



St Margaret's Church

"We are disciples of Jesus, making disciples for Jesus."

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Sunday 21st June – Trinity 3

WELCOME TO SAINT MARGARET'S!

We are one church with three congregations. We meet on Sundays in St. Margaret's church building (9.30 and 11.00) and in Victoria Road Chapel (10.30). We hope and pray that you meet with God here today. If you wish to find out more about who we are and what we do, please speak to one of the people with a badge. Have a wonderful day!

Services Today - Sunday 21st June

9.30am Holy Communion
10.30am Sunday Worship at VRC
11.00am All Age Worship with Thanksgiving
6.30pm East Thurrock United Service

Next Week - Sunday 28th June

9.30am Morning Prayer
10.30am Holy Communion at VRC
11.00am Morning Worship with Sunday School and Thanksgiving

Following week - Sunday 5th July

9.30am Holy Communion
10.30am Sunday Worship at VRC with Xplorers
11.00am Morning Worship with Sunday School And Thanksgiving

Sunday 12th July

9.30am Morning Prayer
10.30am Sunday Worship at VRC with Xplorers
11.00am Holy Communion with Sunday School

What's On? Please check this leaflet for events happening this month

11am Congregation leaders meeting Tuesday 23rd June 8pm in the Church Hall

PCC Meeting Monday 22 June 7.30pm in Church Hall

Mothers' Union Subscriptions for the Families First magazine are now due. It will be £10.50 for the year. Please pay Vera Gibbons. She can be contacted on 01375 404210
Wednesday 24th - Joan Elliott "Testimony" at 2pm in the Hall
Monday 6th July - Craft Circle at 2pm in the Hall
Wednesday 8th July - Desert Island Discs at 2pm in the Hall.

Spiritual Healings Course Using visual tools to give God's direction to people Saturday 27th June from 9.30am to 1pm at Grays Baptist Church. To be followed by local outreach opportunities. For more information please see Jokey Poyntz.

I am the Lord Who Heals you An evening with Alison Morgan and Claire Wood of ReSource in the church building Monday 6th July at 7.30pm, refreshments from 7pm. Worship, teaching and prayer. Admission free. Alison Morgan is a well known author and speaker. Claire is the Rector of Olney in Buckinghamshire. Alison and Claire work, with other members of the ReSource team, all over the country, bringing support and encouragement to local churches and regional groupings. Resource is an Anglican charity which works for the renewal of people and churches for mission in the power of the Holy Spirit. Come and find out more about what God is doing among his people today!

COLLECT

Almighty God, you have broken the tyranny of sin and have sent the Spirit of your Son into our hearts whereby we call you Father: give us grace to dedicate our freedom to your service, that we and all creation may be brought to the glorious liberty of the children of God; through Jesus Christ your Son our Lord, who is alive and reigns with you, in the unity of the Holy Spirit, one God, now and for ever. Amen.

Thank you for your donations. Cheques are to be made payable to **PCC of Stanford-le-Hope with Mucking**. If you wish to donate by phone, please text STMS17 £** (the amount you wish to give) to 70070.

Things to pray for this week

Mon 22nd - Pray for the residents of Sandringham Close and Christian Hope International have asked us to praise God for over 1000 candidates preparing for confirmation in the diocese of Kigeme, Rwanda.

Tue 23rd INTERNATIONAL WIDOWS DAY Pray for the residents of Sheringham Close and remember the estimated 245 million widows and 500 million children who having lost their husband or father are more likely to suffer the effects of poverty, illiteracy, HIV/AIDS, conflict and social injustice.

Wed 24th ST. JOHN THE BAPTIST Pray for the residents of Silvertown Avenue and we thank you for all those who have helped us along our Christian pilgrimage and that they have obeyed your calling by doing their part in your great plan for each one of us.

Thu 25th Pray for the residents of The Sorrells and remember before God children and young people with profound and multiple learning difficulties in residential schools. Pray too for those at home their families often struggling with the challenge of caring and providing for their special needs.

Fri 26th Pray for the residents of Southend Road. Pray that the leaders of nations across the world will work together more for peace and justice. Pray for those refugees who have come to Europe in order to get away from fear and torture.

Sat 27th Pray for the residents of Stratford Gardens and also pray for the clergy especially those taking up their duties after ordination.

Sun 28th Pray for the residents of Thors Oak and also pray for the Church; proclaiming God's truth and demonstrating His compassion through thousands of initiatives and local projects serving individuals and families.

Thought for the Week

"If any one of you is in trouble" you should pray. If you are happy, then sing songs of praise"

James 5 v 13

Bible Readings for the Week:

1 Samuel 17:32-49

Psalms 9.9-20

2 Corinthians 6.1-13

Mark 4.35-41

PLEASE NOTE

PARISH WEEKEND *From Fishermen to Farmers* Friday 28th to Sunday 30th August. Book it in your diary!

FLOWER ARRANGING every Friday at 8.30am at St Margaret's Church. See Lily Russell for more information.

CHOIR REHEARSAL every Friday at 7.30pm at St Margaret's Church. See Russ Sparkes for further information.

CELL Groups meet on 1st and 3rd Tuesdays of the month at 9.30am in various homes. Please see Pat Pickett for further information or speak to a member clergy for other similar groups.

HOME GROUPS Our Tuesday evening Home Group meets on the first and third Tuesdays of the month at 8pm in Rayleigh Road. Please see Alison Murphy for further information. Our Wednesday Morning Home Group meets in Orsett on the first and third Wednesday of the month. See Lyn Fry for further information.

PRAYER MEETING every weekday of the year at 7.00am in the Prayer Chapel. Come for an hour or come for five minutes. See John Guest for further information.

Deanery Synod Wednesday 1st July 7.45pm at St Mary's Little Thurrock.. For further information please see Jokey Poyntz.

Saturday Morning Prayer

The next Saturday morning prayer will be on 11th July from 9 - 10am . Led by Lilian

Farewell to Sharon at Salvation Army Hall, Stanford-le-Hope Sunday 28th June at 3pm. The celebration of Sharon's ministry and work in Stanford-le-Hope.

Messy Church Wednesday 15th July at 3.30pm at Victoria Road Chapel. All families welcome.