All those who have asked for our prayers and those who are unwell.

Recently departed:

Those who have died recently

and



Those whose year's mind occurs at this time:

- 23rd Frances Ogden, Ethel Cross, Reginald Alfred Jones, Maureen Lilian Harvey, Gertrude Brister, Decima Pope, Nora Ogden, Wlliam Stephen Murphy
- 24th Fnid Anderson
- 25th Alice Brown, Florence Chivers, Lilian Matthews, Josephine King, Ivy Page
- 26th Winifred Hounsell, John Anning, Dennis Coppin, Mary McClymont, Nellie Alexander
- 27th Charles Alfred Morris, Kathleen King, Eleanor Pollock, Nina Lilian Sime
- 28th Evelyn Thayer, John Mentern (*Priest*), Dorothea Dobbs
- 29th Barbara Titman, Nellie Hicks, Mabel Wilder, Hilda May Coates, Ann Robinson

This week we pray in the Parish for:

23 rd North Street	24th Canonsleigh Crescent	27th Cliff Parade
23 rd West Street	25 th Pall Mall	28th Marine Parade
23 rd East Street	26th Rectory Grove	29th London Road
24 th Alexandra Road		

Saint Clement's Church, Leigh-on-Sea

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= LIVESTREAMED, Parish Mass on Sunday at 9.30am. Rather not be in view? Please use Pastoral Centre (south aisle / right-hand side) or back of north aisle (left side).

You can donate online via this QR code:



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Monday 24 th		
Tuesday 25 th	9.30am	Morning Prayer Low Mass, <i>The Children's Society</i> Meditation Space
Wednesday 26 th		Morning Prayer Memorial Service, <i>John Brochet</i> Low Mass, <i>Social Workers</i>
Thursday 27 th		Morning Prayer Low Mass, <i>Homeless Charities</i>
Friday 28 th		Morning Prayer Low Mass, <i>The Christmas Fair</i>
Saturday 29th		
Sunday 30th No	vember	Advent Sunday

8.00am Low Mass, Pro Populo

Parish Mass, Pro Populo (LS)

Baptism Service 12noon

2025 Christ the King, 23rd November Low Mass: 8am, Sung Parish Mass: 9.30am

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What's on this week:		
Buggy Time	Tuesday 25 th	10.45am
Mothers' Union	Tuesday 25 th	12.30pm
Knit & Natter	Thursday 27 th	10.30am
Senior School Group	Thursday 27 th	6pm
Bell Ringing Practice	Thursday 27 th	7.30pm
Friday Lunches	Friday 28 th	12.45pm
Christmas Fair	Saturday 28st	4-8pm
Christmas Fair	Saturday 29 th	11am-4pm

In term time children and young people's groups.

<u>Pre school:</u> Sunday School, Pastoral Centre during 9.30am Mass <u>Infant school children:</u> Storytime in the Lady Chapel at 9.30am Mass <u>Junior school:</u> Meet in the Vestry during 9.30am Sunday Mass Senior school students: Meet alternate Thursdays

St Clement's Choir: Winter rehearsals are Fridays only, 4-6 / 7pm. Open rehearsal 6-7pm for those new or with work commitments. If you'd like to join us for any of our events or rehearsals you'll be very welcome. NB: There is no rehearsal on Friday 28th Nov, due to the Christmas Fair.

Food Donations— Non-perishable, dried, long-life food can be brought to church for HARP and our Foodbank. **Thank you for your kind and generous donations.**



Southend Foodbank's most needed items this week: Instant mash, tinned foods like mince & onions, peas, fruit and custard. A fundraising Quiz night is being arranged, Sat 13th Dec, 7pm, Belle Vue Baptist Church. Entry £7 per person, cash or card. Max 8 per table. All are welcome.

HARP need: coffee, sugar, pot noodles, tinned meals, breakfast cereal, squash, cooking sauces, Fray Bentos meat pies & puddings, cooking oil, tinned pasta, veg & soup: ravioli, macaroni, potatoes & veg. Biscuits, rice, jam, peanut butter, choc spread, cup-a-soup, UHT milk, rice pudding, custard, mayo & crisps.

All can be left in hoppers in church, or taken to a Foodbank collection point, like West Leigh and Leigh Road Baptist Churches.

ST CLEMENT'S PATRONAL FESTIVAL

(Celebrating our Patron, St Clement of Rome)

Saturday 22nd November

12noon Patronal Festival Mass
followed by
Patronal Festival Bring & Share Buffet Lunch
All are welcome



Help at the **Christmas Fair**, on **Fri 28 or Sat 29 Nov**: there is a sign up list in church, with hour slots, for people to add their names, who can help with setting up, taking down, or helping at stalls. Thank you!

There are boxes in church for **Christmas Fair donations** (no DVDs or electricals please). We do need: books, bric-a-brac, items for tombola, basket tombola and grand draw, can be food, bottles, jewellery, toiletries, anything new or unusual. Also new toys for Father Christmas, home-made cakes and sweets—must include ingredients list; we can freeze them if made now.

Advent 2025

Advent Courses: First three Wednesdays in Advent, 3rd, 10th and 17th

December, 1-2.30pm. All welcome.

Tuesday evenings, 2nd, 9th and 16th 7.30-8.30pm

Details to follow soon.

Christingle: Sunday 7th December, 3pm. Fundraising candles, for

the Children's Society, are ready to collect in church.





If you have any rolls of pink recycling and/or food waste sacks you can spare for church, please could you give them to the church. Thank you

Defibrillator: Those who have pledged to donate and those who wish to donate to this expenditure, please see our Treasurer.

Contact details for our Clergy are on the church website. You can also contact us via the Parish Administrator: 07884 148148 / saintclementsleigh@outlook.com. www.stclementschurch.org.uk