

# **ST. ANDREW'S CHURCH, LANGFORD**

**(United Benefice of Henlow & Langford)**

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## **SUNDAY 15 FEBRUARY Sunday next before Lent**

### ***WE WELCOME everyone to our Family Service today***

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.

**You are welcome to stay for tea, coffee or squash in the church hall after the service.**

**There is a collection for the work of the church during the 3rd hymn.**

### **HYMNS**

- 153 Give me joy in my heart  
53 Be still for the presence of the Lord  
56 Be Thou my vision

This week please pray for...

...those who suffer in mind, body or spirit:  
*Angie Rigney; Sue Denwood; Jean Mattock;  
Tom Vincent; Yvonne Milne; Martin Woods;  
Mark Williams; Ven Paul Hughes; Rev Canon  
Liz Hughes; Eli Garland; John Searle*

In Care: Jessie Child; Pat Cook

### **FEBRUARY DIARY**

**Wed 18<sup>th</sup> 8pm** Ash Wednesday Eucharist  
**Sun 22<sup>nd</sup> 9.15am** Parish Eucharist

**On Mon 16 Feb at 8pm a meeting is taking place in the Church Hall to plan fund raising for Christian Aid.**

Worship is at the heart of our Christian discipleship and witness. If you would like to get involved in helping to lead worship at our Family Services, please speak to Canon Sue, or one of the churchwardens, about training to become a Lay Leader of Worship.

Churches Together in Langford and Henlow will again be holding Lent Groups on Tuesday afternoons, Wednesday afternoons and Wednesday evenings, commencing on 24 February. Full details and forms are at the back of church.

Langford Village Academy has asked if anyone in the church would be willing to listen to children read. More experienced listeners are willing to act as mentors if necessary.

This year the **Women's World Day of Prayer** Service will be at St Mary's on Friday 6th March at 2.15 pm.

Sign up for this year's Lent Challenge on:  
<http://www.livethechallenge.co.uk/home/>  
Copies of the weekly sheets will be available at the back of church.

The Parish Council is arranging for a defibrillator to be made available in the village. It will be sited outside the Post Office. If you are interested in receiving training in the use of the defibrillator, which will probably take place in April, please see Sarah.

The Aylwin String Quartet will be performing at St Mary's Church, Henlow on Sunday 1 March at 7.30pm. Tickets £10 including a glass of wine are available from Phil Groom or Phil Moore, Tel 01462 815392.

The key to the toilet in the church hall is on the oak fitment by the main door (teddy bear key ring).