

6pm Holy Communion

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

Opening Hymn 36 Angels from the realms of glory,
The Collect:
Almighty and ever-living God, clothed in majesty, whose beloved Son was presented in the Temple, in substance of our flesh: grant that we may be presented to you with pure and clean hearts, by your Son Jesus Christ 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: Ezekiel 43:27 – 44:4 (p 844)
NT Epistle: 1 Corinthians 13 (p 186)
Hymn 375 King of glory, King of peace,
Gospel: Luke 2:22-40 (page 63)
Offertory Hymn 411 Lord Jesus Christ,
Closing Hymn 187 Forth in the peace of Christ we go;

Do you know about Silverline?

Silverline is free, confidential, open 24 hours, phone line for information, advice, friendship for older people. **Ring 0800 4 70 80 90** or from a mobile ring 0300 4 70 80 90

??? Question Box???

Do you have a question that puzzles you? Have you always wanted to ask something? **Write it down and put it in the Question Box at the back of church.** We will seek to answer it in an appropriate way.

Noel Searle's funeral and service of Thanksgiving is on Tuesday 26th February, 11am at St Peter's R/C Church, Eastwood Road North. All are welcome.

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.

Dot Bartlett has **Hand-Made Cards** which are on sale at the back of church. Do take a look. Lots of new cards now available.

Verse for the Week:

'And now faith, hope, and love abide, these three; and the greatest of these is love.'
(1 Corinthians 13:13)

Diocesan Lent Courses

Various courses are on offer around the diocese. See details on notice-board at the back of church.

2019 Dates for your diary:

Sun 17th Feb 10am HC We celebrate the work of The Leprosy Mission.
Sat 23rd Feb 9am Men's Breakfast. *Invitation cards available.*
Tuesday 5th March Lent Course begins
Wed 6th March Ash Wednesday: 10am HC at St Aidan's, and 7.30pm HC at St Laurence, both with the offer of ashing.
Sat 23rd March Bradwell Area Vocations Day
Sun 31st March Mothering Sunday 10am Parade service, 6pm HC.
Sun 7th April APCM and lunch after 10am HC
Sun 14th April Palm Sunday 10am HC
Maundy Thursday 18th April 7.30pm HC, joined by St Laurence
Friday 19th April Good Friday 10.30am Messy Church '*special*', 2pm Devotional Service

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

Lucy and Katharine Watts, Julie Shute, Margaret Taylor, Hannah Moore, Tony Usher, 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, Lee Jackson, Robert Saint, Beryl Spiers.



We also remember those recently departed:

Noel Searle.

and those whose anniversaries occur this week:

Herbert Aldous, Sheila Shuttleworth, Florence Farrant, Janet Gasson, Arthur Inskip, William Burkitt, Betty Bozak, Janet Kitson, Connie Irons, Betty Lawrence, Sydney Lydall.

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, John Jones, and Betty Burton, Jean Bacon and Pat Welch.