

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

***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 Reginald Drake, Patricia Ann Jell
24th Winnie Cotgrove, Robert Eden (*Rector*), *priest*
25th Frederick Juler Doggett
26th Margaret Farr, Bernard Collings (*priest*)
27th Arthur Nest, Jim Scott
28th Sybil Horton, Florence Reeves
29th Ronald Whittaker, Joseph Carr, Alice Copland

This week we pray in the Parish for:

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

Saint Clement's Church, Leigh-on-Sea

Weekly Newsletter of the Church of England Parish Church of St Clement of Rome
Leigh Town Church, Anglo-Catholic in Tradition and Inclusive in Welcome

(LS) = **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).

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Sunday 23rd August Twelfth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Low Mass, *Pro Populo*

9.30am Sung Parish Mass, *Pro Populo* (LS)

Monday 24th

St Bartholomew, Apostle

Tuesday 25th

9.00am Morning Prayer

9.30am Low Mass, *Public Servants*

6.45pm Meditation Space

Wednesday 26th

9.00am Morning Prayer

7.30pm Low Mass, *Persecuted Christians*

Thursday 27th

9.00am Morning Prayer

St Monica, Mother of Augustine 9.30am Low Mass, *Christian Mothers*

Friday 28th

St Augustine, Bishop, Doctor

9.00am Morning Prayer

12noon Low Mass, *Theological Colleges & Courses*

Saturday 29th

The Beheading of John the Baptist

Sunday 30th August Thirteenth Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Low Mass, *Pro Populo*

9.30am Sung Parish Mass with Backpack Blessing, *Pro Populo* (LS)

12noon Baptism Service

2026
Twelfth Sunday after Trinity, 23rd August
Low Mass: 8am, Sung Parish Mass: 9.30am

What's on this week:

Buggy Time	Tuesday 25 th	10.45am
Children's Activity Afternoon	Wednesday 26 th	2 to 4pm
Knit & Natter	Thursday 27 th	10.30am
Bell Ringing	Thursday 27 th	7.30pm
Friday Lunches	Friday 28 th	12.45pm

NB: Theology Club: in August is having a break, resumes Sept 30th

Children's Society Quiz Night, Sat 22nd August, 6.30 for 7pm.

Teams of 6-8 max. £7 per person, BYOB. Contact Tina 07962 579627 / tina.seckleman@blueyonder.co.uk, or Dawn 07980 958465

St Clement's Choir: The choir is taking a break from rehearsals in August, we resume on Weds 2nd September at 5.30pm. We will continue to sing at 9.30am Sunday Mass during these weeks. New singers welcome.

Coming up: 'Lift up your voice, come and sing!'

Our final Saturday singing workshop of the summer, free to attend and open to all, is on **12th September**, 1-3pm.

Prayer List: If you'd like us to pray for someone by name please also provide your contact details. Thank you.

HARP donations of non-perishable, long-life foodstuffs can be left in the hoppers at the west end of church. **Thank you for your kind donations.**

Children's Events in the Summer Holidays

Following our lovely event in July our Activity Afternoons continue on **Wednesday 26th August**, from 2 to 4pm

Join us for an afternoon of stories, games, crafts and biscuit decorating, based around the story of Jonah and the whale.

Back to School

School bag blessing: **Sunday 30th August** 9.30am

Anyone starting school or college in the autumn term is welcome to bring their bag, pencil case, or any other essentials to be blessed during the 9.30am Mass on Sunday 30th August.

Sunday School

Our term time children and young people's groups resume after the school summer holidays, on Sunday 6th September.

Our senior schools group, which will run every week from this term, will resume on Thursday 10th September.

We look forward to seeing the children in church over the summer, there will be a range of activities in the pastoral centre for them during the 9.30am service.

To help prepare for the return to school, we will hold our annual "backpack/pencil case" blessing on Sunday 30th August during the 9.30am Mass.

Confirmations for our Deanery at St Clement's:

Have you been baptised and confirmed? This year's Deanery Confirmation Service is on Sunday 22nd November at 2.30pm (here at St Clement's). Look out for preparation courses to be announced in September.