



ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, SPRINGFIELD

11th MARCH 2018 – MOTHERING SUNDAY

TODAY

Holy Communion: Communicant members of all Christian Churches are welcome to receive the bread and wine. If you would prefer a prayer of blessing, please hold your service card in your hands as you kneel at the rail.

8.00am Holy Communion

president: The Rector

preacher: The Rev Rufin Emmanuel

readings: Ephesians 2:1–10

John 3:14–21

10.30am Worship Together

leaders: The Rector
and The Rev Rufin Emmanuel

3.00pm Licensing of the Rev Dan Pierce

by the Bishop of Chelmsford. We are all invited to attend this short open air service on the green area in Beaulieu Heath (CMI 6AR) or, if wet, in the Bishop's School, North Springfield, where refreshments will be served afterwards.

4.30pm No service

THIS WEEK

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| Mo 12 | 8.30am | Morning Prayer (said) |
| Tu 13 | 8.30am | Morning Prayer (said) |
| | 5.00pm | Evening Prayer (said) |
| | 7.45pm | Springfield (Evening) Townswomen's Guild meets in the WI Hall for the Annual General Meeting and a fish and chip supper |
| We 14 | 9.30am | Children-in-Church |
| | 10.00am | Holy Communion |
| | 7.30pm | Lent Reflection in the Quiet Room |
| Th 15 | 8.30am | Morning Prayer (said) |
| | 2.00pm | 'Chat & Do' meets in the Paynter Room |
| | 5.00pm | Evening Prayer (said) |
| Fr 16 | 8.30am | Morning Prayer (said) |
| | 12.30pm | Chelmsford Cathedral Lunchtime Concert – St Cedd's School |
| Sa 17 | 7.30pm | Caprice Concert in the Cathedral |

Su 18 FIFTH SUNDAY OF LENT

8.00am Holy Communion

president: The Rector

preacher: Robin Stevens

10.30am Morning Prayer

preacher: Roger McFarland

10.30am 'Sunday Special' with Communion in the hall

president: The Rector

4.30pm Evening Prayer

preacher: Robin Stevens

in touch FOR MARCH IS ON SALE

Lent Reflections: We continue to meet in the Quiet Room for a Lent reflection from 7.30 to 8.00pm on Wednesday. Please come and join us. *The Prayer Ministry Team*

Easter Lilies: At Easter we like to decorate the church with lilies. Many people like to donate to our Easter lily fund at this very special time of year, sometimes in memory of a loved one. If you would like to give a donation please can you give it to me, Chris McFarland, or to our church wardens (our addresses are at the back of "in touch" magazine).

New Treasurer: As Roy Alexander has completed his final accounts for All Saints', please can everyone now contact our new Treasurer, Mark Parirenyatwa, at mtpar07@yahoo.co.uk about financial matters regarding the church, or put them in the 'Treasurer' pigeon hole for him to collect. Thank you. *The Churchwardens.*

Easter Holiday Club at Chelmsford Cathedral: Tuesday April 3rd to Thursday April 5th. 10.15am-12.30pm. Ages 6-11 years. Easter story, worship, songs, arts, crafts. You may stay or leave children. Return 12.20pm for a 'show-case' and the close of the morning. Choose any or all the mornings.

It is FREE but you must register in advance: email easter.holidayclub@gmail.com before 24 March. Places will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

For your prayers:

Those who are unwell: Brenda Baggs, Sharon H, Anne Burns, Edward Thorn, Rose Smith, Martin Dunn, Patricia Lisk, Louisa M, Iris Solway, Marion Hodges and Jonathan Thompson.

Those who have been bereaved: The families and friends of Barbara Taylor and Don Beckett.

From the Churches Together in Chelmsford Prayer Rota: we pray for the Catholic Community at St Augustine's, North Springfield with Fr Nick De Keyser and the Revd Kevin Lyons.

in touch: Today is the copy date for the April edition of the church magazine. Please pass items to Robin Stevens at rmsrobin@icloud.com.

Easter gifts: will be for sale in aid of The Great Organ Fix next Sunday following the morning service.

Easter breakfast: If you would like to join us for the breakfast at 8.45am on Easter Sunday morning, please sign up on the form either in the porch or by the pigeon holes. These forms will be taken down on Sunday 25 March. Donations are requested from adults but children 'eat free'.