### **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:

12th Edgar Thorn, Edna Watson, John Mabey, Kathy Whitham

13th Harry Reader, Arthur Albert George Hicks

16th Clarence Littlefield, Russell Howard, Grace Mason

1/th Pat de Jersey

18th Ernest Milbank, Vivian Crowther-Alwyn (Priest), Violet Wood

# This week we pray in the Parish for:

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12th Herschell Road	14th Uttons Ave	16 <sup>th</sup> Leigh House
12th Harley Street	14 <sup>th</sup> Leigh Park Road	17th Church Hill
13th Belton Corner	15th St.Clement's Court	17th Leigh Hill Close
13th Billet Lane	15th St.Clement's Court East	17 <sup>th</sup> The Gardens
13th Laurel Close	16 <sup>th</sup> Hillside Road	18th Broadway
14th New Road	16th The Terrace	18th Broadway West

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(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).

You can donate online via this QR code:



# Sunday 12th October 2025 17th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Low Mass, Pro Populo (LS)

9.30am Sung Parish Mass, Pro Populo (LS) Hymns: Entry: 74

2.00pm Confirmation Service

Offertory: 215
Communion: 730

(LS)

Exit: 745

Monday 13th

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> 9.00<sub>am</sub> Morning Prayer

9.30am Low Mass, Emergency Services

6.45pm Meditation Space

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> 9.00<sub>am</sub> Morning Prayer

7.30pm Low Mass, The Poor & Oppressed

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Morning Prayer

9.30am Low Mass, Spiritual Support

Friday 17<sup>th</sup> 9.00am Morning Prayer

12noon Low Mass, Those Persecuted for their faith

Saturday 18th

St Luke the Evangelist

# Sunday 19th October 18th Sunday after Trinity

8.00am Low Mass, Pro Populo (LS)

9.30am Parish Mass, Pro Populo (LS)

12noon Baptism Service

17th Sunday after Trinity, 12th October

Low Mass: 8am, Sung Parish Mass: 9.30am, Confirmation Mass: 2pm

What's on this week:			
Cancelled: There is no Gents' Breakfast in October.			
Sunday Schools	Sunday 12 <sup>th</sup>	9.30am	
Buggy Time	Tuesday 14th	10.45am	
Choir Rehearsal	Wednesday 15 <sup>th</sup>	6pm	
Knit & Natter	Thursday 16th	10.30am	
Bell Ringing Practice	Thursday 16 <sup>th</sup>	7.30pm	
Friday Lunches	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	12.45pm	
Lino Printing	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	2pm	
Choir Rehearsal	Friday 17 <sup>th</sup>	6pm	
Christian Aid Coffee Morning Concert	Saturday 18 <sup>th</sup>	10am	

Confirmations, 2pm this 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.

Term time children's groups, with a new group for Infant school children starting after October half term:

Pre school children: Sunday School, Pastoral Centre during 9.30am Mass Infant school children-Starts after half term: Storytime in the Lady Chapel during 9.30am Mass

Junior school children: Meet in the Vestry during 9.30am Sunday Mass Senior school students: Meet alternate Thursdays, at The Rectory

On Wednesday 15th October, the 4th Anniversary of his death, there will be a Requiem Mass at 7.30pm offered for the eternal soul of Sir David Amess. At St Peter's Catholic Church, Eastwood Road North, SS9 4BX Requiescat in pace.



Thanks to all who supported the MacMillan Coffee Morning last week. It was lovely and everyone was so supportive. We raised over £580.

**St Clement's Choir:** Thank you for your continued support. Rehearsals this week are Wednesday and Friday from 6pm.

Rehearsals for the All Souls' Mass are: Saturday 25th Oct at 1pm, and ahead of the mass on Sat 1st at 3pm. If you would like to join us for this, or for any of our events or rehearsals you would be very welcome.

Wild Flower Seeds Donations of wild flower seeds for the church grounds are very welcome.

Violette is running a lino printing group, a good opportunity to create some interesting Christmas cards. Numbers are limited. If you'd like to take part please contact Violette in person or email the parish administrator, Jane, to register your interest. First session Friday 17th October, 2-4pm.



# Saturday 18th October Christian Aid

Coffee Morning Concert from 10 to 11.45am.

CROWSTONE Acoustic Duo (John & Jacqui) will perform a range of traditional hymns from 17<sup>th</sup> century to contemporary worship.

Donations of Cakes for this fundraiser will be very welcome.

We also need help on the day. Thank vou!!

A Day with Brother Samuel of **The Franciscans**. Sunday 26<sup>th</sup> 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. All are welcome.

# 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 11<sub>am</sub>

Patronal Festival, Sat 22<sup>nd</sup> November, Mass at 12noon, followed by lunch

Food Donations for the needy— Non-perishable, dried, long-life food can be brought to church for HARP and our local Foodbank



**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.

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