

PLEASE PRAY FOR:

*All those who have asked for our
prayers and
those who are unwell,*

Recently departed:

Those who have died recently



Those whose year's mind occurs at this time:

- 5th Ken Hilton, Edith Jones
- 6th Lucy Thomas, Vera Cotgrove, Helen Stewart Braby
- 7th Ernest William Smith
- 9th Dorothy Wingar, Alfred Neden
- 10th Sheila Le Huquet, Bobby Roundass

This week we pray in the Parish for:

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| 5 th Elm Road | 7 th Southsea Avenue | 9 th Grange Road |
| 5 th Torquay Drive | 7 th Ronald Hill Grove | 10 th Salisbury Road |
| 5 th Victoria Drive | 8 th Fairleigh Drive | 10 th Burnham Road |
| 6 th Cranleigh Drive | 8 th Glendale Gardens | 10 th Western Road |
| 6 th Station Road | 8 th Leighville Grove | 11 th Theobald's Road |
| 6 th Lymington Avenue | 9 th Hadleigh Road | 11 th Theobald's Court |
| | | 11 th Vernon 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, usually
Mass Friday 12noon, Sunday 8am &
9.30am. Rather not be in view?
Please sit in the Pastoral Centre
(south aisle / right-hand side) or
back of the north aisle (left side).

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Sunday 5th October 2025 **Harvest Festival**

- 8.00am Low Mass, *Pro Populo* (LS)
- 9.30am Sung Parish Mass, *Pro Populo* (LS) Hymns: Entry: 74
- 3.00pm Pet Blessing Service
- Offertory: 215
- Communion: 730
- Exit: 745

- Monday 6th
- Tuesday 7th
- 9.00am Morning Prayer
 - 9.30am Low Mass, *Grandparents*
 - 6.45pm Meditation Space
- Wednesday 8th
- 9.00am Morning Prayer
 - 2.00pm Funeral Service, *David Holland*
 - 7.30pm Low Mass, *RNLI Volunteers*
- Thursday 9th
- 9.00am Morning Prayer
 - 9.30am Low Mass, *Evangelism*
- Friday 10th
- 9.00am Morning Prayer
 - 12noon Low Mass, *Confirmation Candidates* (LS)
- Saturday 11th

Sunday 12th October **17th Sunday after Trinity**

- 8.00am Low Mass, *Pro Populo* (LS)
- 9.30am Parish Mass, *Pro Populo* (LS)
- 2.00pm Confirmation Service

2025**Harvest Festival, 5th October****Low Mass: 8am, Sung Parish Mass: 9.30am, Pet Blessing Service: 3pm****What's on this week:**

Macmillan Coffee Morning	Saturday 4 th	10am—1pm
Visiting Bell Ringers	Saturday 4 th	10.45am-11.30am
Sunday Schools	Sunday 5 th	9.30am
Study Session ahead of Confirmation	Sunday 5 th	11am
Buggy Time	Tuesday 7 th	10.45am
We'll Meet Again	Tuesday 7 th	2.30pm
Choir Rehearsal	Wednesday 8 th	6pm
Knit & Natter	Thursday 9 th	10.30am
Senior School Students' Rectory Group	Thursday 9 th	6pm
Bell Ringing Practice	Thursday 9 th	7.30pm
Friday Lunches	Friday 10 th	12.45pm
Choir Rehearsal	Friday 10 th	6pm
Gentlemen's Breakfast	Saturday 11 th	8am

Term time children's groups, with a new group for Infant school children starting after half term:Pre school children: Sunday School, Pastoral Centre during 9.30am MassInfant school children: Storytime in the Lady Chapel, during 9.30am MassJunior school children: Meet in the Vestry during 9.30am Sunday MassSenior school students: Meet alternate Thursdays, at The Rectory

Confirmations, 2pm on Sunday 12th October: We are looking forward to Bishop Adam joining us to lead a service of Confirmation. At Confirmation the Bishop calls down the Holy Spirit as candidates confirm their baptismal vows; often seen as a rite of passage into maturity in faith. If you have not yet been Confirmed (or Baptised), please contact Fr Myles.

Christian Beliefs study (adults), final Sunday, 5th Oct: Covering key themes of Christian belief, these sessions are especially for those who wish to be Confirmed on 12th October. Sessions are after 9.30am Mass, about 11am.

St Clement's Choir: Thank you for your continued support. Rehearsals this week are Wednesday and Friday from 6pm. As ever, all are welcome to come and sing with us for any or all of our events.

Wild Flower Seeds Donations of wild flower seeds for the church grounds are very welcome. These can be left in church.

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



Saturday 4th October from 10am: join our Macmillan Coffee Morning and be part of the world's biggest Coffee Morning!

**We celebrate Harvest Festival this Sunday, 5th October**

Please bring your donations of non-perishable, dried, long-life food to church this weekend for the Harvest Festival.

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

Southend Foodbank also need donations of: UHT milk, pasta sauce, tins of fish, fruit, veg, tomatoes & meat meals, and dried food like rice, pasta, instant mash. Their clients can cook, but are struggling to afford to buy food.

Can be left in hoppers in church, or taken to Foodbank collection point, like West Leigh and Leigh Road Baptist Churches. **Thank you very much.**

Sunday 5th October at 3pm, Pet Blessing Service.

All pets and their owners welcome.



Saturday 18th October Christian Aid Coffee Morning Concert
CROWSTONE Acoustic Duo (John & Jacqui) will perform a range of traditional hymns from 17th century to contemporary worship.

A Day with Brother Samuel of **The Franciscans**. Sunday 26th October.

Saturday 1st November, 5pm: Sung Requiem Mass to remember and give thanks for the lives of our deceased loved ones and those whose funerals were held at St Clement's Church in recent years.

Remembrance Sunday, 9th November

9.30am Mass for the dead of all wars

3.00pm Royal British Legion Service of Remembrance

Armistice Day, Tuesday 11th November

10.55am Act of Remembrance at The Cross in St Clement's Churchyard,
2 minutes' silence at 11am



Patronal Festival, Sat 22nd November, Mass at 12noon, followed by lunch