

## **10am All-age Parade Service**

*The service will be on the screen.  
Paper copies are available.*

## **6pm Holy Communion**

*We keep a time of quiet, as we prepare ourselves for worship.*

**Opening Hymn 133** Come, ye thankful people, come.

**The Collect:**

**Eternal God,**

**you crown the year with your goodness  
and you give us the fruits of the earth  
in their season:**

**grant that we may use them**

**to your glory,**

**for the relief of those in need**

**and for our own well-being;**

**through Jesus Christ your Son**

**our Lord,**

**who is alive and reigns with you,**

**in the unity of the Holy Spirit,**

**one God, now and for ever. Amen**

**OT Reading:** Joel 2:21-27 (p 881)

**NT Epistle:** 1 Timothy 6:6-10 (p 226)

**Hymn 184** For the beauty of the earth,

**Gospel:** Matthew 6:25-33 (page 6)

**Offertory Hymn 696** To thee, O Lord,

**Closing Hymn 719** We plough the fields

## **Do you know about Silverline?**

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## **??? Question Box???**

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**Men's Breakfast, Sat 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 9am** in the Hall. Speaker: Rev Charlie Kosla. Please take a reminder card, and let Gordon know if you are coming. Thanks.

Sandy Lambert will again be selling Christmas cards and puddings on behalf of the **Motor Neurone Disease Association** after the 10am service on Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> Oct.

## **Verse for the Week:**

*'Strive first for the kingdom of God and his righteousness, and all these things will be given to you as well.'* (Matthew 6:33)

**Recycling.** Used postage stamps can be recycled at the Woodland Centre in Belfairs Woods, or given to Julia or Wendy.

Bentleys Opticians take spectacles to recycle at their shop on Eastwood Road North.

## **2018 Dates for your diary:**

**Sat 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 9am** Men's Breakfast

**Sun 28<sup>th</sup> Oct 3pm** All Souls Service

**Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 8pm** Deanery meeting with the new Bishop of Bradwell, John Perumbalath, at St Mary, Benfleet. All welcome.

**Sat 17<sup>th</sup> Nov 10.30am** St Aidan's Grand Bazaar

**Sun 25<sup>th</sup> Nov 4pm** Confirmation at St Peter's, Eastbourne Grove, Westcliff, with Bishop John.

**Sun 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec 4.30pm** Christingle Service

**Sun 16<sup>th</sup> Dec 6pm** Carol Service

**In our intercessions, we are asked to remember those in need:**

Lucy and Katharine Watts, Julie Shute, Margaret Taylor, Hannah Moore, Tony Usher, Noel Searle, Tony Mabbatt, Stuart Greenway, Callum Turner, Harriot Seymour, Linda Chambers, Kim Herd, Elaine Turner, Lynee Wells, Sylvia Wells, Maria De Lourdes Alves, Peter and June Hipworth Claire, Fiona Hand, Peter Gunn, John Mangion, Violet Doyle, Dennis and Jean Pogose, Audrey Pegrum, and Lee Jackson.



**We also remember those recently departed:**

Bob Magor.

**and those whose anniversaries occur this week:**

Eddie Lawrence, Philip Brochen, Sidney Meyer, Sue Noble.

**We also remember those living in residential care or who are housebound and less able to get to Church:** Joyce Rippin, Dennis Jones, Freda Bullock, Jean Bacon, John Jones, Betty Burton, and Pat Welch.