

ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, LANGFORD

(United Benefice of Henlow & Langford)

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SUNDAY 9 FEBRUARY – 4th Sunday before Lent

WE WELCOME everyone to our Parish Eucharist

An audio loop is installed for those with hearing aids: please switch to the 'T' position. Parents with toddlers are invited to use *the children's corner* at the back of the church.

Before the service – talk to God
During the service – listen to God
After the service – talk to each other, over a cup of coffee in the church hall

HYMNS

285 Judge eternal, throned in splendour
63 Blest are the pure in heart
519 Thy kingdom come, O God
69 Breathe on me, Breath of God
317 Lord, the light of your love is shining

This week please pray for...
...those who suffer in mind, body or spirit:
Angie Rigney; Sue Denwood; Jean Mattock; Tom Vincent; Yvonne Milne; Doreen Howe; Martin Woods; Mark; Kathleen Tomkins (Maureen's mum); John Searle; Bill Davies;

R.I.P. Judith Smith

The funeral of Judith Smith will take place next Thursday 13th Feb at 9.30am in church.

In Care: Jessie Child; Pat Cooke

Prayer cards are now available if you would like to put a prayer request on the board.

The Traidcraft stall will be in the Church hall after today's service.

FEBRUARY DIARY

Mon 10th 8pm Pilgrim Course
Wed 12th 10am Holy Communion
Sun 16th 9.30am Family Service
Sun 23rd 9.15am Parish Eucharist
Wed 26th 10am Holy Communion

Diocesan celebrations for 20 years of the ministry of women to the priesthood will take place at All Saints, Hertford at 7.30pm on Thursday 13th March. This will be a Celebratory Eucharist and we are delighted that The Ven Christine Hardman has agreed to preside for us and Bishop Paul has agreed to preach. All are invited but Revd Sue needs to give the diocese some ideas of numbers so please let her know if you would like to go.

The Churchwardens of St Andrew's and St Mary's Churches are delighted to announce that the Revd Sue Groom, Priest in Charge of The United Benefice of Henlow and Langford and Diocesan Director of Ordinands, has accepted an invitation from the Rt Revd Alan Smith, Bishop of St Albans, to become an Honorary Canon of St Albans Abbey Cathedral in recognition of her services to the Diocese.

An official ceremony for Revd Sue's installation will be held during a service of Evensong at St Albans Abbey Cathedral at 4pm on Saturday 8th March 2014. All members of both churches and of the local community are warmly invited to attend.