

**ALL SAINTS' CHURCH, SPRINGFIELD**  
**10th MAY 2026 – SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

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**TODAY**

**10.30am Holy Communion**  
*president:* The Rector  
*preacher:* Robin Stevens  
*readings:* Acts 17:22-31  
John 14:15-21

If you have been encouraged or challenged during this morning's service, and you want to confirm or affirm it in prayer. Please feel welcome to come to the Prayer Zone where Peter and Linda will be happy to pray for you – in confidence of course.

**10.30am The Sunday Special Service**  
*leader:* Julian Mallett

*After the services you are invited to stay on for refreshments and conversation in the hall*

**100 Days of Prayer:**

**Theme: our readiness for change**

As we approach the Ascension and Pentecost, we give thanks for...

- Jesus' resurrected presence in God's world through the Holy Spirit
- God's desire for us to continue Jesus' ministry on earth
- how God equips us through the gifts of the Holy Spirit

We pray that...

- we would be open to the presence and power of the Holy Spirit in our lives and in the life of God's church
- we would be ready for the transformation and potential that God may intend for us, our churches and our communities

You can find the full prayer calendar by going to:  
<https://shorturl.at/cly7g>

**Quiz in support of Fairtrade  
here at All Saints'**

**next Saturday 16th May at 7.15pm**

**Why not get a team together?**

*Tickets £5 – bring your own drinks and nibbles. Free raffle.*

*Tickets are available on the door but it is helpful if you notify [gill.parker@sky.com](mailto:gill.parker@sky.com) to book places.*

**THIS WEEK**

Mo 11  
Tu 12 10.00am 'Start the Week' prayers in church  
We 13 9.30am Children in Church  
10.00am Holy Communion  
*president & preacher:* The Rector  
Th 14 ASCENSION DAY  
2.00pm All Saints' Connect Café  
2.30pm Women's Fellowship: Ladybirds Singing Group  
Fr 15 MATTHIAS THE APOSTLE  
12 noon Chelmsford Cathedral Lunchtime Concert – *soprano & piano*  
Sa 16 7.15pm Fairtrade Quiz  
Su 17 **SIXTH SUNDAY OF EASTER**

**8.00am Holy Communion**  
*president:* The Rector  
*preacher:* Pat Otter

**10.30am Morning Prayer**  
*leader:* Robin Stevens  
*preacher:* Peter Balls

**10.30am Sunday Special Holy Communion**  
*president:* The Rector

**For your prayers:**

*Those who are unwell:* Jonathan Thompson, Nikki Mallett, Roy Alexander, Toni Lawrence, Doreen Cornish, Joan Goode, Georgia, Sue Tokley, Michael Downes, Shirley Duggan, Joy Bome, Geoff Sollars, Janet Brett, Keith Otter, Keith Anderson and Jean Gunn.

*Those who have been bereaved:* The family and friends of Gina Shadrack, Mike Mackrory, Edna Rawlings and Kathleen Weedy.

*From the Christians Together in Chelmsford Prayer Rota:* we pray for St. Michael and All Angels, Roxwell

**Gina Shadrack:** Her thanksgiving service will be at 11.00am in church on Friday, 29th May.

**Christian Aid Week starts today.** Donation envelopes are available in church. You can either:

- Donate cash today – there's a Gift Aid section, or
- Take the envelope home and bring it back next week
- Alternatively donations can be made online at <https://caw.christianaid.org.uk/>