to preach the gospel.
- The sick and those who care for them especially Barbara Parish, Chloe King, Simon Bobeldijk, Liz, Simon Mills, Susannah Bedwell, Bishop John, Pauline Butterworth, Paul Marren, Donald Sergeant, Alice Delf, Don and Sue Brown and others known to us.
- Those who have died recently especially Doris Brown, Theresa Frost, Clive Worth, Mike Mercer, Henry Smith and for those who mourn.

Christenings or Weddings

If you would like to arrange one contact Revd. Terry Brown on 01245 698988 or email tgabrown@hotmail.com

Parish People

Parish Priest Revd. Terry Brown 01245 698988

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Churchwardens

David Farrar 01245 471484

Janet Terry 01245 472997

PCC Secretary

Christine Mennie 01245 281305

Regular Pattern of Worship

Tuesday 9.30am Holy Communion

4th Wednesday 9.30 Celtic Morning Prayer

Sunday: 10am Parish Eucharist

2nd Sunday of the Month

8am Holy Communion (Traditional)

10 am Family Service

The Parish Church of

St. Andrew Sandon

All are Welcome in this Place



Priest-in-Charge: Terry Brown

Palm Sunday 29th March 2015

Today's Service

10 am Family Service and Church ParadeSidespersonChristine FarrarTea/Coffee RotaJanet Terry/Pam SalmonNext Sunday 5th April Easter Day08:00Easter Day Communion10:00Easter Day EucharistHoly Week

Monday 30th March 9.30am. Morning Prayer 7.30pm Stations of the Cross & Compline **Tuesday 31st March** 9.30am Holy Communion 10.15am Coffee/Tea and Chat 7.30 Seder Meal Wednesday 1st April 9.30am Celtic Morning Praver 10.00am Children's Workshop 7pm Pilgrim Course Thursday 2nd April Maundy Thursday 9.30am Celtic Morning Prayer 11.00am. Chrism Service Chelmsford Cathedral 7.30pm Communion, Stripping of altars & Watch Friday 3rd April Good Friday 9.30am Morning Prayer & Stations of the Cross 11am United Service in City centre 2pm The last hour by the Cross Welcome – If you are new to church, please make yourself known to Revd. Terry or one of the people who gave out the hymn books. Families are very welcome in this Church. **Toilets and Changing facilities opposite Main** Door **Communion** All are welcome at the Communion

rail. If you do not normally receive Communion, please come forward to receive a blessing.

Collect

True and humble king, hailed by the crowd as Messiah: grant us the faith to know you and love you, that we may be found beside you on the way of the cross, which is the path of glory. Amen

Wednesday 1st April 9.45am – 12.30pm Children's Easter workshop



This workshop is aimed at those of

primary School age. To register please email annaedavies@hotmail.co.uk or phone 07590 514823 (mob)

Monday 6th April Easter Teas 2pm – 4pm

Saturday 18th April

8.30am – 10am Ladies Breakfast Stephanie Gillingham Butts Green Garden Centre Book by ringing Janet on 01245 472997



Saturday 25th April 7.30pm Boreham Ladies Choir concert £10 includes wine and refreshments. Tickets available from Christine on 01245 281305 or Terry on 01245 698988 Please purchase your tickets before they sell out.



Maundy Thursday Service at 7.30pm

Our service will be a Communion Service which will end with the stripping of the altars and a watch until 11.30pm. I hope that many of you will attend this lovely service when we remember the Last supper when Jesus took bread and wine with his disciples.

Finance

At the PCC meeting last Monday it was decided that for the next 3 months we will only pay half of our Parish Share due to our poor financial position. Added to this the motor on the organ has been sent away for repair and we are expecting a large bill for its repair. Please could you pray that St. Andrew's will find a way to overcome this financial crisis and that we all may examine our giving to God. The PCC has put together a Finance group who will work to put together a Stewardship Campaign in the summer. Terry

Good Friday

There will be 3 services on Good Friday 9.30am Morning Prayer followed by the Stations of the Cross.

11am United Service in the City Centre near the Cathedral when Christians from all the Chelmsford Churches come together for a short service. If you have never been before, why not try this year to attend.

2pm -3pm The Final hour at the foot of the cross. This is always a moving service of talks, reflection and silence as well as hymns. Please do all you can to support this service.

Easter Sunday

8am Holy Communion

8.45am Breakfast for 8am congregation to join with the 10am early birds in a breakfast. It was a popular time last year so why not come and join us.

10am Sung Eucharist with the blessing of the Easter candle and Easter Garden. This year after the service there will be an Easter Egg Hunt for all to join in. Hope to see you there.

COME DINE WITH ME

Jesus invites you to an Agape Supper on Tuesday 31st March @ 7.30pm prompt. There are a few places left so sign up today.

Sunday 5th April Easter Day

8am Holy Communion 8.45am – 9.30am Easter Breakfast Congregation of the 8 am and 10 am join together

10am Sung Eucharist

Blessing of Easter Candle and Garden This service will be followed by an Easter Egg Hunt in the Churchyard for children of all ages.

Easter Flowers

The Church will be decorated with beautiful flowers this Easter. We would be grateful for donations towards the cost of flowers The collection box is on the radiator, or if you put your donation in an envelope marked "Easter Flowers" it can go into the wall box to the left of the main door in the Church, or hand it to Janet Terry, Church Warden. Thank you. Please bring your family and friends to enjoy the flowers and Easter Teas from 2pm - 4pm on Easter Sunday and Easter Monday. Easter Sunday Teas 2pm - 4pm Easter Monday Easter Teas 2pm - 4pm