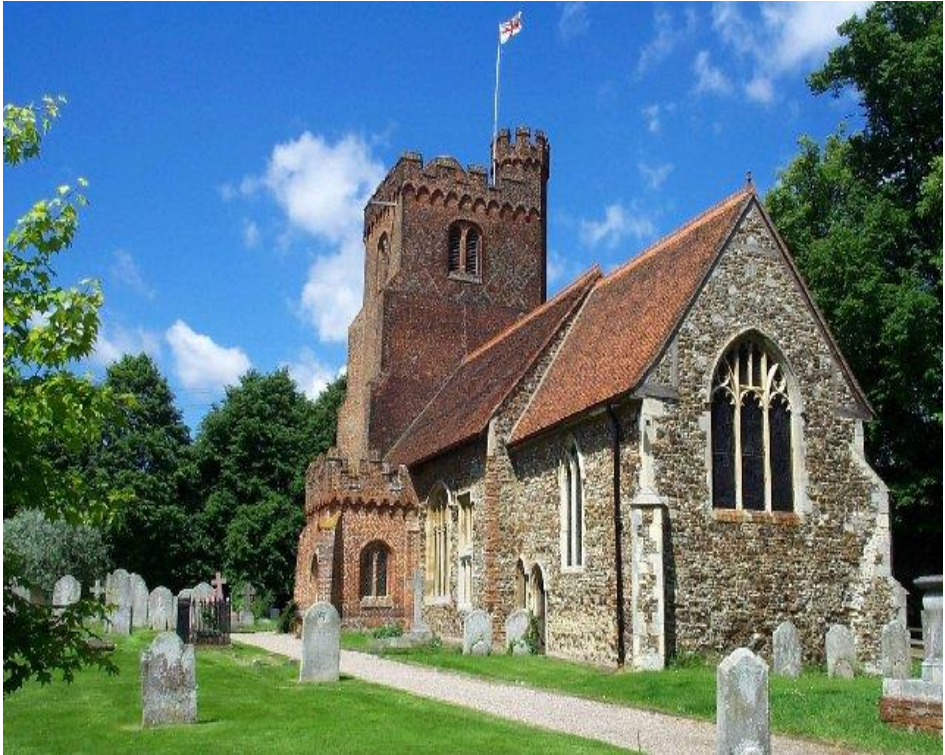


# **Parish Prayer Diary**

## **St. Andrew's Sandon**



Do all this in prayer, asking for God's help.  
Pray on every occasion, as the Spirit leads.  
For this reason keep alert and never give up;  
Pray always for all God's people.

Ephesians 6:18 Good News Translation

# 2024

This Parish Prayer Diary is a leaflet to help you pray on a daily basis for the needs and concerns of our Parish, our Church, our Community and our World.

Each day is split between four aspects of our life together:

- Those on the Church Electoral Roll and those who attend St. Andrew's Church.
- Prayer topics or subjects related to the life of the parish.
- Prayer topics or subjects related to our country and world.
- The people who live in the roads and streets which make up our parish.

We hope you find the Prayer Diary helpful as we develop our prayer life together.

If at any time, you would like to share good news, or are worried or concerned about someone or something and would like others to pray with and for you, please feel free to phone one of the Church Wardens.

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- 1<sup>st</sup>** Eileen Bartrup, Hugh and Ruth Dibbens  
Mike Warboys (Tower Captain) and the Bellringers  
The safety of young people especially at night  
That people leaving nightclubs will do so in safety  
For our responsibility to care for and protect  
God's precious gift of creation.  
**Alexander Mews**
- 2<sup>nd</sup>** Nick and Liz Bobeldijk, Jane Marshall  
Scouts, Cubs and Beavers and their leaders  
For our outreach to young families  
For those who face conflict, hunger and drought - we pray for access  
to clean water, food supplies and emergency shelter  
**Brick Kiln Road**
- 3<sup>rd</sup>** Colin Bryan, Beryl Darbon, Graham and Susan Parish  
People moving into Sandon  
The Royal family  
Emergency Services: Ambulance, Fire, Police and Coastguard  
Compass churches: St. John's, Danbury  
**Bridleway**
- 4<sup>th</sup>** Alwyn Jones and Gillian Ward Russell  
Pupils, Staff and Governors of Sandon School  
Local Press and Radio Stations  
People living with chronic health conditions and disabilities  
Revd Jacqui Jones and Alex Cooper who are the Co-Chairs  
of the Compass Churches  
**Butts Green Road**
- 5<sup>th</sup>** Lisa and Eric Wiseman, George Turner  
People living in broken homes and single parent families  
We give thanks for our freedom to worship and pray for those  
countries where people do not have that freedom, where they may  
be tortured or murdered for their faith  
Compass churches: St. Mary the Virgin, Little Baddow  
**Chalklands**

**6<sup>th</sup>** David Farrar, Robert Gaines  
People who work in local government; for our Parish Councillors,  
City Councillors and County Councillors  
For the refugee crisis which has seen a devastating number of people  
being smuggled internationally.

**East Hanningfield Road**

**7<sup>th</sup>** James and Jacqueline Valentine  
Sanctus and CHESS helping homeless people in Chelmsford  
Christians Together in Chelmsford (CTiC)  
The people who empty our bins and clean our streets  
Compass churches: St. Andrew's, Sandon

**Gablefields**

**8<sup>th</sup>** Richard and Judy Cecil  
Students at College or University  
For world leaders, that God may grant them wisdom to make just  
decisions which respect the earth and all that live in it, especially  
those who are poorest and most vulnerable

**The Tythings**

**9<sup>th</sup>** Valerie Grimwood, John Weir, Ian Hutchinson  
Pam Knott and the congregation of Howe Green URC  
The Women's Institute  
For those who work in Government and the leadership of this country  
For the Citizens Advice Bureau

**Sandon Brook Manor**

**10<sup>th</sup>** John Gruby, Gill Haddington  
Those who help and attend the Soup and Sandwich Lunches  
The use of technology to spread the Gospel  
People living with learning disabilities  
Time in our lives to be quiet and listen for the still small voice of calm  
Compass churches: All Saints, East Hanningfield

**Gibcracks Chase**

**11<sup>th</sup>** Janet Terry, Gill and Michael Hodge  
The Linden Centre, the Crystal Unit, all those working in Community  
Mental Health services and service users  
That our church will welcome and minister to our local community  
For a decrease in the number of people living in poverty

**The Green**

**12<sup>th</sup>** Christine Mennie, Brenda Moyse  
The management and staff of Assure Pregnancy  
and Baby Loss Support  
Safety on rural roads  
The Residents and Staff at Greenwood Court Care Home  
Compass churches: Holy Trinity, South Woodham Ferrers

**Hall Lane**

**13<sup>th</sup>** Gillian Speakman, Alma Smith, Denise Carter  
The work of the YMCA  
The Security Agencies and those dealing with terrorism  
The United Nations and others seeking peace and the agencies  
working to help those affected by war  
As Christians we will be motivated to share our faith with others

**Brook View**

**14<sup>th</sup>** Geoff and Ann Griggs  
Bishop Daniel Qampicha, his wife Sefia and their children  
For all people living and working in the diocese of Marsabit in Kenya  
People facing redundancy, those seeking employment and those who  
are unemployed

Compass churches: St. Andrew's, Bicknacre

**Cards Road**

**15<sup>th</sup>** Alison, Neil, Matt and Emma Read  
Those who run and attend Tiny Tots  
The Staff, Inmates and Chaplains at Chelmsford Prison  
For the work of the foodbank in Chelmsford  
All our politicians, those who work in the  
national government leading our country

**Hammonds Road**

- 16<sup>th</sup>** Andy, Cathie and Stephen Horne  
For those who feel no need for God in their lives  
and for those who are seeking  
We pray for the local farming community  
Those with debts and the work of Christians Against Poverty (CAP)  
Compass churches: St. Mary's, Woodham Ferrers  
**Howe Green**
- 17<sup>th</sup>** Kate and Gordon Williamson, Derek Hollows  
The Crown Public House and all who live and work there  
Local retired clergy  
For Made4More leading e-merge groups,  
assemblies and mentoring young people  
For all suffering famine and drought and the agencies bringing relief  
**Hulls Lane**
- 18<sup>th</sup>** Guy, Dessi and Anthony Speakman  
Bishop Guli, Bishop Adam and Archdeacon Jonathan  
Area Dean Tim Ball and Lay Chair Jill Reading  
The Staff and Patients at Farleigh Hospice  
The growth of the church  
For those living in civil war and the people fleeing for safety  
**Ladywell Lane**
- 19<sup>th</sup>** Peter Elwell, Christine Bailey  
All who serve in the Armed Forces  
That older people feel safe at home  
All who live alone  
For those living with political instability  
Compass churches: All Saints, Stock  
**The Lintons**
- 20<sup>th</sup>** Kay Tyler, Seth and Ruth Saverymuttu  
Those who work at the Park & Ride and on our local bus services  
For all people who are fleeing countries where they face torture,  
human rights abuses or death and are vulnerable to becoming  
victims of crime or falling into the hands of people trafficking gangs  
**Maldon Road**

- 21<sup>st</sup>** Ian, Barbara, Janet and David Underwood  
All groups using The Village Hall and for the Hall Committee  
For treatment and compassion for all who have addictions  
For those people who are facing droughts, floods and storms, that  
God may grant them strength and hope for the future as they work  
to adapt to the changing climate  
**Mayes Lane**
- 22<sup>nd</sup>** Claire and Ian Jefferies, James and Matthew Wood  
and Betty Jefferies  
Cathie our Organist, and the Choir  
Sidesmen, Readers and Intercessors  
For the Friends of Sandon Church  
For all who combat bullying and those affected by bullying  
**Southlands Chase**
- 23<sup>rd</sup>** Richard and Sally Speakman  
For Lesley Warboys, Janet Underwood and the flower arrangers  
The Butts Green Garden Centre  
The ministry and mission of this church and our offering of ourselves  
For the world we live in, that we help to restore and care for it  
Compass churches: St. Mary the Virgin, Ramsden Bellhouse  
**The Old Orchard**
- 24<sup>th</sup>** Stuart and Rosemary MacKay  
The recently baptised and those preparing for Baptism  
For all involved with the Church Magazine: Richard (editor), Claire  
(advertising), Alison (distribution), Valerie (proof-reader) and those  
involved in the delivery  
Prisoners recently released  
**Rectory Chase**
- 25<sup>th</sup>** Greg, Fran, James and Zack Fourgeaud,  
All responsible for maintaining and cleaning the church  
For all involved in working on our Churchyard  
For peace in the world  
Compass churches: St. Margaret's, Downham  
**Sandon Brook Place**

**26<sup>th</sup>** Mike Harris, Pam Norrington, Jennifer Price  
Those who prepare and serve refreshments after our services  
The Chelmsford Deanery and the Compass Churches  
Staff, Chaplains and Patients of Broomfield Hospital  
For young people to feel they have a place within the Church  
For tolerance in our society  
**Southend Road & Brooklands**

**27<sup>th</sup>** Kenneth and Carol Wedon  
Those recently married and those preparing for Marriage  
For Home Carers and Health Care Workers  
For people living with dementia and their carers  
All those who have lost dear ones recently  
For refugees and migrants throughout the world  
**Molrams Lane**

**28<sup>th</sup>** Michael Puffett, Pat Salmon  
Our families, friends and neighbours  
Peace for those who tend the graves in our Churchyard  
Those waking to fear every day  
Christians in education working to protect the teaching of Christian  
belief and practice  
**Sporhams Lane**

**29<sup>th</sup>** Mary Matthew and family, Christine Fletcher  
The Church Wardens and members of the PCC  
People living on the margins of society  
We pray for our parish and local community that we may be good  
neighbours to each other and to the whole of creation  
Compass churches: St. Peter's, South Hanningfield  
**Woodhill Road**

**30<sup>th</sup>** Mike & Lesley Worboys, Yvonne Hopkins  
The mission and outreach of St. Andrew's Church  
Students and Staff at Anglia Ruskin University  
and Chelmsford College  
People struggling with the cost of living  
Compass churches: St. Mary and St. Edward's, West Hanningfield  
**Old Southend Road**