



St Margaret's Church

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

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Sunday 21st April – Easter Sunday

WELCOME TO SAINT MARGARET'S!

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 us.

Have a wonderful day!

Services

Sunday 21st April EASTER SUNDAY

5.30am Sunrise Service at One Tree Hill

9.30am Easter Holy Communion

11.00am Family Worship + Easter Egg Hunt
+ Welcome

Sunday 28th April

9.30am Morning Prayer

11.00am All Age Worship + Welcome

4.00pm AGM

Sunday 5th May

9.30am Holy Communion

11.00am Morning Worship with Baptism and
Sunday School

Sunday 12th May CHRISTIAN AID WEEK

9.30am Morning Prayer

11.00am Holy Communion with Mile of Pennies

4.30pm TEN Course

Collect

Lord of all life and power, who through the mighty resurrection of your Son overcame the old order of sin and death to make all things new in him; grant that we, being dead to sin and alive to you in Jesus Christ, my reign with him in glory; to whom with you and the Holy Spirit be praise and honour, glory and might now and in all eternity Amen

Mothers' Union April/May Events

Wednesday 24th Talk by Elizabeth Sedano "Who are our Indoor Members?" at 2pm in the Hall

Saturday 27th 10am - 12noon Coffee Morning.

Proceeds for MU Away from it All.

Wednesday 8th - Talk by Sue Davis "Changing Pathways" at 2pm in the Hall

Thursday 16th - Talk by Kirsten Elsdon "English for Women at 7.30pm at 23 Scratton Road

Wednesday 22nd - Prayer Walk from 2pm

Dates for your Diary

Deanery Synod Monday 29th April 7.30pm

Archdeacon's Visitation Thursday 9th May 7pm

PCC Meeting Monday 20th May 7.30pm

Standing Committee Tuesday 11th June 7pm

Important Notice

Dear Church Family - The Electoral Roll is now closed until after the AGM. Nominations forms to become members of the PCC or Deanery Synod are available, speak to John or Pat. You must be on the Electoral Roll to sit on either of these Committees. To nominate and second someone to be elected you must also be on the Electoral Roll. You must have attended St. Margaret's at least six months before you can be elected.

Monthly Prayer Meeting

The first Monday of each month

Next meetings: Monday 6th May at 7.30pm
and Monday 3rd June

Calling all Ladies

Fashion Show, Monday, 13th May in St Margaret's.

Doors open 7pm for a 7.30pm start.

Tickets £5 including refreshments.

Come and enjoy the 'Travelling Trends' fashion show then browse and buy your new summer outfits at bargain prices!

Polling Station We are pleased to, again, be hosting the local elections on 2nd May and European Elections on 23rd May in our hall.

Things to pray for this week

Mon 22nd Pray for the residents of Holly Mead

Lord, we see abundant life all around us in creation. We thank you for all that your creation gives us for food, for enjoyment, for our health and wellbeing. Help us to protect all that lives and grows to ensure their survival for future generations.

Tues 23rd Pray for the residents of Hudson Close

Praise God for the wonderful diversity of gifts with which he blesses and equips his people. Pray that he will enable each one of us to discover all the gifts and talents that we have to offer.

Wed 24th Pray for the residents of Maples

"From Russia with love" have asked us to pray for mums attending their support groups, that they will have the courage to be vulnerable and ask for help when they need it.

Thu 25th Pray for the residents of Markhams

God of grace, may more people who are seeking spiritual reality be touched by Your Spirit to consider the truth of the gospel, learn from Your Word and recognise the life-transformation experienced through faith in Christ. Amen.

Fri 26th Pray for the residents of Monks Haven

Lord Jesus, we thank you that because of your resurrection we may behold your glory with unveiled faces, and reflect it in our lives, as we are being transformed. Transform us into your likeness with ever-increasing glory.

Sat 27th Pray for the residents of Mountfield Close

Wycliffe Bible Translators have asked us to pray for their graduates of their training. That they may preach, teach and share the word of God with their congregations, pray they enable many people to come to know 'life in all its fullness'.

Sun 28th Pray for the residents of Nursery Road

Pray for our APCM meeting. Pray for our Church Wardens, Synod and PCC members and anyone new being elected on to our PCC today.

Thought for the week

Jesus came and stood among the disciples and said, "Peace be with you!" After he said this, he showed them his hands and side. The disciples were overjoyed when they saw the Lord.

John 20 v 19 - 20

Bible Readings for today and the Week Ahead

Isaiah 65 v 17 - 25,

Psalms 118 v 1 - 2, 14 - 24,

1 Corinthians 15 v 9 - 26,

Luke 24 v 1 - 12

Thank You

Sheila Hornsby would like to thank everyone for their good wishes and prayers, for all the lovely Get Well cards, for all the plants and flowers, for phone calls and texts, and a special thank you to Alison for all the lovely cakes, Kathleen for the meals, and also to Pat & Norman, Barry & June, Jackie Feeney, Jenny Holding, and John. It was all very much appreciated, I will be glad to be back with you all on Easter Sunday.

Garden Fete Monday 27th May 2pm

We would be grateful for any unwanted gifts or vouchers, cuddly toys, prizes, gifts, sweets, bottles (eg wine shampoo, vinegar, fruit drinks etc), cakes, china and glass, old crockery for smashing, drinks (cans/bottles/cartons), tomato ketchup, mustard, onions, serviettes, gift bags, tea, coffee, squash, sugar, etc. **Work Party** Saturday 25th May

New Priest in Charge

The Reverend Michele Marshall has been appointed as Priest in Charge of St Catherine's at East and West Tilbury and St Francis of Linford

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.