

Sunday 6 September
 Trinity 14
10am Morning Worship
 Lucy

Duty Warden/Sound:: Helen
Sides: Maxine
Reader: Chris
Music: Music Group
Refreshments: Brenda

Saturday Coffee 
 5 Sept - Richard
 The church will be closed afterwards

Edward Bear Baby & Toddler Group
 Is on holiday now, returning on
 Wednesday 9 September
 1.15pm - 2.30pm

Please Pray
 For Anna, Brian, Catherine, Elena,
 Revd Suzanne, and Val.
 For the people of Palestine and Israel,
 the Middle East and for peace

We remember:
 Carmen de Silva 31 August 2021
 Norman Judd 1 September 2002
 Ella Forbes Stuart 5 September 1979

Parish Roads:
We also pray this month for those living and working in:
 Cormorant Walk, Crossways, Cypress Drive, Donald Way, Dove Lane

Living Light
 If you would like to sponsor the **Living Light** in memory of a loved one for the month of September, please use the sheet on the noticeboard.
 The cost is £10. 

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Newsletter Content If you have any items for the Newsletter (including requests for prayer) contact Lucy - moulshamchurches@gmail.com

Sunday 30 August
 Trinity 13

3pm Refreshments with 3.30pm Holy Communion
 Revd Stephanie

Duty Warden/Chalice:: Lucy
Sound:
Sides/Reader:
Music: Ed
Refreshments: Brenda

Weekday Prayers
 Tuesdays at 2pm
 Disabled access and toilets available

Collect

Almighty God,
 you search us and know us:
 may we rely on you in strength
 and rest on you in weakness,
 now and in all our days;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord. **Amen**

Post Communion Prayer

God our creator,
 you feed your children with the true
 manna, the living bread from heaven:
 let this holy food sustain us through
 our earthly pilgrimage
 until we come to that place where
 hunger and thirst are no more;
 through Jesus Christ our Lord **Amen**

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

Exodus 3:1-15

Moses was keeping the flock of his father-in-law Jethro, the priest of Midian; he led his flock beyond the wilderness, and came to Horeb, the mountain of God. ² There the angel of the LORD appeared to him in a flame of fire out of a bush; he looked, and the bush was blazing, yet it was not consumed. ³ Then Moses said, 'I must turn aside and look at this great sight, and see why the bush is not burned up.' ⁴ When the LORD saw that he had turned aside to see, God called to him out of the bush, 'Moses, Moses!' And he said, 'Here I am.' ⁵ Then he said, 'Come no closer! Remove the sandals from your feet, for the place on which you are standing is holy ground.' ⁶ He said further, 'I am the God of your father, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob.' And Moses hid his face, for he was afraid to look at God.

⁷ Then the LORD said, 'I have observed the misery of my people who are in Egypt; I have heard their cry on account of their taskmasters. Indeed, I know their sufferings, ⁸ and I have come down to deliver them from the Egyptians, and to bring them up out of that land to a good and broad land, a land flowing with milk and honey, to the country of the Canaanites, the Hittites, the Amorites, the Perizzites, the Hivites, and the Jebusites. ⁹ The cry of the Israelites has now come to me; I have also seen how the Egyptians oppress them. ¹⁰ So come, I will send you to Pharaoh to bring my people, the Israelites, out of Egypt.' ¹¹ But Moses said to God, 'Who am I that I should go to Pharaoh, and bring the Israelites out of Egypt?' ¹² He said, 'I will be with you; and this shall be the sign for you that it is I who sent you: when you have brought the people out of Egypt, you shall worship God on this mountain.'

¹³ But Moses said to God, 'If I come to the Israelites and say to them, "The God of your ancestors has sent me to you", and they ask me, "What is his name?" what shall I say to them?' ¹⁴ God said to Moses, 'I AM WHO I AM.' He said further, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "I AM has sent me to you."' ¹⁵ God also said to Moses, 'Thus you shall say to the Israelites, "The LORD, the God of your ancestors, the God of Abraham, the God of Isaac, and the God of Jacob, has sent me to you":

This is my name for ever,
and this my title for all generations.

Matthew 16:21-28

²¹ From that time on, Jesus began to show his disciples that he must go to Jerusalem and undergo great suffering at the hands of the elders and chief priests and scribes, and be killed, and on the third day be raised. ²² And Peter took him aside and began to rebuke him, saying, 'God forbid it, Lord! ———>

————> This must never happen to you.' ²³ But he turned and said to Peter, 'Get behind me, Satan! You are a stumbling-block to me; for you are setting your mind not on divine things but on human things.'

²⁴ Then Jesus told his disciples, 'If any want to become my followers, let them deny themselves and take up their cross and follow me. ²⁵ For those who want to save their life will lose it, and those who lose their life for my sake will find it. ²⁶ For what will it profit them if they gain the whole world but forfeit their life? Or what will they give in return for their life?

²⁷ 'For the Son of Man is to come with his angels in the glory of his Father, and then he will repay everyone for what has been done. ²⁸ Truly I tell you, there are some standing here who will not taste death before they see the Son of Man coming in his kingdom.'

Audrey Phillips - RIP

Audrey's funeral will be on Thursday 17 September at 2pm at St Luke's followed by 3pm at the Crem (family only). Everyone is invited to the service and afterwards at the Copper Pot Café.

People's Emergency Briefing

There is a screening of the People's Emergency Briefing—an eye opening film bringing together nine leading UK scientists and experts with the latest evidence and why it matters—at Chelmsford Cathedral on Friday 11 September at 6.30pm. Doors open at 6pm. The film lasts 50 minutes and then there will be a panel discussion. The panel includes Bishop Anderson Jeremiah, Andy Atkins (CEO, A Rocha), Bishop Roger Morris, Revd John Bloomer (National Environment Working Group) and Marie Goldman (Chelmsford MP). The event will finish by 8.30pm. Tickets are free but limited so please book your tickets via the cathedral website.

Eco Tip—Reducing your carbon footprint

There are many ways that you can reduce your carbon footprint, this week we're thinking about clothes. Could you:

- Own fewer clothes?
- Increasing the amount of time you wear an item of clothing. Rather than wear it once and wash it, wear it a few times?
- Buy second hand and recycle clothes where possible?
- Repair clothes rather than throw them away and replace with new ones?