

Sunday 21st May

7th Sunday of Easter
10am: Morning Worship
Richard Field

Duty Warden: Helen
Music: David
Sides: Louise, Maxine
Sound: Helen
Refreshments: Brenda

Living Light

The Aumbry Light for May has been sponsored in memory of:

Reg Chapman
Rev'd Susan Ives



Please Pray

For Brian, Joan, Anna, Greta, Sheila, Nicky, Amelia, Val, Audrey and Mary



The PCC as they meet on 17th May

We remember

Eric Baty (07.05.1986)
Rev'd Susan Ives (13.05.2017)

Edward Bear Baby and Toddler Group

Wednesdays 1.15-2.30pm

Saturday Coffee 11am-12noon

13th May
with Brenda

20th May
with Sue
&

Monica's Plant Sale - come along
and buy your spring plants!

Church will be closed afterwards

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Newsletter Content If you have any items for the Newsletter (including requests for prayer) contact Janette Tadman - janettetadman@gmail.com or 07749 298639

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Sunday 7th May

5th Sunday of Easter

10am: Morning Worship
Lucy Bubb

Duty Warden: David
Music: David & Kevin
Sides: Pat, Maxine
Sound: tbc
Refreshments: Brenda

Morning Prayer

9.15am: Wednesdays at St Luke's

Gracious God, in company with our King, we rededicate ourselves to your service. Take our minds and think through them, take our lips and speak through them, take our hearts and set them on fire with love for you and your kingdom; that here we may have your peace, and in the world to come may see you face to face; through Jesus Christ our Lord. Amen.

Sunday 14th May

6th Sunday of Easter

10am: Holy Communion
Rev'd Suzanne McAllister

Duty Warden: Richard
Chalice: Helen
Music: David
Sides: Hilary, Chris
Sound: Dave T
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Refreshments: Maxine

This service will be live-streamed on our Facebook page and available on our website

The chalice will be offered during Communion; please do not intinct your wafer.

4pm for 4.30pm: South West Chelmsford Churches Celtic Worship at St John's Moulsham

Birthdays: "Happy Birthday to you: to Jesus be true.
May God's richest blessing rest today upon you."

Financial Giving Please do support St Luke's using one of the options below:

- Regular giving through the Parish Giving Scheme - see noticeboard for information
- One-off online donations accessed via the St Luke's website homepage
- Contactless card reader available at the back of church

Church Flowers

We welcome Esther who is volunteering with us to help with flower arrangements on a monthly basis. She's provided two flower arrangements to celebrate the Coronation (one by the altar and one in the church lobby). If you would like to sponsor a flower arrangement in memory of a loved one or to celebrate a special occasion, speak to Lucy.

If anyone you know is looking for a florist, do share Esther's contact details:
thevictorianhouseofflowers@outlook.com / 07810 308218

Tearfund - Lent Giving

Thank you to everyone who supported Tearfund, the recipient of our Lent giving. We donated £202 plus £37 in gift aid through the online giving page and there was some additional donations direct by post. Our gifts will be life-changing in opening the doors to opportunities around the world.

Revd Hannah Robinson - Licensing Service

Several members of St Luke's congregation went to Revd Hannah's licensing service on 4 May. It was a joyous occasion as she was licensed as Priest-in-Charge of St John's and Chaplain to Anglia Ruskin University (Chelmsford Campus) and, of course, welcomed as part of to South West Chelmsford Churches. Please keep her, her husband Peter, and the St John's congregation in your prayers as she settles into her role.

Oddments Theatre Co presents ... The Road to the Cross

Central Baptist Church, Victoria Road, Chelmsford
Wednesday 10 May, Doors open 7pm, Performance starts 7.30pm
Tickets £14 on the door or £12 in advance (www.jumblebee.co.uk/RTTChelmsford)

This contemporary stage show will make you laugh, cry, and reflect as we follow the story of Jesus and his disciples from Palm Sunday to Pentecost. Set in the 21st Century, this play challenges the audience to think about the Christian message in a new way.

Painting Supplies

We will soon be joined by the Probation Service Community Payback team to help with some much needed internal painting but we need some supplies Have you got any of the following that we could borrow: paint brushes, rollers, trays, dust sheets, Polyfilla, masking tape, sandpaper, J-cloths? If so, please speak to Maurice or Lucy.

Christian Aid Week

Christian Aid Week this year is from 14th - 20th May. Giving envelopes will be available in church, please support this worthwhile charity.

SWCC Ascension Day Service

Thursday 18th May, 7.30pm at

St. Mary's, Widford

Leader: Revd David Cattle; President: Revd Stephanie Gillingham

Preacher: Revd Suzanne McAllister

All are welcome!

Fairtrade Quiz Evening

Sat 20 May at 7pm

All Saints, Springfield Green, CM1 7HS

Tickets cost £5 each. Teams of up to 8.

Bring your own drinks and nibbles. Free Fairtrade raffle.

Fairtrade stall selling selection of Fairtrade products.

Tickets available on door but please contact gill.parker@sky.com if you intend to come.

Week Day Prayers

Based on recent feedback, we're going to be changing the day and time for weekday prayers so that they're accessible to more people.

From the beginning of June, we will be having prayers in church on Tuesdays at 2pm rather than Wednesday mornings. This means there will be access using the ramp into the hall lobby for those for whom the steps are difficult, as well as access to the toilets.

Come and join us on Tuesday 6th June at 2pm!

Prayer for our future

God of our plans and futures,
guide us as we dwell in this time of uncertainty.

Help us to work together, to love, grow and serve each other;
and to share the responsibility of being your light in our community.

We turn to your love, comfort and peace as we journey onwards in our faith,
becoming the people you desire us to be.

In the name of Jesus Christ, our Lord and Saviour.

Amen.